

Senate Amendments to House Bill No. 1000

TO THE CLERK OF THE HOUSE:

THIS IS TO INFORM YOU THAT THE SENATE HAS ADOPTED THE AMENDMENTS SET OUT BELOW:

AMENDMENT NO. 1

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

15 **SECTION 1.** Section 27-103-125, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
16 amended as follows:
17 27-103-125. The proposed budget of each state agency shall
18 show the amounts required for operating expenses separately from
19 the amounts required for permanent improvements. The overall
20 budget shall show, separately by each source, the estimated amount
21 of general fund revenue and of special fund revenues of general
22 fund agencies. The total proposed expenditures in Part 1 of the
23 overall budget shall not exceed the amount of estimated revenues
24 that will be available in the general and special funds for
25 appropriation or use during the succeeding fiscal year, including
26 any balances that will be on hand in the general and special funds
27 at the close of the then current fiscal year. The total proposed
28 expenditures from the State General Fund in Part 1 of the overall
29 budget shall not exceed ninety-eight percent (98%) of the amount
30 of general fund revenue estimate for the succeeding fiscal year,
31 plus any unencumbered balances in general funds that will be
32 available and on hand at the close of the then current fiscal
33 year. However, for fiscal years 2004, 2005 and 2006 only, the
34 total proposed expenditures from the State General Fund in Part 1
35 of the overall budget shall not exceed one hundred percent (100%)
36 of the amount of the general fund revenue estimate for the
37 succeeding fiscal year, plus any unencumbered balances in general
38 funds that will be available and on hand at the close of the then
39 current fiscal year. The general fund revenue estimate shall be
40 the estimate jointly adopted by the Governor and the Joint

41 Legislative Budget Committee. Unencumbered balances in general
42 funds that will be available and on hand at the close of the
43 current fiscal year shall not include projected amounts required
44 to be deposited into the Working Cash-Stabilization Reserve Fund
45 under Section 27-103-203. The Legislative Budget Office may
46 recommend additional taxes or sources of revenue if in its
47 judgment those additional funds are necessary to adequately
48 support the functions of the state government.

49 **SECTION 2.** Section 27-103-139, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
50 amended as follows:

51 27-103-139. On or before November 15 preceding each regular
52 session of the Legislature, except the first regular session of a
53 new term of office, the Governor shall submit to the members of
54 the Legislature, the Legislative Budget Office or the
55 members-elect, as the case may be, and to the executive head of
56 each state agency a balanced budget for the succeeding fiscal
57 year. The budget submitted shall be prepared in a format that
58 will include performance measurement data associated with the
59 various programs operated by each agency. The total proposed
60 expenditures in the balanced budget shall not exceed the amount of
61 estimated revenues that will be available for appropriation or use
62 during the succeeding fiscal year, including any balances that
63 will be on hand at the close of the then current fiscal year, as
64 determined by the revenue estimate jointly adopted by the Governor
65 and the Legislative Budget Committee. The total proposed
66 expenditures from the State General Fund in the balanced budget
67 shall not exceed ninety-eight percent (98%) of the amount of
68 general fund revenue estimate for the succeeding fiscal year, plus
69 any unencumbered balances in general funds that will be available
70 and on hand at the close of the then current fiscal year.
71 However, for fiscal years 2004, 2005 and 2006 only, the total
72 proposed expenditures from the State General Fund in the balanced
73 budget shall not exceed one hundred percent (100%) of the amount
74 of the general fund revenue estimate for the succeeding fiscal
75 year, plus any unencumbered balances in general funds that will be

76 available and on hand at the close of the then current fiscal
77 year. The general fund revenue estimate shall be the estimate
78 jointly adopted by the Governor and the Joint Legislative Budget
79 Committee. Unencumbered balances in general funds that will be
80 available and on hand at the close of the fiscal year shall not
81 include projected amounts required to be deposited into the
82 Working Cash-Stabilization Reserve Fund and the Education
83 Enhancement Fund under Section 27-103-203.

