Adopted AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 947

By Senator(s) Committee

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 63-1-13, Mississippi Code of 1972, is amended as follows: 6 7 63-1-13. The commissioner is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a Director of the Driver Services Division who is a 8 9 qualified elector of the State of Mississippi. Such director 10 shall execute and furnish a bond in the amount of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) with a surety company authorized to do 11 12 business in this state. The bond shall be conditioned on the faithful performance of his duties and be subject to the approval 13 of the commissioner. The director shall have control and 14 supervision of the Driver Services Division and shall be 15 16 answerable to the commissioner in the performance of his duties. 17 The commissioner shall employ such other technical, professional and clerical assistants as may be needed to conduct 18 19 the work of the division. The commissioner is also authorized to employ a Director of the Driver License Examining Bureau * * * and 20 the necessary supervising examiners to assist the Director of the 21

- 22 Driver License Examining Bureau in the supervision of the license
- 23 personnel. The commissioner is also authorized to employ the
- 24 necessary additional personnel, not to exceed ninety (90) in
- 25 number, designated as "license examiners." The commissioner shall
- 26 not adopt or enforce any policy or any rule or regulation which
- 27 prohibits any Highway Patrol officer from being employed and
- 28 serving in any position in the Driver License Examining Bureau.
- 29 The commissioner shall employ such other technical, professional
- 30 and clerical assistants as may be needed to conduct the work of
- 31 the bureau.
- 32 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 33 and after July 1, 2001.

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

- AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 63-1-13, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
- 2 REVISE THE QUALIFICATIONS FOR THE DIRECTOR OF THE DRIVER LICENSE
- 3 EXAMINING BUREAU; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.