

Trucking Industry Round Table  
Tuesday, May 16, 2000  
12:00 p.m.  
Dennerly's

Remember to sit up straight and use low tones. Be mindful of um and uh.

## **Points To Cover**

- Economic Development Plan
  - Old Plan was stale
  - Time for a plan with new incentives
  - Must be competitive with other states
  - New jobs
  - Competitive salaries
  - Keeping our best and brightest in Mississippi

## Most important factor in Economic Development Plan

- Education
  - Raising teacher pay to the Southeastern Average
  - MEC's endorsement
    - Realize that an educated workforce is the key to having a well trained/educated employee pool
  - Computers in every classroom

- Advancement of technology in today's world
- Computer Task Force