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**Governor Musgrove Appoints Lynette Magee,
Lenwood S. Sawyer Jr., & Watkins G. “Noggin” Wild to the
Mississippi Real Estate Commission**

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has appointed Lynette Magee of Oxford, Lenwood S. Sawyer, Jr., of Gulfport, and Watkins G. “Noggin” Wild of McComb to the Mississippi Real Estate Commission.

“Lynette Magee, Lenwood Sawyer, and Noggin Wild have shown leadership in real estate in Mississippi for a number of years,” Musgrove said. “In addition, these members have extensive experience in all areas of the real estate industry, including consulting and administration, which will make the group well-rounded.”

Magee has been actively involved in the Mississippi Association of Realtors serving as Northern District Vice President, Chairman of Government Affairs Committee, and recipient of the MAR’s prestigious President’s Award in 2001. Magee is also a member of the Southern Rotary and the Southaven and Hernando Chamber of Commerce.

Sawyer has been a commercial real estate broker for over thirty years and is the owner of the oldest real estate agency in the Gulf South, Sawyer Real Estate. Currently serving as the Treasurer/Commissioner of the Mississippi State Port Authority at Gulfport, he is a member of the National Association of Real Estate License Law Officials. In 1996, Sawyer acquired ownership in the East Coast Hockey League team, Mississippi Sea Wolves. He is a member of the Gulfport Chamber of Commerce and Great Southern Club.

Wild is a graduate of Mississippi REALTOR®S Institute along with degrees from Southern Methodist University and Vanderbilt University. He is President and owner of Wild Realty in McComb. Wild also has experience in banking, having served as assistant branch manager of the Hibernia National Bank in New Orleans. He has been affiliated with the local, state, and national REALTOR® since 1978. Wild serves on the Board of Directors for the McComb Main Street Association and is a member of McComb Rotary Club.

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