Adopted AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

Senate Bill NO. 2258

By Representative(s) Committee

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

- 10 SECTION 1. Section 21-35-27, Mississippi Code of 1972, is 11 amended as follows: 21-35-27. No board of governing authorities of any 12 municipality shall expend from, or contract an obligation, against 13 14 the budget made and published by it during the last year of the 15 term of office of such governing authorities, between the first day of April and the first Monday of the following July, a sum 16 17 exceeding one-fourth (1/4) of any item of the budget made and 18 published by it, except in cases of emergency provided for in 19 Section 21-35-19. The city clerk of any municipality is hereby prohibited from issuing any warrant contrary to the provisions of 20 21 this section.
- The provisions of this section shall not apply to a contract,
- 23 <u>lease or lease-purchase contract entered into pursuant to Section</u>
- 24 31-7-13.
- 25 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 26 and after passage.

Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 27-104-25, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO PROVIDE THAT THE LIMITATION OF ONE YEAR FOR THE PRESENTATION OF A CLAIM FOR PAYMENT DOES NOT APPLY TO CLAIMS BETWEEN STATE AGENCIES; TO AMEND SECTION 21-35-27, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO PROVIDE THAT BUDGET LIMITATIONS ON MUNICIPAL GOVERNING BOARDS IN THE LAST YEAR OF THE TERM OF OFFICE SHALL NOT APPLY TO A CONTRACT, LEASE OR LEASE-PURCHASE ENTERED INTO UNDER THE PUBLIC BID LAW; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.