SENATE BILL NO. 2348  
(As Sent to Governor)

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE A DNA SAMPLE TO BE TAKEN FROM ALL
CONVICTED FELONS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. The Mississippi Department of Corrections is
authorized, subject to the availability of funds, to secure a
biological sample for purposes of DNA identification analysis from
every individual convicted of a felony or in its custody before
release from or transfer to a state correctional facility or
county jail or other detention facility.

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