

By: Representative Janus

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1502

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
2 SAFETY FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING GRANTS TO BOYS AND GIRLS CLUBS
3 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2000.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

5 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much of it as may be
6 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State General
7 Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Department of Public
8 Safety for the purpose of providing grants to Boys and Girls Clubs
9 in the state, in accordance with Section 2 of this act, for the
10 fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30,
11 2000..... \$6,125,000.00.

12 SECTION 2. The money appropriated by Section 1 of this act
13 shall be distributed to Boys and Girls Clubs by the Department of
14 Public Safety in accordance with the following criteria:

15 (a) The club seeking a grant must apply to the
16 department and provide a detailed plan for the use of the grant.

17 (b) The department will evaluate the application and
18 plan to determine if the grant will be used by the club for
19 purposes specified by rule or regulation of the department.

20 (c) The amount of a grant will not exceed One Hundred
21 Seventy-five Dollars (\$175.00) for each child served by the club.

22 (d) The club must provide matching funds for the amount
23 of a grant on a fifty-fifty basis.

24 SECTION 3. The money appropriated by this act shall be paid
25 by the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General Fund
26 not otherwise appropriated, upon warrants issued by the State

27 Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his
28 warrants upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or
29 officers in the manner provided by law.

30 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from
31 and after July 1, 1999.