

REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE

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MR. SPEAKER AND MADAM PRESIDENT:

We, the undersigned conferees, have had under consideration the amendments to the following entitled BILL:

H. B. No. 1653: Appropriation; State Board of Registration for Foresters.

We, therefore, respectfully submit the following report and recommendation:

- 1. That the Senate recede from its Amendment No. 1.
- 2. That the House and Senate adopt the following amendment:

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

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 State Board of Registered Foresters
9 Fund, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the State Board
10 of Registration for Foresters for the fiscal year beginning
11 July 1, 2005, and ending June 30, 2006.....\$ 34,787.00.

12 **SECTION 2.** Of the funds provided herein, the sum of One
13 Thousand Four Hundred Eighty-seven Dollars (\$1,487.00) is hereby
14 assessed on any non-federal special funds and shall be deposited
15 to the Budget Contingency Fund created in Section 27-103-301,
16 Mississippi Code of 1972, on or before October 1, 2005, for the
17 purpose of reimbursing the State of Mississippi for administrative
18 costs.

19 **SECTION 3.** It is the intention of the Legislature that the
20 State Board of Registration for Foresters shall maintain complete
21 accounting and personnel records related to the expenditure of all
22 funds appropriated under this act and that such records shall be
23 in the same format and level of detail as maintained for Fiscal
24 Year 2005. It is further the intention of the Legislature that
25 the agency's budget request for Fiscal Year 2007 shall be
26 submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee in a format

27 and level of detail comparable to the format and level of detail
28 provided during the Fiscal Year 2006 budget request process.

29 **SECTION 4.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
30 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
31 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
32 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
33 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
34 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.

35 **SECTION 5.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
36 and after July 1, 2005.

CONFEREES FOR THE HOUSE

X (SIGNED)
Stringer

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Eaton

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CONFEREES FOR THE SENATE

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