Pending AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

Senate Bill NO. 3141

By Representative(s) Committee

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

7	SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
8	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State
9	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of
10	defraying the expenses of the Mississippi Emergency Management
11	Agency in accordance with the provisions of Section 33-15-1 et
12	seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, for the fiscal year beginning
13	July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000\$ 900,289.00.
14	SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
15	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the special
16	fund in the State Treasury to the credit of the Mississippi
17	Emergency Management Agency which is comprised of special source
18	funds collected by or otherwise available to the agency, for the
19	support and maintenance of the agency for the fiscal year
20	beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000
21	\$ 2,432,568.00.
22	SECTION 3. Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
23	Sections 1 and 2, not more than the amounts set forth below shall
24	be expended for the respective major objects or purposes of
25	expenditure:
26	MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE:

Personal Services:

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28	Salaries, Wages and Fringe Benefits \$ 1,776,205.00
29	Travel and Subsistence
30	Contractual Services
31	Commodities
32	Capital Outlay:
33	Other Than Equipment
34	Equipment
35	Subsidies, Loans and Grants 773,200.00
36	Total\$ 3,332,857.00
37	FUNDING:
38	General Funds\$ 900,289.00
39	Special Funds 2,432,568.00
40	Total\$ 3,332,857.00
41	AUTHORIZED POSITIONS:
42	Permanent: Full Time 47
43	Part Time 0
44	Time-Limited: Full Time 5
45	Part Time 1
46	From the funds provided in the budget category "Personal
47	Services: Salaries, Wages and Fringe Benefits," funds may be
48	expended for the following purposes, in compliance with the
49	policies established by the State Personnel Board and any
50	conditions placed on such expenditures:
51	(a) The components of the Variable Compensation Plan
52	shall be maintained within the constraints of the funds
53	appropriated herein.
54	(b) Funds are provided to adjust the Variable
55	Compensation Plan, including realignment, to ensure that all
56	full-time employees with at least six (6) months of continuous
57	current service, as of June 30, 1999, receive an increase of One
58	Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,500.00). Funds are provided to
59	adjust critical job classes up to an additional One Thousand

- 60 Dollars (\$1,000.00).
- (c) If an employee is currently at or above the end
- 62 salary for his or her job classification, then the increase shall
- 63 be built into the employee's base salary. To be eligible for any
- 64 increase authorized in this section, employees may not have a
- 65 current performance rating below "meets expectations" as of the
- 66 effective date of the increase. Employees who subsequently
- 67 receive a performance rating of "meets expectations" or above
- 68 during Fiscal Year 2000 shall receive the salary increase
- 69 effective the date of the rating.
- 70 It is the agency's responsibility to make certain that funds
- 71 required to be appropriated for "Personal Services" for Fiscal
- 72 Year 2001 do not exceed Fiscal Year 2000 funds appropriated for
- 73 that purpose unless programs or positions are added to the
- 74 agency's budget by the Mississippi Legislature.
- 75 Any transfers or escalations shall be made in accordance with
- 76 the terms, conditions, and procedures established by law.
- 77 No general funds authorized to be expended herein shall be
- 78 used to replace federal funds and/or other special funds which are
- 79 being used for salaries authorized under the provisions of this
- 80 act and which are withdrawn and no longer available.
- 81 SECTION 4. Funds are provided in this act to establish one
- 82 (1) new Purchasing Agent II position and three (3) EM-
- 83 Communications Specialist positions.
- SECTION 5. It is the intention of the Legislature that the
- 85 Director of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency may, upon
- 86 the request of a local public emergency management organization in
- 87 an area which has suffered a natural disaster, supply equipment to
- 88 rural water associations to enable their continued operation when
- 89 the local emergency management organization determines that such
- 90 private entities provide services essential to the welfare of the
- 91 community.

