**PUBLIC RELATIONS NEWS TEMPLATES**

(**AWARDS/HONORS RECOGNITION**)

[**Introduction**] (JACKSON, Miss.) – (Honoree’s Name), a/an (state official title) at Jackson State University, has been selected by (Name of organization) to serve on (Name of the board).

[**Additional info about honoree**] Honoree has been involved in (list compatible activities related to the honor).

[**Quote expressing appreciation**] “Quote from the honoree about the significance of the honor and how it will help shine a positive spotlight on Jackson State University as well. Also, express appreciation to the organization providing the honor.”

[**List other benefits**] (Explain how the award will help the department/academic area and, especially, tell how students will benefit, if applicable.)

[**Spotlight JSU**] Tout JSU and what makes it special.

[**Kudos**] Provide acknowledgments, if necessary (mentors, professors). “I appreciate the support from (sources),” honoree said.