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To: Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 2299

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE STATE DEPARTMENT OF
2 EDUCATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING 20% ADDITIONAL FUNDING FOR
3 ASSISTANT TEACHERS IN SCHOOL DISTRICTS WHERE THE FREE OR REDUCED
4 LUNCH PARTICIPATION IS 60% OR GREATER, FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001.

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

6 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the State
8 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the State Department
9 of Education for the purpose of providing 20% additional funding
10 for assistant teachers in school districts where the free or
11 reduced lunch participation is 60% or greater, for the fiscal year
12 beginning July 1, 2000, and ending
13 June 30, 2001..... \$6,357,416.00.

14 SECTION 2. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
15 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General Fund not
16 otherwise appropriated, upon warrants issued by the State Fiscal
17 Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his warrants
18 upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or officers
19 in the manner provided by law.

20 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from
21 and after July 1, 2000.