

By: Representative Banks

To: Transportation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1024

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 63-1-5, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
2 PROHIBIT PERSONS UNDER THE AGE OF 18 FROM DRIVING BETWEEN THE
3 HOURS OF 1:00 A.M. AND 6:00 A.M.; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 63-1-5, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
6 amended as follows:

7 63-1-5. (1) No person shall drive or operate a motor
8 vehicle other than a motorcycle upon the highways of the State of
9 Mississippi without first securing an operator's license to drive
10 on the highways of the state, except those persons especially
11 exempted by Section 63-1-7.

12 (2) No person under the age of eighteen (18) years shall
13 drive between the hours of 1:00 a.m. and 6:00 a.m. Any person who
14 violates this subsection shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon
15 conviction shall be fined not more than One Thousand Dollars
16 (\$1,000.00).

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