92	SECTION 6. It is the intention of the Legislature that the
93	Director of the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency shall
94	provide enhanced training to local governments, supervisors,
95	mayors, civil defense groups and municipal associations in
96	disaster management.
97	SECTION 7. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
98	necessary is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
99	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Emergency
100	Management Agency to be used to establish a special reserve fund
101	in the State Treasury for Disaster Relief, for the fiscal year
102	beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000
103	\$ 99,750.00.
104	SECTION 8. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
105	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
106	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund
107	Nos. 3725 and 3728 for the purpose of defraying certain
108	administrative expenses and the federal share of the cost of the
109	Disaster Relief Program, for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
110	1999, and ending June 30, 2000\$ 5,856,000.00.
111	SECTION 9. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
112	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
113	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund No.
114	372U for the purpose of defraying certain administrative expenses
115	and the federal share of the cost of the Hazard Mitigation
116	Program, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending
117	June 30, 2000\$ 4,000,000.00.
118	SECTION 10. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
119	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
120	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund
121	Nos. 372M and 372P for the purpose of defraying certain
122	administrative expenses and the state and federal share of the
123	cost of the Public Assistance Program resulting from the February

L24	1991 Flood, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending
125	June 30, 2000\$ 50,000.00.
126	SECTION 11. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
127	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
128	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund No.
129	372T for the purpose of defraying certain administrative expenses
130	and the federal share of the cost of the Public Assistance Program
131	resulting from the April/May 1991 Flood, for the fiscal year
132	beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000
133	\$ 200,000.00.
134	SECTION 12. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
135	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
136	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Emergency
137	Management Agency for the purpose of defraying certain
138	administrative expenses and the state share of the cost of the
139	Public Assistance Program resulting from the April/May 1991 Flood,
140	for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30,
141	2000 \$ 972,000.00.
142	SECTION 13. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
143	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
144	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund No.
145	3728 for the purpose of defraying certain administrative expenses
146	and the federal share of the cost of the Public Assistance Program
147	resulting from the Lowndes County Disaster, for the fiscal year
148	beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000. \$ 100,000.00.
149	SECTION 14. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
150	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
151	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Emergency
152	Management Agency for the purpose of defraying certain
153	administrative expenses and the state share of the cost of the
154	Public Assistance Program resulting from the Lowndes County
155	Disaster, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending

156	June 30, 2000\$ 600,000.00.
157	SECTION 15. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
158	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
159	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund
160	Nos. 3725 and 3728 for the purpose of defraying certain
161	administrative expenses and the state and federal share of the
162	cost of the Public Assistance Program resulting from the 1994 Ice
163	Storm, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending
164	June 30, 2000\$ 3,200,000.00.
165	SECTION 16. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
166	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
167	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund No.
168	372G for the purpose of defraying certain administrative expenses
169	and the federal share of the cost of the Nuclear Preparedness
170	Program, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending
171	June 30, 2000\$ 323,800.00.
172	SECTION 17. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
173	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
174	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund No.
175	3724 for the purpose of defraying the expenses of providing
176	individual and family disaster relief assistance for personal
177	property losses and damages resulting from disasters declared by
178	the federal government, for the fiscal year beginning July 1,
179	1999, and ending June 30, 2000\$ 1,000,000.00.
180	SECTION 18. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
181	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
182	Treasury to the credit of the Emergency Management Agency Fund
183	Nos. 3724 and 3728 for the purpose of defraying certain
184	administrative expenses and the state and federal share of the
185	cost of the Public Assistance Program and the Individual and
186	Family Grant Program resulting from Hurricane Georges, for the
187	fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000

188	\$ 8,000,000.00.
189	SECTION 19. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
190	necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
191	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Emergency
192	Management Agency for the purpose of defraying certain
193	administrative expenses and the state share of the cost of the
194	Public Assistance Program and the Individual and Family Grant
195	Program resulting from Hurricane Georges, for the fiscal year
196	beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000
197	\$ 2,000,000.00.
198	SECTION 20. The funds appropriated in Section 6 shall be
199	expended only as provided in Sections 43-41-1 et seq. and
200	43-41-301 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972, or for the purpose of
201	matching federal funds in the event a disaster occurs within the
202	state.
203	SECTION 21. The expenditure of the funds appropriated by
204	this act shall be under the direction of the Governor and shall be
205	paid by the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General
206	Fund not otherwise appropriated, or the proper special funds, upon
207	warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
208	Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
209	proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.
210	SECTION 22. This act shall take effect and be in force from
211	and after July 1, 1999.