

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

MADAM PRESIDENT AND MR. SPEAKER:

We, the undersigned conferees, have had under consideration the amendments to the following entitled BILL:

S. B. No. 2906: Appropriation; Department of Corrections; Additional FY 2003.

We, therefore, respectfully submit the following report and recommendation:

- 1. That the House recede from its Amendment No. 1.

- 2. That the Senate and House adopt the following amendment:

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

7 **SECTION 1.** In addition to all other sums heretofore
8 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be
9 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Budget
10 Contingency Fund created in Section 27-103-301, Mississippi Code
11 of 1972, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of defraying
12 the expenses of the Mississippi Department of Corrections for the
13 fiscal year ending June 30, 2003..... \$ 20,000,000.00.

14 This additional appropriation is made for the purpose of
15 preventing a deficit which would otherwise occur. The funds
16 appropriated under the provisions of this section shall be
17 allocated as follows:

18	Support.....	\$ 950,682.00
19	Medical Services.....	\$ 64,497.00
20	Regional Facilities.....	\$ 1,572,296.00
21	Local Confinement.....	<u>\$17,412,525.00</u>
22	TOTAL.....	\$20,000,000.00

23 **SECTION 2.** Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
24 Section 1 and allocated in Section 2, Two Million Eight Hundred
25 Ninety-eight Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-eight Dollars
26 (\$2,898,388.00) shall be used to pay the expenses of counties for
27 holding state prisoners in county jails during Fiscal Year 2002.

28 **SECTION 3.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by

29 the State Treasurer out of any money in the proper fund or funds
30 as set forth in this act, upon warrants issued by the State Fiscal
31 Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his warrants
32 upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or officers
33 in the manner provided by law.

34 **SECTION 4.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
35 and after its passage.

CONFEREES FOR THE SENATE

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Jack Gordon

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