84 The revenues used in preparing the balanced budget shall be
85 only those revenues that will be available under the general laws
86 of the state as they exist when the balanced budget is prepared,
87 and shall not include any proposed revenues that would become
88 available only after the enactment of new legislation. If the
89 Governor has any recommendations for additional proposed
90 expenditures or proposed revenues that are not included in his
91 balanced budget, he shall submit those recommendations in a
92 supplement that is separate from his balanced budget, and whenever
93 the Governor recommends any such additional proposed expenditures,
94 he also shall recommend proposed revenues that are sufficient to
95 fund the additional proposed expenditures, providing specific
96 details regarding the sources and the total amount of those
97 proposed revenues.

98 The Governor may employ a budget officer for the purpose of
99 receiving information from the State Fiscal Officer and preparing
100 his recommendations on the budget. If the Governor determines
101 that information received from the State Fiscal Officer is not
102 sufficient to enable him to prepare his budget recommendations, he
103 may request an appropriation from the Legislature to provide
104 additional staff within the Governor's Office for that purpose.
105 At the first regular session after his election for Governor, the
106 Governor shall submit any budget recommendations plus the required
107 revenue source recommendations no later than January 31 of that
108 year.

109 **SECTION 3.** Section 27-103-211, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
110 amended as follows:

111 27-103-211. The total sum appropriated by the Legislature
112 from the State General Fund for any fiscal year shall not exceed
113 ninety-eight percent (98%) of the general fund revenue estimate
114 for that fiscal year developed by the Tax Commission and the
115 University Research Center and adopted by the Joint Legislative
116 Budget Committee, plus any unencumbered balances in general funds
117 that will be available and on hand at the close of the then
118 current fiscal year. The unencumbered balances in general funds
119 that will be available and on hand at the close of the fiscal year
120 shall not include projected amounts required to be deposited into
121 the Working Cash-Stabilization Reserve Fund under Section
122 27-103-203. However, for fiscal years 2004, 2005 and 2006 only,
123 the total sum appropriated by the Legislature from the State
124 General Fund shall not exceed one hundred percent (100%) of the
125 amount of the general fund revenue estimate for that fiscal year,
126 plus any unencumbered balances in general funds that will be
127 available and on hand at the close of the then current fiscal
128 year.

129 **SECTION 4.** Section 27-65-75, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
130 amended as follows:

131 27-65-75. On or before the fifteenth day of each month, the
132 revenue collected under the provisions of this chapter during the
133 preceding month shall be paid and distributed as follows:

134 (1) On or before August 15, 1992, and each succeeding month
135 thereafter through July 15, 1993, eighteen percent (18%) of the
136 total sales tax revenue collected during the preceding month under
137 the provisions of this chapter, except that collected under the
138 provisions of Sections 27-65-15, 27-65-19(3) and 27-65-21, on
139 business activities within a municipal corporation shall be
140 allocated for distribution to the municipality and paid to the
141 municipal corporation. On or before August 15, 1993, and each
142 succeeding month thereafter, eighteen and one-half percent
143 (18-1/2%) of the total sales tax revenue collected during the
144 preceding month under the provisions of this chapter, except that
145 collected under the provisions of Sections 27-65-15, 27-65-19(3)

146 and 27-65-21, on business activities within a municipal
147 corporation shall be allocated for distribution to the
148 municipality and paid to the municipal corporation.

149 A municipal corporation, for the purpose of distributing the
150 tax under this subsection, shall mean and include all incorporated
151 cities, towns and villages.

152 Monies allocated for distribution and credited to a municipal
153 corporation under this subsection may be pledged as security for
154 any loan received by the municipal corporation for the purpose of
155 capital improvements as authorized under Section 57-1-303, or
156 loans as authorized under Section 57-44-7, or water systems
157 improvements as authorized under Section 41-3-16.

158 In any county having a county seat that is not an
159 incorporated municipality, the distribution provided under this
160 subsection shall be made as though the county seat was an
161 incorporated municipality; however, the distribution to the
162 municipality shall be paid to the county treasury in which the
163 municipality is located, and those funds shall be used for road,
164 bridge and street construction or maintenance in the county.

