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AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

Senate Bill NO. 2001

**By Senator(s) Blackmon, Frazier, Harden, Horhn,
Jackson, Johnson(38), Jordan, Walls**

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

SECTION 1. Section 23-15-1037, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
amended as follows:

23-15-1037. (1) The State of Mississippi is hereby divided
into four (4) congressional districts as follows:

FIRST DISTRICT. The First Congressional District shall be
composed of the following counties and portions of counties:
Alcorn, Benton, Calhoun, Choctaw, DeSoto, Itawamba, Lafayette,
Lee, Pontotoc, Prentiss, Rankin, Tippah, Tishomingo, Union,
Webster; in Attala County the precincts of McCool, Liberty Chapel,
Berea, Carmack, Hesterville, Possumneck, North Central, Thompson,
Zama, Providence, East and Ethel; in Hinds County Precincts 8, 9,
14, 15, 17, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 44, 45, 46 and 78; in Leake County
the precincts of Edinburg, East Carthage, Sunrise, Renfro, South
Carthage, Good Hope, Lena, Freeny, Ebenezer, Walnut Grove, Salem
and Madden; in Lowndes County the precincts of Caledonia, Steens
A, Co-op A, Steens C and Lee High; in Madison County the precincts
of Trace Harbor, Main Harbor, Victory Baptist Church, Madison 1,
Madison 2, Madison 3, Ridgeland 3, Ridgeland 4, Ridgeland First
Methodist Church, Gluckstadt, Ridgeland 1, Ridgeland Tennis

Center, Highland Colony Baptist Church and Whispering Lake; in
Marshall County the precincts of Early Grove, Hudsonville,
Slayden, Mt. Pleasant, North Cayce, Byhalia, Cayce, Barton,
Warsaw, Potts Camp, Cornersville, Bethlehem and Waterford; in
Monroe County the precincts of Oak Hill, Smithville, Williams,
Parham, Hatley, Brooks, Amory 1, Bigbee 1, Boyds, Pickles,
Greenwood Springs, Quincy, Becker, Amory 2, Gattman, Bartahatchie,
Grubb Springs, Hamilton, Lackey, Athens, Darracott and Strong; in
Scott County the precincts of Homewood, East-West Morton,
Northwest Forest, Pulaski, Springfield, Cooperville, Clifton,
Beach, North Morton, Liberty and Ludlow; and in Yalobusha County
the precincts of North, Sylva Rena and Northwest.

SECOND DISTRICT. The Second Congressional District shall be
composed of the following counties and portions of counties:
Bolivar, Carroll, Claiborne, Coahoma, Grenada, Holmes, Humphreys,
Issaquena, Jefferson, Leflore, Montgomery, Panola, Quitman,
Sharkey, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, Tate, Tunica, Warren,
Washington, Yazoo; that portion of Attala County not included in
the First Congressional District; in Hinds County Precincts 1, 2,
4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26,
27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 47, 50, 51, 52,
53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 66, 67, 68, 69,
70, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87 and 88, and the precincts
of Bolton, Edwards, Pinehaven, Brownsville, Cayuga, Cynthia,
Pocahontas, St. Thomas, Tinnin, Utica 1, Clinton 3, Raymond 1,
Learned, Jackson State and Utica 2; that portion of Leake County
not included in the First Congressional District; that portion of
Madison County not included in the First Congressional District;
that portion of Marshall County not included in the First
Congressional District; and that portion of Yalobusha County not
included in the First Congressional District.

THIRD DISTRICT. The Third Congressional District shall be
composed of the following counties and portions of counties:
Adams, Amite, Chickasaw, Clay, Copiah, Covington, Franklin,
Jasper, Jefferson Davis, Kemper, Lawrence, Lincoln, Marion,

Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, Oktibbeha, Pike, Simpson, Smith, Walthall, Wilkinson, Winston; that portion of Hinds County not included in the First Congressional District or the Second Congressional District; in Jones County the precincts of Lamar School, Bruce, Centerville, Laurel Courthouse, Pleasant Ridge, Cameron Center, Anthonys Florist, Blackwell, County Barn, Ellisville Court House, Moselle, Pinegrove, Rainey, Sandhill, Shelton, South Jones, Union, Cooks Avenue Community Center, National Guard Armory, Nora Davis School, Roosevelt, Oak Park School, Pendorf, Maple Street YWCA, Old Health Department and Currie; in Lauderdale County Precincts of 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14 and 15, and the precincts of Sageville and Meehan; that portion of Lowndes County not included in the First Congressional District; that portion of Monroe County not included in the First Congressional District; and that portion of Scott County not included in the First Congressional District.

FOURTH DISTRICT. The Fourth Congressional District shall be composed of the following counties and portions of counties:
Clarke, Forrest, George, Greene, Hancock, Harrison, Jackson, Lamar, Pearl River, Perry, Stone, Wayne; that portion of Jones County not included in the Third Congressional District; and that portion of Lauderdale County not included in the Third Congressional District.

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(2) The boundaries of the congressional districts described in subsection (1) of this section shall be the boundaries of the counties along such congressional district boundaries as the boundaries of such counties existed on October 1, 2001, and the precinct boundaries along such congressional district boundaries as such precinct boundaries are contained in Census 2000 redistricting maps (Public Law 94-171) TIGER line file.

SECTION 2. The Chairman of the Standing Joint Congressional Redistricting Committee, with the assistance of counsel employed by the Standing Joint Congressional Redistricting Committee, shall submit this act, immediately upon approval by the Governor or

94 approval by the Legislature subsequent to a veto, either to the
95 Attorney General of the United States or to the United States
96 District Court of the District of Columbia, or both, in accordance
97 with the provisions of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended
98 and extended.

99 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
100 and after the date it is effectuated under Section 5 of the Voting
101 Rights Act of 1965, as amended and extended.

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

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 23-15-1037, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO REAPPORTION THE CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICTS OF MISSISSIPPI; AND FOR
3 RELATED PURPOSES.