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**Governor Musgrove Appoints Donna Riser to
Mississippi Medical Malpractice Coverage
Availability Plan Advisory Council**

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has appointed Donna Riser of Forest to the Mississippi Medical Malpractice Coverage Availability Plan Advisory Council for a term that is at the will and pleasure of the Governor.

“I am committed to building a stable environment for Mississippi’s health care providers,” Musgrove said. “Donna’s background as a hospital and nursing home administrator will benefit our State and the Council.”

The Mississippi Medical Malpractice Coverage Availability Plan Advisory Council was created in the 2003 Regular Session as part of the “Medical Malpractice Insurance Availability Act” proposed by Governor Musgrove in 2002. The Advisory Council has various responsibilities such as administering the Medical Malpractice Insurance Availability Plan and providing oversight for the Tort Claims Fund.

Riser is currently a Hospital and Nursing Home Administrator with Lackey Memorial Hospital.

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