165 (2) On or before September 15, 1987, and each succeeding
166 month thereafter, from the revenue collected under this chapter
167 during the preceding month One Million One Hundred Twenty-five
168 Thousand Dollars (\$1,125,000.00) shall be allocated for
169 distribution to municipal corporations as defined under subsection
170 (1) of this section in the proportion that the number of gallons
171 of gasoline and diesel fuel sold by distributors to consumers and
172 retailers in each such municipality during the preceding fiscal
173 year bears to the total gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel sold
174 by distributors to consumers and retailers in municipalities
175 statewide during the preceding fiscal year. The State Tax
176 Commission shall require all distributors of gasoline and diesel
177 fuel to report to the commission monthly the total number of
178 gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel sold by them to consumers and
179 retailers in each municipality during the preceding month. The
180 State Tax Commission shall have the authority to promulgate such

181 rules and regulations as is necessary to determine the number of
182 gallons of gasoline and diesel fuel sold by distributors to
183 consumers and retailers in each municipality. In determining the
184 percentage allocation of funds under this subsection for the
185 fiscal year beginning July 1, 1987, and ending June 30, 1988, the
186 State Tax Commission may consider gallons of gasoline and diesel
187 fuel sold for a period of less than one (1) fiscal year. For the
188 purposes of this subsection, the term "fiscal year" means the
189 fiscal year beginning July 1 of a year.

190 (3) On or before September 15, 1987, and on or before the
191 fifteenth day of each succeeding month, until the date specified
192 in Section 65-39-35, the proceeds derived from contractors' taxes
193 levied under Section 27-65-21 on contracts for the construction or
194 reconstruction of highways designated under the highway program
195 created under Section 65-3-97 shall, except as otherwise provided
196 in Section 31-17-127, be deposited into the State Treasury to the
197 credit of the State Highway Fund to be used to fund that highway
198 program. The Mississippi Department of Transportation shall
199 provide to the State Tax Commission such information as is
200 necessary to determine the amount of proceeds to be distributed
201 under this subsection.

202 (4) On or before August 15, 1994, and on or before the
203 fifteenth day of each succeeding month through July 15, 1999, from
204 the proceeds of gasoline, diesel fuel or kerosene taxes as
205 provided in Section 27-5-101(a)(ii)1, Four Million Dollars
206 (\$4,000,000.00) shall be deposited in the State Treasury to the
207 credit of a special fund designated as the "State Aid Road Fund,"
208 created by Section 65-9-17. On or before August 15, 1999, and on
209 or before the fifteenth day of each succeeding month, from the
210 total amount of the proceeds of gasoline, diesel fuel or kerosene
211 taxes apportioned by Section 27-5-101(a)(ii)1, Four Million
212 Dollars (\$4,000,000.00) or an amount equal to twenty-three and
213 one-fourth percent (23.25%) of those funds, whichever is the
214 greater amount, shall be deposited in the State Treasury to the
215 credit of the "State Aid Road Fund," created by Section 65-9-17.

216 Those funds shall be pledged to pay the principal of and interest
217 on state aid road bonds heretofore issued under Sections 19-9-51
218 through 19-9-77, in lieu of and in substitution for the funds
219 previously allocated to counties under this section. Those funds
220 may not be pledged for the payment of any state aid road bonds
221 issued after April 1, 1981; however, this prohibition against the
222 pledging of any such funds for the payment of bonds shall not
223 apply to any bonds for which intent to issue those bonds has been
224 published, for the first time, as provided by law before March 29,
225 1981. From the amount of taxes paid into the special fund under
226 this subsection and subsection (9) of this section, there shall be
227 first deducted and paid the amount necessary to pay the expenses
228 of the Office of State Aid Road Construction, as authorized by the
229 Legislature for all other general and special fund agencies. The
230 remainder of the fund shall be allocated monthly to the several
231 counties in accordance with the following formula:

232 (a) One-third (1/3) shall be allocated to all counties
233 in equal shares;

234 (b) One-third (1/3) shall be allocated to counties
235 based on the proportion that the total number of rural road miles
236 in a county bears to the total number of rural road miles in all
237 counties of the state; and

238 (c) One-third (1/3) shall be allocated to counties
239 based on the proportion that the rural population of the county
240 bears to the total rural population in all counties of the state,
241 according to the latest federal decennial census.

242 For the purposes of this subsection, the term "gasoline,
243 diesel fuel or kerosene taxes" means such taxes as defined in
244 paragraph (f) of Section 27-5-101.

