

By: Senator(s) Carmichael (By Request)

To: Fees, Salaries and
Administration;
Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 2828

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 25-3-40, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
2 REQUIRE REALIGNMENT FOR CERTAIN EMERGENCY WORKERS WHO COMPLETE
3 SUCCESSFULLY THEIR REQUIRED TRAINING; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 25-3-40, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
6 amended as follows:

7 25-3-40. On July 1, 1978, and each year thereafter, the
8 Mississippi Compensation Plan shall be amended to provide salary
9 increases in such amounts and percentages as might be recommended
10 by the Legislative Budget Office and as may be authorized by funds
11 appropriated by the Legislature for the purpose of granting
12 incentive salary increases as deemed possible dependent upon the
13 availability of general and special funds. The Mississippi
14 Compensation Plan shall be amended to provide realignment for
15 those fire fighters employed by the Mississippi Military
16 Department who completed successfully the 1994 Air Force
17 Instruction (AFI) 32-2001 requirements for training. The State
18 Personnel Board shall coordinate the realignment or increase in
19 salaries and benefits with those established by the Air National
20 Guard for persons completing such training.

21 It is hereby declared to be the intent of the Mississippi
22 Legislature to implement the minimum wage as enacted by statutory
23 law of the United States Congress subject to funds being available
24 for that purpose. It is the intent and purpose of this section to
25 maximize annual salary increases consistent with the availability
26 of funds as might be determined by the Mississippi Legislature at

27 its regular annual session and that all salary increases hereafter
28 be made consistent with the provisions of this section.

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