

By: Representative Malone

To: Local and Private  
Legislation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1683

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF LEAKE COUNTY,  
2 MISSISSIPPI, TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT, IN ADDITION TO ANY OTHER  
3 ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS, FOR EACH MISDEMEANOR CASE PROCESSED  
4 THROUGH THE JUSTICE COURT OF THE COUNTY; TO PROVIDE THAT THE  
5 AVAILS OF SUCH ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT SHALL BE USED TO FUND THE  
6 CRIMESTOPPERS PROGRAM WITHIN THE COUNTY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

8 SECTION 1. (1) The Board of Supervisors of Leake County,  
9 Mississippi, by resolution duly adopted and entered on its  
10 minutes, may levy an assessment, in addition to any other  
11 assessments and court costs, in an amount not to exceed One Dollar  
12 (\$1.00) per case for each misdemeanor case processed through the  
13 justice court of the county.

14 (2) The avails of the additional assessment imposed pursuant  
15 to subsection (1) of this section shall be paid by the county to  
16 Crimestoppers of Leake County, Inc., for use in procuring  
17 information to aid authorities in the capture and conviction of  
18 persons committing crimes in Leake County, Mississippi.

19 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from  
20 and after its passage.