245 The amount of funds allocated to any county under this
246 subsection for any fiscal year after fiscal year 1994 shall not be
247 less than the amount allocated to the county for fiscal year 1994.
248 Monies allocated to a county from the State Aid Road Fund for
249 fiscal year 1995 or any fiscal year thereafter that exceed the
250 amount of funds allocated to that county from the State Aid Road

251 Fund for fiscal year 1994, first must be expended by the county
252 for replacement or rehabilitation of bridges on the state aid road
253 system that have a sufficiency rating of less than twenty-five
254 (25), according to National Bridge Inspection standards before
255 the monies may be approved for expenditure by the State Aid Road
256 Engineer on other projects that qualify for the use of state aid
257 road funds.

258 Any reference in the general laws of this state or the
259 Mississippi Code of 1972 to Section 27-5-105 shall mean and be
260 construed to refer and apply to subsection (4) of Section
261 27-65-75.

262 (5) One Million Six Hundred Sixty-six Thousand Six Hundred
263 Sixty-six Dollars (\$1,666,666.00) each month shall be paid into
264 the special fund known as the "State Public School Building Fund"
265 created and existing under the provisions of Sections 37-47-1
266 through 37-47-67. Those payments into that fund are to be made on
267 the last day of each succeeding month hereafter.

268 (6) An amount each month beginning August 15, 1983, through
269 November 15, 1986, as specified in Section 6 of Chapter 542, Laws
270 of 1983, shall be paid into the special fund known as the
271 Correctional Facilities Construction Fund created in Section 6 of
272 Chapter 542, Laws of 1983.

273 (7) On or before August 15, 1992, and each succeeding month
274 thereafter through July 15, 2000, two and two hundred sixty-six
275 one-thousandths percent (2.266%) of the total sales tax revenue
276 collected during the preceding month under the provisions of this
277 chapter, except that collected under the provisions of Section
278 27-65-17(2) shall be deposited by the commission into the School
279 Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund created under Section 37-61-35. On
280 or before August 15, 2000, and each succeeding month thereafter,
281 two and two hundred sixty-six one-thousandths percent (2.266%) of
282 the total sales tax revenue collected during the preceding month
283 under the provisions of this chapter, except that collected under
284 the provisions of Section 27-65-17(2), shall be deposited into the
285 School Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund created under Section

286 37-61-35 until such time that the total amount deposited into the
287 fund during a fiscal year equals Forty-two Million Dollars
288 (\$42,000,000.00). Thereafter, the amounts diverted under this
289 subsection (7) during the fiscal year in excess of Forty-two
290 Million Dollars (\$42,000,000.00) shall be deposited into the
291 Education Enhancement Fund created under Section 37-61-33 for
292 appropriation by the Legislature as other education needs and
293 shall not be subject to the percentage appropriation requirements
294 set forth in Section 37-61-33.

295 (8) On or before August 15, 1992, and each succeeding month
296 thereafter, nine and seventy-three one-thousandths percent
297 (9.073%) of the total sales tax revenue collected during the
298 preceding month under the provisions of this chapter, except that
299 collected under the provisions of Section 27-65-17(2), shall be
300 deposited into the Education Enhancement Fund created under
301 Section 37-61-33.

302 (9) On or before August 15, 1994, and each succeeding month
303 thereafter, from the revenue collected under this chapter during
304 the preceding month, Two Hundred Fifty Thousand Dollars
305 (\$250,000.00) shall be paid into the State Aid Road Fund.

306 (10) On or before August 15, 1994, and each succeeding month
307 thereafter through August 15, 1995, from the revenue collected
308 under this chapter during the preceding month, Two Million Dollars
309 (\$2,000,000.00) shall be deposited into the Motor Vehicle Ad
310 Valorem Tax Reduction Fund established in Section 27-51-105.

311 (11) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section to
312 the contrary, on or before February 15, 1995, and each succeeding
313 month thereafter, the sales tax revenue collected during the
314 preceding month under the provisions of Section 27-65-17(2) and
315 the corresponding levy in Section 27-65-23 on the rental or lease
316 of private carriers of passengers and light carriers of property
317 as defined in Section 27-51-101 shall be deposited, without
318 diversion, into the Motor Vehicle Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund
319 established in Section 27-51-105.

