

**\*\*\*Adopted\*\*\***

**AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO**

**House Bill NO. 451**

**By Senator(s) Committee**

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

SECTION 1. Section 51-35-305, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
amended as follows:

51-35-305. (1) Flood and drainage control districts may now  
or hereafter be organized in this state under the provisions of  
this article, in the manner hereinafter provided, whenever any  
part of such district lies wholly or partially in or adjacent to  
any part of a municipality having a population of ten thousand  
(10,000) or more inhabitants at the time of the filing of the  
petition to create such district. For the purposes of determining  
population of any municipality, the last completed census prior to  
the filing of such petition shall be presumed to be the population  
of such municipality at the time of the filing of such petition.  
Each flood and drainage control district shall be an agency of the  
state and a body politic and corporate, and may be composed of one  
or more entire municipalities or a part or parts thereof, one or  
more entire counties or a part or parts thereof, or any  
combination of counties and municipalities or a part or parts

22    thereof.

23           (2)   This section shall stand repealed on July 2, 2001.

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

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

1           AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 51-35-305, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,  
2   TO EXTEND THE DATE OF REPEAL ONE DAY ON THE AUTHORITY TO ORGANIZE  
3   FLOOD AND DRAINAGE CONTROL DISTRICTS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.