AN ACT MAKING IT UNLAWFUL TO BROADCAST A TELEVISION
ADVERTISEMENT AT A VOLUME OF HIGHER DECIBEL LEVELS THAN THE LEVEL
OF THE TELEVISION PROGRAM PRECEDING THE ADVERTISEMENT; AND FOR
RELATED PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm or
corporation to broadcast in this state a television advertisement
at a volume of higher decibel levels than the level of the
television program preceding the advertisement. Any person, firm
or corporation that violates the provisions of this section shall
upon conviction be fined not more than Five Thousand Dollars
($5,000.00) or imprisoned in the county jail not more than six (6)
months, or both fine and imprisonment.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
and after July 1, 2003.