

**\*\*\*Adopted\*\*\***

**AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO**

**Senate Bill NO. 2822**

**By Representative(s) Committee**

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

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8       SECTION 1. Section 49-15-96, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
9 amended as follows:

10       49-15-96. Vessels licensed under Section 49-15-64.5 may keep  
11 in whole, for personal consumption only the following types of  
12 fish which are caught in the shrimp nets or trawls of the vessel:  
13 white trout; croaker, black drum, and ground mullet (Family  
14 Sciaenidae); sheepshead (Family Sparidae); gafftopsail catfish  
15 (Family Ariidae); and flounder (Family Bothidae and Family  
16 Pleuronectidae \* \* \*). The cumulative total of fish shall not  
17 exceed twenty-five (25) pounds. In addition, a vessel may keep  
18 three (3) dozen blue crabs (portunidae family). This exemption  
19 for personal consumption does not apply to fish or crabs that are  
20 otherwise illegal to possess or catch.

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