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To: Transportation;
Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1410

1 AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF
2 TRANSPORTATION AND LOCAL GOVERNING AUTHORITIES TO PROMPTLY REMOVE
3 OR CONTRACT FOR THE REMOVAL OF ROCKS, DIRT AND DEBRIS FROM THE
4 SURFACE OF HARD-SURFACED ROADWAYS UNDER THEIR JURISDICTION WHICH
5 PRESENT A HAZARD FOR MOTOR VEHICLE TRAFFIC; AND FOR RELATED
6 PURPOSES.

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

8 SECTION 1. The Mississippi Department of Transportation,
9 with regard to highways on the state highway system, and the
10 boards of supervisors of counties and the governing authorities of
11 municipalities, with regard to highways, roads and streets under
12 their jurisdiction, shall perform such work or contract for such
13 work as may be necessary to ensure the prompt removal of rocks,
14 dirt and debris from the surface of hard-surfaced roadways
15 resulting from construction, maintenance or repair of roads,
16 rights-of-way or adjacent property, the presence of which present
17 a hazard for motor vehicle traffic.

18 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
19 and after July 1, 2000.