MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE

By: Senator(s) Harden

To: Universities and Colleges; Appropriations

## SENATE BILL NO. 2266

1 AN ACT TO DIRECT THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF STATE INSTITUTIONS 2 OF HIGHER LEARNING AND THE STATE BOARD FOR COMMUNITY AND JUNIOR 3 COLLEGES TO ENTER INTO AN ARTICULATION AGREEMENT BETWEEN THE CHILD 4 DEVELOPMENT TECHNOLOGY DEGREE PROGRAM AT THE COMMUNITY COLLEGES 5 AND THE APPROPRIATE COLLEGE PROGRAM AT THE UNIVERSITIES; AND FOR 6 RELATED PURPOSES.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI: SECTION 1. The Board of Trustees of State Institutions of 8 Higher Learning and the State Board for Community and Junior 9 10 Colleges are hereby authorized and directed to enter into an articulation agreement providing for the transfer of appropriate 11 credits from the Child Development Technology Degree Program at 12 the various community colleges to the appropriate college program 13 at the various universities. The State Board for Community and 14 Junior Colleges and the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of 15 Higher Learning shall jointly develop a report on the articulation 16 17 agreement required under this section, and submit this report to the Committees on Education and Universities and Colleges of each 18 House of the Legislature, on or before December 1, 2004. 19

20 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from 21 and after July 1, 2004.