

# GOVERNOR'S DAILY NEWS SUMMARY

Friday, September 20, 2002

*Clarion Ledger Jackson*

**59 losing jobs at Delta prison**

**Legislature takes tort reform break**

**Isidore's every move being monitored**

**Transfusions can spread virus**

**At-risk children focus of program**

**Editorials**

Tort reform: Failure to agree is not an option

Political ads: Judge all paid advertisements

Iraq: Bush needs congressional support

*The Sun Herald Biloxi*

**WorldCom expected to add \$2B to bogus accounting tab**

**Reb fess-up shows NCAA compliance**

*Northeast Mississippi Daily Journal Tupelo*

[Legislators break from negotiations](#)

[College Board to resume MSU president search next month](#)

*The Commercial Appeal Memphis, TN*

*Hattiesburg American*

[Energy plan would hurt Mississippi](#)

[Lawyers control our Legislature](#)

[Consider 'facts' on tort debate](#)

[Vote wisely in next election](#)

*Meridian Star*

*Laurel Leader-Call*

**Lawmakers almost throw in towel**

*DeSoto Times Today Hernando*

**Weary lawmakers return home during recess**

*The Clarksdale Press Register*

*The Bolivar Commercial Cleveland*

*The Delta Democrat Times Greenville*

*Enterprise Journal McComb*

[Medical association wants cap on awards](#)

[Short meetings, long breaks draw complaints from observers watching proceedings](#)

*The Natchez Democrat*

[Read Our View](#)

*The Greenwood Commonwealth*



[State lawmakers back at work after nearly giving up on talks](#)

[CCA would come back to city if state asks, director says](#)

[Musgrove spurred drawn-out session](#)

[Governor looking out for home folks](#)

*Mississippi Business Journal*

*Magnolia Report*

[Reed Branson: Tort reform a fumbled political football](#)

[WEST POINT: "While we agree that our state's physicians need affordable medical malpractice insurance, this continued runaround without any resolution is doing no one any good. It's becoming increasingly obvious that nothing is being accomplished on this issue while a majority of the Legislature sits around twiddling its thumbs. All they're doing is wasting money"](#)

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*Stateline.org*

*The New York Times*

*The Washington Post*

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