320 (12) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section to
321 the contrary, on or before August 15, 1995, and each succeeding
322 month thereafter, the sales tax revenue collected during the
323 preceding month under the provisions of Section 27-65-17(1) on
324 retail sales of private carriers of passengers and light carriers
325 of property, as defined in Section 27-51-101 and the corresponding
326 levy in Section 27-65-23 on the rental or lease of these vehicles,
327 shall be deposited, after diversion, into the Motor Vehicle Ad
328 Valorem Tax Reduction Fund established in Section 27-51-105.

329 (13) On or before July 15, 1994, and on or before the
330 fifteenth day of each succeeding month thereafter, that portion of
331 the avails of the tax imposed in Section 27-65-22 that is derived
332 from activities held on the Mississippi state fairgrounds complex,
333 shall be paid into a special fund that is created in the State
334 Treasury and shall be expended upon legislative appropriation
335 solely to defray the costs of repairs and renovation at the Trade
336 Mart and Coliseum.

337 (14) On or before August 15, 1998, and each succeeding month
338 thereafter through July 15, 2005, that portion of the avails of
339 the tax imposed in Section 27-65-23 that is derived from sales by
340 cotton compresses or cotton warehouses and that would otherwise be
341 paid into the General Fund, shall be deposited in an amount not to
342 exceed Two Million Dollars (\$2,000,000.00) into the special fund
343 created under Section 69-37-39.

344 (15) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section to
345 the contrary, on or before September 15, 2000, and each succeeding
346 month thereafter, the sales tax revenue collected during the
347 preceding month under the provisions of Section 27-65-19(1)(f) and
348 (g)(i)2, shall be deposited, without diversion, into the
349 Telecommunications Ad Valorem Tax Reduction Fund established in
350 Section 27-38-7.

351 (16) On or before August 15, 2000, and each succeeding month
352 thereafter, the sales tax revenue collected during the preceding
353 month under the provisions of this chapter on the gross proceeds
354 of sales of a project as defined in Section 57-30-1 shall be

355 deposited, after all diversions except the diversion provided for
356 in subsection (1) of this section, into the Sales Tax Incentive
357 Fund created in Section 57-30-3.

358 (17) Notwithstanding any other provision of this section to
359 the contrary, on or before April 15, 2002, and each succeeding
360 month thereafter, the sales tax revenue collected during the
361 preceding month under Section 27-65-23 on sales of parking
362 services of parking garages and lots at airports shall be
363 deposited, without diversion, into the special fund created under
364 Section 27-5-101(d).

365 (18) On or before August 15, 2006, and each succeeding month
366 thereafter through July 15, 2007, from the sales tax revenue
367 collected during the preceding month under the provisions of this
368 chapter, Two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$2,500,000.00)
369 shall be deposited into the Special Funds Transfer Fund created in
370 Section 4 of Chapter 556, Laws of 2003.

371 (19) The remainder of the amounts collected under the
372 provisions of this chapter shall be paid into the State Treasury
373 to the credit of the General Fund.

374 (20) It shall be the duty of the municipal officials of any
375 municipality that expands its limits, or of any community that
376 incorporates as a municipality, to notify the commissioner of
377 that action thirty (30) days before the effective date. Failure
378 to so notify the commissioner shall cause the municipality to
379 forfeit the revenue that it would have been entitled to receive
380 during this period of time when the commissioner had no knowledge
381 of the action. If any funds have been erroneously disbursed to
382 any municipality or any overpayment of tax is recovered by the
383 taxpayer, the commissioner may make correction and adjust the
384 error or overpayment with the municipality by withholding the
385 necessary funds from any later payment to be made to the
386 municipality.

387 **SECTION 5.** Section 10, Chapter 595, Laws of 2004, is amended
388 as follows:

389 Section 4. (1) There is created in the State Treasury a
390 special fund to be known as the Special Funds Transfer Fund, which
391 shall be comprised of the monies required to be deposited into the
392 fund under Section 27-65-75(18) for the repayment of certain funds
393 transferred to the Budget Contingency Fund. Upon receipt of
394 monies deposited into the fund under Section 27-65-75(18), the
395 State Treasurer shall transfer those monies to the special funds
396 from which transfers were made under Sections 2 and 3 of Chapter
397 556, Laws of 2003.

