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SENATE BILL NO. 3254
(As Sent to Governor)

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAYING
2 THE ADMINISTRATIVE EXPENSES OF THE STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY AND
3 JUNIOR COLLEGES FOR FISCAL YEAR 2001.

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

5 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
6 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
7 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of
8 defraying the administrative expenses of the State Board for
9 Community and Junior Colleges for the fiscal year beginning July
10 1, 2000, and ending June 30, 2001.....\$ 8,187,813.00.

11 SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
12 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
13 Treasury to the credit of the State Board for Community and Junior
14 Colleges, for the purpose of defraying the administrative expenses
15 of the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges for the
16 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000, and ending June 30, 2001.....
17\$ 20,424,165.00.

18 SECTION 3. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
19 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
20 Treasury to the credit of the Commission on Proprietary School and
21 College Registration, for the purpose of defraying the expenses
22 incurred in the regulation and administration of the Mississippi
23 Proprietary School and College Registration Law and the associated
24 expenses of the State Board of Community and Junior Colleges for
25 the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2000, and ending June 30, 2001
26\$ 60,000.00.

27 SECTION 4. With the funds appropriated under the provisions
28 of Sections 1, 2 and 3, the following positions are authorized:

29 AUTHORIZED POSITIONS:

30	Permanent:	Full Time.....	41
31		Part Time.....	0
32	Time-Limited:	Full Time.....	1
33		Part Time.....	0

34 Any transfers or escalations shall be made in accordance with
35 the terms, conditions, and procedures established by law.

36 No general funds authorized to be expended herein shall be
37 used to replace federal funds and/or other special funds which are
38 being used for salaries authorized under the provisions of this
39 act and which are withdrawn and no longer available.

40 SECTION 5. It is the intention of the Legislature that the
41 budget requests of the administrative expenses of the State Board
42 for Community and Junior Colleges for Fiscal Year 2002 shall be
43 submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee in a format
44 and level of detail comparable to the format and level of detail
45 provided during the Fiscal Year 2001 budget request process.

46 SECTION 6. Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, Seven
47 Million Three Hundred Ten Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty-seven
48 Dollars (\$7,310,987.00) shall be derived from Education
49 Enhancement Funds deposited pursuant to Section 27-103-203 (1),
50 Mississippi Code of 1972.

51 SECTION 7. Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, Five
52 Million Dollars (\$5,000,000.00) shall be expended from the Work
53 Force Carryover Fund as created by House Bill No. 1271, Regular
54 Session of 1995.

55 SECTION 8. With the funds provided herein, it is the
56 intention of the Legislature that the State Board of Community and
57 Junior Colleges shall allocate an additional One Hundred Thousand
58 Dollars (\$100,000.00) above any Workforce Project funds
59 distributed to the Coahoma Community College Skill/Tech Center for

60 the Fiscal Year 2000.

61 SECTION 9. Of the funds appropriated in Sections 1 and 2,
62 funds in the amount of Nineteen Million One Hundred Ninety-two
63 Thousand Six Hundred Fifty-eight Dollars (\$19,192,658.00) are
64 appropriated for the Workforce Education Program and Industrial
65 Training. No funding obligation or commitment shall be made on
66 behalf of the state for industrial training beyond the level of
67 funding made available in this section. All industrial training
68 program commitments made in Fiscal Year 2001 and future fiscal
69 years shall be based only upon funds available in this section and
70 any proposed commitments shall be approved by the Executive
71 Director of the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges, or
72 the Executive Director's designee prior to such commitment being
73 finalized. Industrial training program commitments shall be made
74 and based only upon training services provided and not for a
75 specific funding amount. Any expenditures of funds authorized in
76 this section are limited to obligations made July 1, 2000, or
77 after, and shall not be expended for obligations made prior to
78 this date.

79 SECTION 10. Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, funds in
80 the amount of One Hundred Twenty-five Thousand Dollars
81 (\$125,000.00) shall be derived from Community College Network fees
82 for the purpose of defraying the costs of the Community College
83 Network and the administrative expenses of the State Board for
84 Community and Junior Colleges.

85 SECTION 11. Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, an
86 amount up to Two Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$200,000.00) shall be
87 allocated for up to four (4) community and junior colleges to
88 participate in the Industrial Training Program which will lead to
89 a four-year degree at the University of Southern Mississippi.

90 SECTION 12. Of the funds appropriated under the provisions
91 of this act, it is the intention of the Legislature that an amount
92 not to exceed One Hundred Seventeen Thousand Dollars

93 (\$117,000.00) shall be used to defray the costs of a technology
94 training program for the Community and Junior Colleges and Public
95 Education.

96 SECTION 13. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
97 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
98 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
99 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
100 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
101 proper person, officer or officers in the manner provided by law.

102 SECTION 14. Should revenues generated and deposited to the
103 Education Enhancement Fund pursuant to Section 27-103-203 (1),
104 Mississippi Code of 1972, and apportioned pursuant to Section
105 37-61-33 (6), Mississippi Code of 1972, fall below funds
106 appropriated herein from said source, the State Board for
107 Community and Junior Colleges shall notify the Department of
108 Finance and Administration as to which allotments shall be reduced
109 to insure that expenditures do not exceed actual revenues.

110 SECTION 15. This act shall take effect and be in force from
111 and after July 1, 2000.