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To: Local and Private
Legislation

HOUSE BILL NO. 697

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PRENTISS
2 COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT, IN ADDITION TO ANY
3 OTHER ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS, FOR EACH MISDEMEANOR CASE FILED
4 IN THE JUSTICE COURT OF SUCH COUNTY; TO PROVIDE THAT THE AVAILS OF
5 SUCH ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT SHALL BE PAID TO CRIMESTOPPERS OF
6 NORTHEAST MISSISSIPPI; 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 Prentiss County,
9 Mississippi, in its discretion, is authorized, by resolution duly
10 adopted and entered on its minutes, to levy an assessment, in
11 addition to any other assessments and court costs, not to exceed
12 One Dollar (\$1.00) per case, for each misdemeanor case filed in
13 the justice court of Prentiss 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 Northeast Mississippi for use in procuring
17 information to aid authorities in the capture and conviction of
18 persons committing crimes in Prentiss County, Mississippi.

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