398 (2) Unexpended amounts remaining in the fund on September
399 30, 2007, shall lapse into the State General Fund, and any
400 interest earned or investment earnings on amounts in the fund
401 shall be deposited to the credit of the fund.

402 **SECTION 6.** Section 27-25-506, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
403 amended as follows:

404 27-25-506. There is created a special fund in the State
405 Treasury into which the state's share of proceeds collected under
406 Sections 27-25-505 and 27-25-705 shall be deposited.

407 The state's share of all oil and gas severance taxes derived
408 from oil and gas resources under state-owned lands or from severed
409 state-owned minerals shall be deposited into the State Treasury to
410 the credit of the trust fund created in Section 206A, Mississippi
411 Constitution of 1890. The following amounts of the remainder of
412 tax collections apportioned to the state shall be deposited to the
413 credit of the trust fund created in Section 206A, Mississippi
414 Constitution of 1890:

415 (a) For fiscal year 1994, all amounts collected in
416 excess of Thirty-five Million Dollars (\$35,000,000.00);

417 (b) For fiscal year 1995, all amounts collected in
418 excess of Thirty-two Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars
419 (\$32,500,000.00);

420 (c) For fiscal year 1996, all amounts collected in
421 excess of Thirty Million Dollars (\$30,000,000.00);

422 (d) For fiscal year 1997, all amounts collected in
423 excess of Twenty-seven Million Five Hundred Thousand Dollars
424 (\$27,500,000.00);

425 (e) For fiscal year 1998, all amounts collected in
426 excess of Twenty-five Million Dollars (\$25,000,000.00);

427 (f) For fiscal year 1999, all amounts collected in
428 excess of Twenty Million Dollars (\$20,000,000.00);

429 (g) For fiscal year 2000, all amounts collected in
430 excess of Fifteen Million Dollars (\$15,000,000.00);

431 (h) For fiscal year 2001 through December 31, 2000, all
432 amounts collected and transferred in excess of Ten Million Dollars
433 (\$10,000,000.00);

434 (i) For fiscal year 2005, all amounts collected in
435 excess of Ten Million Dollars (\$10,000,000.00);

436 (j) For fiscal years 2006, 2007, 2008 and 2009, all
437 amounts collected in excess of Ten Million Dollars
438 (\$10,000,000.00); and

439 (k) For fiscal year 2010 and each fiscal year
440 thereafter, all such tax collections apportioned to the state
441 shall be deposited to the credit of the trust fund.

442 The monies collected under paragraphs (a) through (j) of this
443 section that are not deposited into the trust fund shall be
444 deposited into the State General Fund. For fiscal years 2006,
445 2007, 2008 and 2009, the monies not deposited into the State
446 General Fund shall be deposited into the Budget Contingency Fund
447 created in Section 27-103-301. All monies deposited into the
448 Budget Contingency Fund under this section shall be appropriated
449 by the Legislature for the support of the Mississippi Adequate
450 Education Program as successor to the Minimum Education Program.

451 **SECTION 7.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
452 and after its passage.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 27-103-125, 27-103-139 AND
2 27-103-211, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO REVISE THE PERCENTAGE

3 LIMITATION ON LEGISLATIVE APPROPRIATIONS FROM THE STATE GENERAL
4 FUND FOR FISCAL YEAR 2006; TO AMEND SECTION 27-65-75, MISSISSIPPI
5 CODE OF 1972, TO DELAY UNTIL 2006 THE SALES TAX DIVERSION THAT IS
6 TO BE DEPOSITED INTO THE SPECIAL FUNDS TRANSFER FUND; TO AMEND
7 SECTION 10, CHAPTER 595, LAWS OF 2004, TO CONFORM TO THE PRECEDING
8 SECTION; TO AMEND SECTION 27-25-506, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
9 PROVIDE THAT THROUGH FISCAL YEAR 2010, \$10,000,000.00 OF THE
10 STATE'S SHARE OF OIL AND GAS SEVERANCE TAXES SHALL BE DEPOSITED
11 INTO THE STATE GENERAL FUND AND THE REMAINDER SHALL BE
12 APPROPRIATED FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE MISSISSIPPI ADEQUATE EDUCATION
13 PROGRAM; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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