

By: Representative Fleming

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 272

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT
2 OF TRANSPORTATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF PROVIDING FUNDS FOR THE
3 MISSISSIPPI HIGHWAY-RAILROAD GRADE CROSSING SAFETY ACCOUNT FOR THE
4 FISCAL YEAR 2005.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or so much of it as may be
7 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State General
8 Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Mississippi Department of
9 Transportation for the purpose of providing funds for the
10 Mississippi Highway-Railroad Grade Crossing Safety Account created
11 by Section 57-43-15, Mississippi Code of 1972, for the fiscal year
12 beginning July 1, 2004, and ending June 30, 2005... \$3,000,000.00.

13 **SECTION 2.** All monies appropriated by this act shall be used
14 in conjunction with a minimum of ten percent (10%) federal funds
15 on all highway-railroad grade crossings.

16 **SECTION 3.** The money appropriated by this act shall be paid
17 by the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General Fund
18 not otherwise appropriated, upon warrants issued by the State
19 Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his
20 warrants upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or
21 officers in the manner provided by law.

22 **SECTION 4.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
23 and after July 1, 2004.