

By: Representatives Rotenberry, Weathersby

To: Transportation

HOUSE BILL NO. 793
(As Sent to Governor)

1 AN ACT TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN SEGMENTS OF HIGHWAY IN SIMPSON,
2 COAHOMA, DESOTO, CARROLL, KEMPER, BOLIVAR, SUNFLOWER, JEFFERSON
3 DAVIS AND RANKIN COUNTIES AS STATE HIGHWAYS AND TO PLACE SUCH
4 SEGMENTS UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE MISSISSIPPI TRANSPORTATION
5 COMMISSION FOR MAINTENANCE; TO EXTEND A SEGMENT OF MISSISSIPPI 30
6 IN THE CITY OF NEW ALBANY AND TO PLACE SUCH SEGMENT OF HIGHWAY
7 UNDER THE JURISDICTION OF THE MISSISSIPPI TRANSPORTATION
8 COMMISSION FOR CONSTRUCTION AND MAINTENANCE; AND FOR RELATED
9 PURPOSES.

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

11 **SECTION 1.** (1) The following segments of highway are
12 designated as state highways and placed under the jurisdiction of
13 the Mississippi Transportation Commission for construction and
14 maintenance; and such highways, together with the highways
15 designated in Section 65-3-3 and all other laws adding links to
16 the designated state highway system are declared to be the state
17 highway system of Mississippi:

18 Southern District - Simpson County:

19 Mississippi Highway 469 beginning at Harrisville near
20 the old school building, Section 34, Township 2 North,
21 Range 2 East, 7.2 miles north of its intersection with
22 Mississippi Highway 28 at Union, thence .46 miles
23 through Harrisville and ending at the beginning of state
24 maintenance of Mississippi Highway 469 in Section 27,
25 Township 2 North, Range 2 East.

26 Southern District - Simpson County:

27 Mississippi Highway 540 beginning at its intersection
28 with Mississippi Highway 541 and extending easterly for
29 a distance of 1077.75 feet.



30 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
31 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
32 the highway segments described under subsection (1) of this
33 section whenever such highway segments have been brought up to
34 commission standards.

35 **SECTION 2.** (1) The following highway is designated as a
36 state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
37 Transportation Commission; and such highway, together with the
38 highways designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding
39 links to the designated state highway system, are declared to be
40 the state highway system of Mississippi:

41 Northern District - Coahoma County:

42 That segment of highway beginning six-tenths (.6) of a
43 mile east of the termination of state maintenance of
44 Mississippi Highway 316 and extending northwesterly to
45 its intersection with U.S. Highway 49 and U.S. Highway
46 61, and that segment of highway extending westerly from
47 its intersection with U.S. Highway 49 and U.S. Highway
48 61 to its intersection with the eastern city limits of
49 Friars Point, Mississippi.

50 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
51 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
52 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
53 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
54 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
55 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
56 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

57 **SECTION 3.** (1) The following highway is designated as a
58 state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
59 Transportation Commission; and such highway, together with the
60 highways designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding
61 links to the designated state highway system, are declared to be
62 the state highway system of Mississippi:



63 Northern District - DeSoto County:

64 That segment of road beginning at the intersection of
65 Mississippi 301 and Mississippi 304 and extending southerly
66 to Arkabutla Dam.

67 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
68 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
69 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
70 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
71 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
72 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
73 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

74 **SECTION 4.** (1) The following highway is designated as a
75 state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
76 Transportation Commission; and such highway, together with the
77 highways designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding
78 links to the designated state highway system, are declared to be
79 the state highway system of Mississippi:

80 Northern District - Carroll County:

81 Old Mississippi Highway 430 from the Leflore/Carroll
82 County line southeasterly to its intersection with
83 Mississippi Highway 17, a distance of approximately thirteen
84 (13) miles.

85 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
86 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
87 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
88 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
89 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
90 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
91 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

92 **SECTION 5.** (1) The following highway is designated as a
93 state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
94 Transportation Commission; and such highway, together with the
95 highways designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding



96 links to the designated state highway system, are declared to be
97 the state highway system of Mississippi:

98 Central District - Kemper County:

99 That portion of Old Highway 463 from Mississippi
100 Highway 16 northerly to Mississippi Highway 397.

101 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
102 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
103 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
104 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
105 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
106 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
107 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

108 **SECTION 6.** (1) The following highway is designated as a
109 state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
110 Transportation Commission; and such highway, together with the
111 highways designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding
112 links to the designated state highway system, are declared to be
113 the state highway system of Mississippi:

114 Central District - Bolivar and Sunflower Counties:

115 A roadway segment beginning at or near Shelby and
116 extending easterly to at or near Parchman.

117 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
118 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
119 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
120 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
121 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
122 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
123 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

124 **SECTION 7.** (1) The following segment of highway is
125 designated as a state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of
126 the Mississippi Transportation Commission for construction and
127 maintenance; and such highway, together with the highways
128 designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding links to



129 the designated state highway system, are declared to be the state
130 highway system of Mississippi:

131 Southern District - Jefferson Davis County:

132 That portion of Mississippi 42 within the corporate
133 limits of the Town of Prentiss beginning at the end of
134 state maintenance on Mississippi 42 at its intersection
135 with an old abandoned railway and proceeding in a
136 northeasterly direction along Columbia Avenue
137 (Mississippi 42) for approximately seven hundred (700)
138 feet to the intersection of Columbia Avenue (Mississippi
139 42) and Third Street.

140 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
141 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
142 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
143 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of
144 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
145 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
146 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

147 **SECTION 8.** (1) The following segment of highway is
148 designated as a state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of
149 the Mississippi Transportation Commission for construction and
150 maintenance; and such highway, together with the highways
151 designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding links to
152 the designated state highway system, are declared to be the state
153 highway system of Mississippi:

154 Central District - Rankin County:

155 A three-mile section of Old U.S. 49 beginning at U.S. 80
156 and extending southerly to new U.S. 49 in the City of
157 Richland.

158 (2) The Mississippi Transportation Commission shall take
159 over and assume responsibility for construction and maintenance of
160 the segment of highway described under subsection (1) of this
161 section whenever the commission certifies that such segment of



162 highway has been brought up to commission standards and all
163 utilities, signs, structures and other encroachments on such
164 highway and right-of-way, are removed or relocated.

165 **SECTION 9.** The following segment of highway is designated as
166 a state highway and placed under the jurisdiction of the
167 Mississippi Transportation Commission for construction and
168 maintenance; and such highway, together with the highways
169 designated in Section 65-3-3, and all other laws adding links to
170 the designated state highway system, are declared to be the state
171 highway system of Mississippi:

172 Northern District - Union County:

173 An extension of Mississippi 30 in the City of New Albany
174 beginning at its intersection with Mississippi 178 and
175 extending east and northerly to its intersection with Sam
176 T. Barkley Road.

177 **SECTION 10.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
178 and after July 1, 2002.

