

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

MADAM PRESIDENT AND MR. SPEAKER:

We, the undersigned conferees, have had under consideration the amendments to the following entitled BILL:

S. B. No. 3075: Appropriation; Attorney General-Judgements & Settlements; Addl. FY2001.

We, therefore, respectfully submit the following report and recommendation:

1. That the House recede from its Amendment No. 1.

2. That the Senate and House adopt the following amendment:

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

8 SECTION 1. In addition to all other sums heretofore
9 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
10 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
11 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for
12 the purpose of defraying the expenses of the Office of the
13 Attorney General for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 149,535.00.

14 This additional appropriation is made for the purposes of
15 defraying the costs of certain outside legal assistance and

16 expert witness fees incurred by the Office of the Attorney
17 General.

18 SECTION 2. In addition to all other sums heretofore
19 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
20 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
21 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for
22 the purpose of paying a judgment rendered against the State of
23 Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 11,752.00.

24 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
25 paying a court ordered judgment as required in Civil Action No.
26 3:98-CV-516(B)(N); Steven T. Kean, Randy H. Russell, Gene
27 Saucier, W. L. Rayburn, Initiative and Referendum Institute,
28 Inc., Americans for Sound Public Policy, Inc., and Mississippi
29 Citizens for Legislative Term Limits, Inc. v. Eric Clark,
30 Mississippi Secretary of State, Mike Moore, Mississippi Attorney
31 General, and the State of Mississippi, in the United States
32 District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi.

33 SECTION 3. In addition to all other sums heretofore
34 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
35 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
36 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for
37 the purpose of paying a judgment rendered against the State of

38 Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 58,296.00.

39 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
40 paying a court ordered judgment as required in Civil Action No.
41 3:99-CV-737(B)(N); Casket Royale, Inc. v. State of Mississippi
42 and the Mississippi State Board of Funeral Services, in the
43 United States District Court for the Southern District of
44 Mississippi.

45 SECTION 4. In addition to all other sums heretofore
46 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
47 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
48 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for
49 the purpose of paying a judgment rendered against the State of
50 Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 1,588.00.

51 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
52 paying a court ordered judgment as required in Civil Action No.
53 4:99-CV-33(L)(N); Patricia Thompson v. East Mississippi State
54 Hospital, in the United States District Court for the Southern
55 District of Mississippi.

56 SECTION 5. In addition to all other sums heretofore
57 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
58 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
59 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for

60 the purpose of paying a judgment rendered against the State of
61 Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 59,684.00.

62 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
63 paying a court ordered judgment as required in Civil Action No.
64 3:77CV47B, American Civil Liberties Union of Mississippi, et al.,
65 vs. Ronnie Musgrove, et al., in the United States District Court
66 for the Southern District of Mississippi.

67 SECTION 6. In addition to all other sums heretofore
68 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
69 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the
70 Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not otherwise appropriated, for
71 the purpose of paying a settlement against the State of
72 Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 2,500.00.

73 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
74 paying a settlement in Civil Action No. 1:98CV252-D-D; Gary O.
75 Hatten v. George Brown, in the United States District Court for
76 the Northern District of Mississippi.

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SECTION 7. In addition to all other sums heretofore appropriated, the
9 following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby
10 appropriated out of any money in the Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not
11 otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying a settlement against the
12 State of Mississippi for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2001\$ 25,000.00.

13 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of paying a
14 settlement in Cause No. 94-1137; Joanne Correro vs. The State of
15 Mississippi, Vocational Rehabilitation for the Blind, Business Enterprise
16 Program, by and through the Department of Human Services, et al, in the
17 Circuit Court of Leflore County,

18 Mississippi.

19 SECTION 8. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after
20 its passage.

CONFEREES FOR THE SENATE

CONFEREES FOR THE HOUSE

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Jack Gordon

Charlie Capps, Jr.

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Ron Farris

John Read

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