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(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove issued the following statement today, in response to plans by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce to publicly warn corporations about the business climate in Mississippi:

“This effort by the U.S. Chamber of Commerce is inappropriate and irresponsible. It is nothing more than an attempt to single out the state on an issue that is prevalent nationwide. I hope the chamber would focus its energy on the national recession that has produced a sluggish economy in Mississippi.”

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