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AMENDMENT No. 1 TO AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 1798

**By Senator(s) Blackmon, Horhn, Jackson,
Johnson(38), Simmons, Walls**

1 **AMEND** by inserting the following after line 78 and
2 **renumbering subsequent sections:**

3 **SECTION *.** Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
4 Sections 1 and 2, the Mississippi Arts Commission shall transfer
5 to the Department of Finance and Administration whatever sums as
6 are determined necessary by the State Fiscal Officer, not to
7 exceed Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars (\$250,000.00), to pay
8 and defray the expenses associated with providing access to and
9 the use of state agencies, employees, resources and materials by
10 individual members of the Mississippi Legislature and the public
11 incurred in their drafting of legislative redistricting proposals,
12 whether for the purpose of introducing legislation, amendments or
13 proposed redistricting maps as an alternative to any such
14 legislation proposed or introduced by the Joint Legislative
15 Committee on Reapportionment. It is the intention of the
16 Legislature that any such amounts authorized under this section
17 shall be available for expenditure in the period beginning upon
18 passage and ending on June 30, 2003.