HOUSE BILL NO. 1668

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 59-11-3, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
ESTABLISH THE PER DIEM COMPENSATION FOR MEMBERS OF COUNTY PORT AND
HARBOR COMMISSIONS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. Section 59-11-3, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
amended as follows:

59-11-3. (1) Any county port and harbor commission * * *
created pursuant to Section 59-11-1 shall be appointed as follows:
two (2) members shall be appointed by the Governor, one (1) from
each of the two (2) municipalities of the county, * * * which
appointments shall be made from those persons recommended and
nominated by the governing authorities of the municipalities, and
shall be qualified electors of the county; and five (5) members
shall be appointed by the board of supervisors of such county,
each supervisor to recommend the appointment of one (1) member
thereof. The members of the county port and harbor commission
shall serve for terms concurrent with that of the Governor and the
board of supervisors making such appointment.

(2) Each member of the county port and harbor commission
shall receive per diem compensation in the amount of Fifty-five
Dollars ($55.00) for each day engaged in attendance of meetings of
the county port and harbor commission and shall be reimbursed for
mileage and actual travel expenses at the rate authorized for
county employees under Section 25-3-41.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
and after October 1, 2002.