

By: Senator(s) Gordon

To: Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 3096  
(As Sent to Governor)

1 AN ACT MAKING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF SPECIAL FUNDS TO  
2 THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAYING  
3 THE COSTS OF CERTAIN EXPERT WITNESS FEES, ATTORNEY FEES, JUDGMENTS  
4 AND SETTLEMENT AGREEMENTS INCURRED BY THE OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY  
5 GENERAL AND AGAINST THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, FOR FISCAL YEAR  
6 2002.

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

8 **SECTION 1.** In addition to all other sums heretofore  
9 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
10 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State  
11 Treasury to the credit of the Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not  
12 otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of defraying the expenses  
13 of the Office of the Attorney General for the fiscal year ending  
14 June 30, 2002 ..... \$ 112,171.00.

15 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of  
16 defraying the costs of certain outside legal assistance and court  
17 fees incurred by the Office of the Attorney General.

18 **SECTION 2.** In addition to all other sums heretofore  
19 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
20 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State  
21 Treasury to the credit of the Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not  
22 otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying a judgment  
23 rendered against the State of Mississippi for the fiscal year  
24 ending June 30, 2002 ..... \$ 124,195.00.

25 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of  
26 paying a court ordered judgment as required in Civil Action No.  
27 3:99CV215(L)(N); Keith Brown vs. Frazier Bolton, in his individual  
28 capacity, and Dr. James E. Lyons, President of Jackson State  
29 University, in his official capacity, in the United States



30 District Court for the Southern District of Mississippi Jackson  
31 Division.

32         **SECTION 3.** In addition to all other sums heretofore  
33 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
34 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State  
35 Treasury to the credit of the Criminal Justice Fund No. 3086 not  
36 otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying a settlement  
37 against the State of Mississippi for the fiscal year ending  
38 June 30, 2002..... \$           20,000.00.

39         This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of  
40 paying a settlement in Civil Action No. 3:00cv908(W)(S); Karen  
41 Arnold vs. State Fire Academy, in the United States District Court  
42 for the Southern District of Mississippi Jackson Division.

43         **SECTION 4.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by  
44 the State Treasurer out of any money in the proper fund or funds  
45 as set forth in this act, upon warrants issued by the State Fiscal  
46 Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his warrants  
47 upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or officers  
48 in the manner provided by law.

49         **SECTION 5.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
50 and after its passage.

