

**Adopted
AMENDMENT NO 2 PROPOSED TO**

Cmte Sub for House Bill No. 734

BY: Representative Robinson (84th)

1 **AMEND** by inserting the following after line 202 and
2 renumbering the succeeding section:

3 **"SECTION 3.** Section 63-13-8, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
4 amended as follows:

5 63-13-8. (1) A grace period for obtaining a valid
6 inspection sticker, according to the provisions of Chapter 13,
7 Title 63, Mississippi Code of 1972, shall be granted in the
8 following situations:

9 (a) Whenever a motor vehicle inspection sticker expires
10 on a legal holiday or on a weekend, the owner of the vehicle
11 involved shall have a grace period of three (3) days in which to
12 obtain a valid inspection sticker.

13 (b) Whenever a motor vehicle inspection sticker expires
14 while the vehicle is being repaired or restored, the owner of the
15 vehicle involved shall have a grace period of three (3) days in
16 which to obtain a valid inspection sticker. The period of three
17 (3) days shall start to run from the date the owner takes
18 possession of the vehicle after said expiration date.

19 (2) If the operator of a vehicle charged with a violation of
20 this chapter for failure to have a valid vehicle inspection
21 sticker presents to the court on or before the hearing date or the
22 date of payment of the fine a receipt or other proof sufficient to

23 show that the vehicle has been inspected and a valid inspection
24 sticker issued for the vehicle, no fine, fee, penalty, assessment
25 or court costs shall be imposed and the charge shall be
26 dismissed."

27 **AMEND further** the title by inserting the following after the
28 semicolon on line 15:

29 "TO AMEND SECTION 63-13-8, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO PROVIDE
30 THAT A CHARGE OF VIOLATING THE MOTOR VEHICLE SAFETY INSPECTION LAW
31 SHALL BE DISMISSED IF THE DEFENDANT PRESENTS TO THE COURT ON OR
32 BEFORE THE HEARING DATE OR THE DATE OF PAYMENT OF THE FINE A
33 RECEIPT OR OTHER PROOF SUFFICIENT TO SHOW THAT THE VEHICLE HAS
34 BEEN INSPECTED AND A VALID INSPECTION STICKER HAS BEEN ISSUED FOR
35 THE VEHICLE;"