By: Representatives Flaggs, Shows, Bourdeaux, Bowles, Denny, Perry, Watson To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1630 (As Sent to Governor)

AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PAYING THE 1 2 EXPENSES AND PROVIDING CONTINGENT FUNDS FOR THE LEGISLATURE, THE EXPENSES OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE BUDGET OFFICE, THE EXPENSES OF 3 4 THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE COMMITTEE ON PERFORMANCE EVALUATION AND 5 EXPENDITURE REVIEW, THE EXPENSES OF THE JOINT LEGISLATIVE 6 REAPPORTIONMENT COMMITTEE, PAYING THE MONTHLY EXPENSE ALLOWANCE OF 7 THE MEMBERS OF THE LEGISLATURE, PAYING THE STATE'S SHARE OF VARIOUS ASSESSMENTS; EXPENSES OF THE MISSISSIPPI AGRIBUSINESS 8 COUNCIL; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2000. 9

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI: 11 SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any money in the State 12 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying 13 salaries, mileage, insurance, matching funds and the daily expense 14 15 allowance of the members of the Legislature for the Regular 16 Session of 1999 and providing contingent funds for the House of Representatives and Senate for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 17 1999, and ending June 30, 2000, as follows: 18 For salaries, mileage, insurance, 19 matching funds and daily 20 expense allowance of members 21 of the House of Representatives..... \$3,727,380.00 2.2 23 For Contingent Fund for the House of Representatives ..... \$3,880,874.00 24 25 Out of the above amount appropriated for the Contingent Fund for the House of Representatives, not more than Fifteen Thousand 26 Dollars (\$15,000.00) shall be expended for defraying the expenses 27 of and for the use of the members of the Mississippi Commission on 28 Interstate Cooperation, as created under Section 5-5-1 et seq., 29

30 Mississippi Code of 1972. 31 For salaries, mileage, insurance, 32 matching funds and daily expense allowance of members 33 34 of the Senate..... \$1,674,887.00 For Contingent Fund for the Senate..... \$3,383,703.00 35 Out of the above amount appropriated for the Contingent Fund 36 for the Senate, not more than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) 37 shall be expended for defraying the expenses of and for the use of 38 the members of the Mississippi Commission on Interstate 39 Cooperation, as created under Section 5-5-1 et seq., Mississippi 40 Code of 1972. 41 For the joint legislative operations of the House of 42 43 Representatives and the Senate..... \$1,267,175.00 For the expenses of the Joint Legislative 44 Budget Office..... \$2,342,031.00 45 For the expenses of the Joint Legislative 46 Committee on Performance Evaluation 47 and Expenditure Review..... \$1,911,087.00 48 49 For the expenses of the Joint Legislative 50 Reapportionment Committee..... \$ 125,140.00 For the expenses of the Joint Committee on 51 52 Compilation, Revision and Publication of Legislation.....\$ 312,000.00 53 54 The Joint Legislative Reapportionment Committee shall prepare, publish and provide semiannual reports to each member of 55 56 the Legislature and such reports shall provide a line-by-line 57 detailed accounting of all receipts and expenditures of any and all monies appropriated by the Legislature to the Joint 58 59 Legislative Reapportionment Committee. Any meetings of the Joint 60 Legislative Reapportionment Committee shall be held in state 61 offices or at publicly owned facilities. SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be 62 63 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State 64 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the monthly expense allowance of the members of the Legislature, 65 as provided in Section 5-1-41, Mississippi Code of 1972, for the 66

H. B. No. 1630 99\HR03\A002SG PAGE 2 67 fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000..... 68 .....\$ 2,583,485.00. 69 SECTION 3. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State 70 71 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the state's share of various assessments for the fiscal year 72 \$ 288 73 beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000..... 74 Of the funds authorized in this section, the following 75 distribution shall be made: 76 Southern States Energy Board.....\$ 29,077.00 77 Southern Growth Policies Agreement....\$ 24,339.00 78 Interstate Cooperation.....\$ 180,924.00 National Conference of Commissioners 79 on Uniform State Laws.....\$ 29,200.00 80 The Energy Council.....\$ 25,000.00 81 82 SECTION 4. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be 83 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of 84 85 defraying the expenses of the Mississippi Agribusiness Council for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000. 86 87 .....\$ 151,109.00. SECTION 5. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be 88 89 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in any special 90 fund in the State Treasury to the credit of the Mississippi Agribusiness Council for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, 91 92 and ending June 30, 2000.....\$ 100,000.00. SECTION 6. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by 93 94 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon 95 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal 96 97 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law. 98 99 SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from

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