

By: Representative Wells-Smith

To: Education

HOUSE BILL NO. 888

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT ANY PROGRAM OR CURRICULUM IN THE
2 PUBLIC SCHOOLS OF MISSISSIPPI THAT INCLUDES THE TEACHING OF
3 EVOLUTION SHALL INDICATE THAT EVOLUTION IS ONLY A THEORY; AND FOR
4 RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Any program or curriculum in the public schools
7 of Mississippi that includes the teaching of evolution shall
8 indicate that evolution is only a theory.

9 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
10 and after July 1, 2002.

