## MADAM PRESIDENT AND MR. SPEAKER:

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

S. B. No. 3092: Appropriation; Prof. Counselors Licensing Bd.

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

1. That the House recede from its Amendment No. 1.

2. That the Senate and House adopt the following amendment:

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

5 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State 6 7 Treasury to the credit of the Mississippi Professional Counselor 8 Licensing Board, for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the board for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2005, and ending 9 June 30, 2006.....\$ 10 103,273.00. 11 Any transfers or escalations shall be made in accordance with 12 the terms, conditions, and procedures established by law.

No general funds authorized to be expended herein shall be used to replace federal funds and/or other special funds which are being used for salaries authorized under the provisions of this act and which are withdrawn and no longer available.

SECTION 2. Of the funds provided herein, the sum of Three Thousand Seven Hundred Forty-five Dollars (\$3,745.00) is hereby assessed on any non-federal special funds and shall be deposited to the Budget Contingency Fund created in Section 27-103-301, Mississippi Code of 1972, on or before October 1, 2005, for the purpose of reimbursing the State of Mississippi for administrative costs.

SECTION 3. It is the intention of the Legislature that the Professional Counselors Licensing Board shall maintain complete accounting and personnel records related to the expenditure of all

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34 SECTION 4. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the 35 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon 36 37 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the 38 proper person, officer or officers in the manner provided by law. 39 SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from 40 and after July 1, 2005. 41

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