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## **Governor Musgrove Discusses Medicaid During Washington Meeting**

(Washington, DC) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove and other governors on the National Governors Association Executive Committee met today with senators to discuss Medicaid. In a meeting with Senator Susan Collins of Maine, Senator Fred Nelson of Nebraska, and Senator John Breaux of Louisiana, Musgrove outlined the need for reforms within the health care program.

Musgrove also met with Health and Human Services Secretary Tommy Thompson on the Medicaid issue.

“The focus of our meetings have been on Medicaid and how we can work with Congress to craft a more efficient program for Mississippi and the entire country,” Musgrove said. “I’ve been working here at home to shape the most effective health care delivery for our people. The work being done here will help states around the country improve their delivery as well.”

As a member of the NGA Executive Committee, Musgrove is working closely with the Department of Health and Human Services to reform the Medicaid program.

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