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Who: Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson;
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Fairgrounds; Colonel Randy Ginn, Director of Mississippi
Highway Patrol; Chief Bo Luckey, Mississippi State Capitol
Police; Chief Ricky Davis, State Fire Marshal's Office;
Hinds County Sheriff Tyree Jones; and Chief James Davis,
Jackson Police Department

What: Press Conference to Address Security Staff and Safety
Measures for the 2022 Mississippi State Fair

When: Thursday, September 22, 2022; 10:00 a.m.

Where: Mississippi State Fairgrounds
South side of the Armory Building
1207 Mississippi St, Jackson, MS 39202

Commissioner Gipson to Address Security Staff and Safety Measures for 2022 Mississippi State Fair

STATE FAIRGROUNDS, Miss. – Commissioner of Agriculture and Commerce Andy Gipson invites the media to attend a press conference to address security staff and safety measures for the 2022 Mississippi State Fair to be held October 6-16. The press conference will be held on the south side of the Armory Building on the Mississippi State Fairgrounds on Thursday, September 22, beginning at 10:00 a.m. Commissioner Gipson will be joined by various law enforcement officials including representatives from the Mississippi Department of Public Safety, State Fire Marshal's Office, Hinds County Sheriff's Office, Jackson Police Department and Mississippi Department of Wildlife, Fisheries and Parks.

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Media Note: Enter the Mississippi State Fairgrounds through Gate 10 off High Street. Take a right at the end of the driveway, and the Armory Building will be on the right. Commissioner Andy Gipson will be available for interviews following the press conference.