

**\*\*\*Adopted\*\*\***

**AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO**

**Committee Sub. for HB NO. 1652**

**By Senator(s) Committee**

1           **AMEND BY STRIKING LINES 79 THROUGH 83 AND INSERT IN LIEU**

2           **THEREOF THE FOLLOWING:**

3           (3)   (a)   Contracts for the acquisition, purchase,  
4           construction, improvement, equipping, furnishing, leasing and/or  
5           selling of a project and improvements thereon as authorized in  
6           this act shall be entered into upon the basis of public bidding  
7           pursuant to Section 31-7-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972.

8                   (b)   The authority is further authorized, however, to  
9           acquire, purchase, construct, improve, lease and sell industrial  
10          buildings and land without the necessity of public bidding under  
11          Section 31-7-1 et seq., Mississippi Code of 1972. This paragraph  
12          (b) shall stand repealed from and after July 1, 2004.