

By: Senator(s) Albritton, Lee (47th), Morgan To: Local and Private

SENATE BILL NO. 3144

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF PEARL RIVER  
2 COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO ESTABLISH ADDITIONAL COURTROOM FACILITIES  
3 FOR CRIMINAL PROCEEDINGS THAT DO NOT INVOLVE JURIES AT THE PEARL  
4 RIVER COUNTY JUSTICE CENTER AT MILLARD, MISSISSIPPI; AND FOR  
5 RELATED PURPOSES.

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

7 **SECTION 1.** The Board of Supervisors of Pearl River County,  
8 Mississippi, is authorized to establish additional courtroom  
9 facilities for criminal proceedings that do not involve juries and  
10 to permit the holding of court for such proceedings at the  
11 facility in the same manner as court is held for such proceedings  
12 at the county seat in Poplarville, Mississippi. The courtroom  
13 facilities shall be established in the county-owned building known  
14 as the Pearl River County Justice Center at Millard, Mississippi.  
15 The judges shall determine whether they will hold court at the  
16 facility.

17 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
18 and after its passage.