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To: Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 3124
(As Sent to Governor)

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUPPORT OF THE MISSISSIPPI
2 BUREAU OF NARCOTICS OF THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY
3 FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2002.

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

5 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
6 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
7 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for payment of the
8 expenses of the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics of the Mississippi
9 Department of Public Safety, created by Section 41-29-101 et seq.,
10 Mississippi Code of 1972, for the fiscal year beginning
11 July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2002..... \$ 10,466,164.00.

12 SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
13 necessary, is hereby authorized for expenditure out of any money
14 in the special fund in the State Treasury to the credit of the
15 Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics of the Mississippi Department of
16 Public Safety which is comprised of special source funds collected
17 by or otherwise available to the agency, for the support and
18 maintenance of the agency for the fiscal year beginning
19 July 1, 2001, and ending June 30, 2002..... \$ 1,342,765.00.

20 SECTION 3. Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
21 Sections 1 and 2, not more than the amounts set forth below shall
22 be expended for the respective major objects or purposes of
23 expenditure:

24 MAJOR OBJECTS OF EXPENDITURE:

25 Personal Services:

26 Salaries, Wages and Fringe Benefits.. \$ 9,081,312.00
27 Travel and Subsistence..... 254,337.00

28	Contractual Services.....	1,375,323.00
29	Commodities.....	815,460.00
30	Capital Outlay:	
31	Other Than Equipment.....	0.00
32	Equipment.....	280,057.00
33	Subsidies, Loans and Grants.....	<u>2,440.00</u>
34	Total.....	\$ 11,808,929.00
35	FUNDING:	
36	General Funds.....	\$ 10,466,164.00
37	Special Funds.....	<u>1,342,765.00</u>
38	Total.....	\$ 11,808,929.00

39 AUTHORIZED POSITIONS:

40	Permanent: Full Time.....	236
41	Part Time.....	2
42	Time-Limited: Full Time.....	3
43	Part Time.....	0

44 With the funds herein appropriated, it is the intention of
45 the Legislature that it shall be the agency's responsibility to
46 make certain that funds required to be appropriated for "Personal
47 Services" for Fiscal Year 2003 do not exceed Fiscal Year 2002
48 funds appropriated for that purpose, unless programs or positions
49 are added to the agency's Fiscal Year 2003 budget by the
50 Mississippi Legislature. Based on data provided by the
51 Legislative Budget Office, the State Personnel Board shall
52 determine and publish the projected annual cost to fully fund all
53 appropriated positions in compliance with the provisions of this
54 act. It shall be the responsibility of the agency head to insure
55 that no single personnel action increases this projected annual
56 cost and/or the Fiscal Year 2002 appropriation for "Personal
57 Services" when annualized. If, at the end of any calendar month,
58 the State Personnel Board determines that the agency has taken
59 action(s) which would cause the agency to exceed this projected
60 annual cost or the Fiscal Year 2002 "Personal Services"

61 appropriated level, when annualized, then only those actions which
62 reduce the projected annual cost and/or the appropriation
63 requirement will be processed by the State Personnel Board until
64 such time as the requirements of this provision are met.

65 Any transfers or escalations shall be made in accordance with
66 the terms, conditions, and procedures established by law.

67 No general funds authorized to be expended herein shall be
68 used to replace federal funds and/or other special funds which are
69 being used for salaries authorized under the provisions of this
70 act and which are withdrawn and no longer available.

71 SECTION 4. In compliance with the "Mississippi Performance
72 Budget and Strategic Planning Act of 1994," it is the intent of
73 the Legislature that the funds provided herein shall be utilized
74 in the most efficient and effective manner possible to achieve the
75 intended mission of this agency. Based on the funding authorized,
76 this agency shall make every effort to attain the targeted
77 performance measures provided below:

	<u>FY2002</u>
<u>Performance Measures</u>	<u>Target</u>
80 Drug Enforcement	
81 Arrests Made (Persons)	2,450
82 Number of Prosecutions (Actions)	2,100
83 Organizations Disrupted/Dismantled (Actions)	10

84 A reporting of the degree to which the performance targets
85 set above have been or are being achieved shall be provided in the
86 agency's budget request submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget
87 Committee for Fiscal Year 2003.

88 SECTION 5. Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
89 Section 2, funds are included to defray the costs of clothing for
90 sworn law enforcement officers in an amount not to exceed One
91 Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) annually per officer.

92 SECTION 6. The Director of the Bureau of Narcotics shall
93 have the authority to transfer any funds between any major objects

94 of expenditure, including but not limited to Salaries, Wages, and
95 Fringe Benefits, up to five percent (5%).

96 SECTION 7. No funds appropriated herein shall be used for
97 the purpose of hiring new agents during Fiscal Year 2002; however,
98 funds may be used to employ Mississippi Highway Patrol officers,
99 former officers of the Mississippi Bureau of Narcotics or any law
100 enforcement officer as an agent that has successfully completed
101 training through a certified law enforcement training academy
102 prior to July 1, 2001.

103 SECTION 8. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by the
104 State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
105 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
106 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
107 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
108 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.

109 SECTION 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from
110 and after July 1, 2001.