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Governor Musgrove Announces Formation of Mississippians for Religious Freedom

(Jackson, MS) – Today Governor Ronnie Musgrove announced the formation of Mississippians For Religious Freedom. The non-profit organization will be ready to raise the funds, if needed, to pay the expenses of moving Alabama’s Ten Commandments Monument.

Yesterday Governor Musgrove contacted Chief Justice Roy Moore of Alabama to present the option of providing temporary refuge for the monument in Mississippi.

“For too long our courts and politicians have interpreted every American’s freedom *of* religion as freedom *from* religion,” said Musgrove. “It would be my honor to host this monument as a symbol of Mississippi’s dedication to the fundamental principles of the Ten Commandments.”

The Governor has spoken with ministers from around the state and there is great support for displaying the Ten Commandments in Mississippi’s Capitol. Governor Musgrove sent a letter today to other governors, asking them to display the monument in their states as well.

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