

*****Adopted*****

AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 1320

By Senator(s) Committee

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

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9 SECTION 1. The following shall be codified as Section
10 49-15-14, Mississippi Code of 1972:

11 49-15-14. The commission may adopt, modify or repeal rules
12 or regulations to utilize, manage, conserve, preserve and protect
13 the flora, fauna, tidelands, coastal wetlands, coastal preserves,
14 marine waters and any other matter pertaining to marine resources
15 under its jurisdiction in accordance with the public policy
16 expressed in Section 29-15-3 (public trust tidelands), Section
17 39-7-3 (antiquities and historic preservation), Section 49-15-1
18 (seafood), Section 49-17-3 (pollution prevention), Section 49-27-3
19 (coastal wetlands protection) and Section 57-15-6 (coastal zone
20 management). The commission shall give due consideration to
21 permissible uses of the natural resources within its jurisdiction
22 when promulgating rules and regulations.

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

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

1 TO CREATE A NEW CODE SECTION 49-15-14, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF
2 1972, TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES TO

3 PROMULGATE REGULATIONS REGARDING MARINE RESOURCES IN ACCORDANCE
4 WITH PUBLIC POLICY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.