

By: Representative Martinson

To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 338

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE POSSESSION OR TRANSPORT OF FIREARMS
2 WITH ALTERED SERIAL NUMBERS; TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS;
3 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person knowingly to
6 transport, ship or receive any firearm which has had the
7 importer's or manufacturer's serial number removed, obliterated or
8 altered, or to possess or receive any firearm which has had the
9 importer's or manufacturer's serial number removed, obliterated or
10 altered and has, at any time, been shipped or transported in
11 interstate or foreign commerce. Any person who violates this
12 section shall, upon conviction, be punished by a fine of not more
13 than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or by imprisonment in the
14 county jail not exceeding one (1) year, or both.

15 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
16 and after July 1, 2001.

