

By: Representatives Blackmon, Watson

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1804

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEFRAYING  
2 THE EXPENSES OF THE MISSISSIPPI TORT CLAIMS BOARD IN ADMINISTERING  
3 THE MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURANCE AVAILABILITY PLAN; AND FOR  
4 RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State  
8 Treasury to the credit of the special fund created in Section 4 of  
9 House Bill No. 1569, 2004 Regular Session, for the purpose of  
10 defraying the expenses of the Mississippi Tort Claims Board in  
11 administering the Medical Malpractice Insurance Availability Plan  
12 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2004, and ending June 30,  
13 2005..... \$12,000,000.00.

14 SECTION 2. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by  
15 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the  
16 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon  
17 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal  
18 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the  
19 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.

20 SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from  
21 and after July 1, 2004.