

By: Senator(s) Lee (47th)

To: Public Health and Welfare

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR
SENATE BILL NO. 2846

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 43-11-17, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH TO CONDUCT FULL INSPECTION OF
3 VETERANS' HOMES TWICE EACH YEAR; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 43-11-17, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
6 amended as follows:

7 43-11-17. (1) The licensing agency shall make or cause to
8 be made such inspections and investigations as it deems necessary.

9 (2) The Department of Health shall conduct a full inspection
10 of all veterans' homes twice each year to determine compliance
11 with all standards, including life safety code standards.

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