Adopted AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 481

By Senator(s) Committee

8 Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting 9 in lieu thereof the following:

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11 <u>SECTION 1.</u> (1) There is created within the State Treasury a 12special fund to be known as the Municipal Crime Prevention Fund. 13The Department of Public Safety shall distribute monies out of the 14fund to each municipality in this state on a per capita basis, 15using the population figures from the most recent federal 16decennial census; however, no municipality shall receive less than 17Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00) from the fund. Funds received 18by municipalities under this section may be expended for, without 19limitation, any of the following purposes:

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(a) Law enforcement;

(b) Equipment, technology, supplies, contractual22services, including training and related travel, and commodities;

23 (c) State or federal crime prevention grant matching24requirements; and

25 (d) Any crime prevention programs implemented by more 26than one (1) jurisdiction, which may include the State of 27Mississippi and any of its agencies, departments or political 28subdivisions, through the use of interlocal cooperation 29agreements.

30 (2) This section shall stand repealed on June 30, 2003.

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31 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from 32 and after its passage.

Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

1 AN ACT TO ESTABLISH THE MUNICIPAL CRIME PREVENTION FUND; TO 2 PROVIDE THAT THE FUND SHALL BE ADMINISTERED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF 3 PUBLIC SAFETY; TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT SHALL DISTRIBUTE 4 MONIES FROM THE FUND TO EACH MUNICIPALITY IN THE STATE; TO SPECIFY 5 THE PURPOSES FOR WHICH MUNICIPALITIES MAY EXPEND THE FUNDS 6 RECEIVED FROM THE DEPARTMENT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.