By: Representative Horne

To: Appropriations

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE BILL NO. 101

| L | AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 21-29-105, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, |
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| 2 | TO EXPAND BY ONE THE DISABILITY AND RELIEF BOARD THAT OVERSEES THE |
| 3 | MUNICIPAL FIREMEN'S AND POLICEMEN'S DISABILITY AND RELIEF FUND; TO |
| 1 | PROVIDE THAT ONE MEMBER OF SUCH BOARD SHALL BE A RETIREE ELECTED |
| 5 | BY THE RETIRED MEMBERS OF BOTH THE POLICE AND FIRE DEPARTMENTS; |
| 5 | AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES. |

- 7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 8 SECTION 1. Section 21-29-105, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
- 9 amended as follows:
- 10 21-29-105. The Board of Trustees of the Public Employees'
- 11 Retirement System of Mississippi shall have operational and
- 12 administrative control of the funds created herein.
- 13 In each municipality there shall be a board to serve in an
- 14 advisory capacity to the Board of Trustees of the Public
- 15 Employees' Retirement System with respect to matters concerning
- 16 the disability and relief fund. Such board shall consist of six
- 17 (6) members as follows: two (2) shall be elected by the
- 18 membership of the police department, two (2) shall be elected by
- 19 the membership of the fire department; one (1) shall be a retiree
- 20 <u>elected by the retired members of both the police and fire</u>
- 21 <u>departments;</u> and the mayor or his designee shall be an ex officio
- 22 member. The term of elected members shall be for four (4) years,
- 23 and any vacancy in the elected membership shall be filled in the
- 24 same manner as the original membership was selected.
- 25 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 26 and after July 1, 1999.