Adopted COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill No. 1702

BY: Committee

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

- 6 **SECTION 1.** The governing authorities of the City of
- 7 Gulfport, Mississippi, are authorized and empowered to contribute
- 8 from any available funds, not more than Three Hundred Thousand
- 9 Dollars (\$300,000.00) during calendar years 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008
- 10 and 2009, to the Humane Society of South Mississippi (HSSM) for
- 11 land acquisition and the construction of a shelter and facility on
- 12 U.S. Highway 49 in Gulfport, Mississippi, to house and care for
- 13 stray animals and for related functions and services of HSSM.
- 14 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 15 and after its passage.

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

- 1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF GULFPORT, MISSISSIPPI, TO
- 2 CONTRIBUTE TO THE HUMANE SOCIETY OF SOUTH MISSISSIPPI FOR THE
- 3 ACQUISITION OF PROPERTY AND CONSTRUCTION OF A SHELTER AND FACILITY
- 4 IN GULFPORT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.