By: Senator(s) Huggins

To: Public Health and

Welfare

SENATE BILL NO. 2418

- AN ACT TO CODIFY SECTION 73-6-26, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
- 2 TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR ANY PERSON TO CLAIM THEY PERFORM
- 3 CHIROPRACTIC OR ADJUSTMENTS/MANIPULATION TO THE ARTICULATIONS OF
- 4 THE HUMAN BODY WITHOUT A VALID LICENSE TO PRACTICE CHIROPRACTIC,
- 5 OSTEOPATHY OR MEDICINE; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 7 **SECTION 1.** The following shall be codified as Section
- 8 73-6-26, Mississippi Code of 1972:
- 9 <u>73-6-26.</u> It shall be unlawful for any person, corporation or
- 10 association to, in any manner, make claim, verbally, in writing,
- 11 or by way of advertising, that they perform chiropractic or
- 12 chiropractic-like adjustments/manipulation to the articulations of
- 13 the human body unless they hold a valid license to practice
- 14 chiropractic (D.C.), osteopathy (D.O.) or medicine (M.D.) in the
- 15 State of Mississippi.
- 16 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 17 and after July 1, 2002.