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Governor Musgrove Appoints Representative Frances Fredericks to the Mississippi Commission on the Status of Women

(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove has appointed Representative Frances Fredericks of Gulfport as a member of the Mississippi Commission on the Status of Women. She will be a member commencing on July 1, 2003, for a four-year term ending June 30, 2007.

“Ms. Fredericks has served the people well as state representative and will fulfill her position successfully on the Mississippi Commission on the Status of Women,” said Musgrove. “Her knowledge and talents will continue to enhance Mississippi as she performs her appointment to the commission.”

Fredericks has served as state representative in the Mississippi House of Representatives since 1990. She is a member of the NAACP and the National Counsel of Negro Women. Fredericks studied at Gulf Coast Community College and St. Mary’s School of Nursing.

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