

By: Senator(s) Minor

To: Universities and
Colleges; Finance

SENATE BILL NO. 2824

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 7-1-355, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
2 DESIGNATE THE MISSISSIPPI DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY AS THE SOLE
3 ADMINISTRATOR OF ALL PROGRAMS FOR WHICH THE STATE IS THE PRIME
4 SPONSOR UNDER THE FEDERAL WORKFORCE TRAINING ACT; AND FOR RELATED
5 PURPOSES.

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

7 SECTION 1. Section 7-1-355, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
8 amended as follows:

9 7-1-355. The Mississippi Development Authority is hereby
10 designated as the sole administrator of all programs for which the
11 state is the prime sponsor under the federal Workforce Investment
12 Act, or its successor, and the regulations promulgated thereunder,
13 and is hereby authorized to take all necessary action to secure to
14 this state the benefits of such legislation. The Mississippi
15 Development Authority is empowered to receive and disburse funds
16 for such programs which become available to it from any source.

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