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RESOLUTION OF THE FACULTY SENATE

MAY 4, 2010

WHEREAS, The University of Mississippi is committed to serving the needs of the State of Mississippi, our Nation and the World;

WHEREAS, The University of Mississippi's mission is to transform lives through the creation and dissemination of new knowledge through research and scholarship in all of its academic disciplines;

WHEREAS, The University of Mississippi, in its continued pursuit of excellence, is committed to providing its students an environment that offers extraordinary intellectual opportunities and experiences;

WHEREAS, The University of Mississippi, is committed to recruiting and retaining a talented and dedicated faculty that embraces teaching and learning, celebrates research and scholarship, and seeks the opportunity to share this spirit of intellectual discovery with students and faculty colleagues;

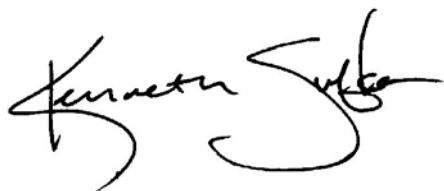
WHEREAS, Chancellor Jones has recognized that The University of Mississippi has experienced a growing gap in faculty compensation compared to peer universities that has adversely affected recruitment and retention of the best faculty scholars;

WHEREAS, Chancellor Jones understands that The University of Mississippi must achieve a more competitive faculty compensation so that its academic programs can continue to progress to even higher levels of excellence;

LET IT BE RESOLVED, that the Senate of the Faculty at The University of Mississippi applauds the recently announced Campaign for Faculty initiative intended to increase the faculty support endowment by \$100 million in order to help the University achieve its stated goal of compensation parity with its peer universities.

RESOLVED, this 4th day of May 2010.

THE SENATE OF THE FACULTY



Kenneth J. Sufka
Chair of Faculty Senate