SENATE BILL NO. 3209

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE GOVERNING AUTHORITIES OF THE CITY OF
MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI, TO ENTER INTO CONTRACTS AND AGREEMENTS FOR
A TERM NOT TO EXCEED 35 YEARS FOR THE SALE OF TREATED EFFLUENT
WATER FROM THE CITY’S WASTEWATER TREATMENT FACILITIES, TO
PRESCRIBE RATES AT WHICH TREATED EFFLUENT WATER SHALL BE SOLD, AND
TO DEVELOP, DESIGN AND CONSTRUCT WATER WORK FACILITIES TO
TRANSPORT TREATED EFFLUENT WATER WITHIN OR OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE
LIMITS OF THE CITY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. The governing authorities of the City of
Meridian, Mississippi, are authorized and empowered, in their
discretion, by resolution duly adopted and entered on their
minutes, to:

(a) Enter into contracts and agreements for a term of
not to exceed thirty-five (35) years for the sale of treated
effluent water from the City of Meridian’s wastewater treatment
facilities;

(b) Prescribe rates at which treated effluent water
shall be sold; and

(c) Develop, design and construct the facilities
necessary to transport the treated effluent water within or
outside the corporate limits of the City of Meridian.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
and after its passage.