

By: Representative Malone

To: Corrections

HOUSE BILL NO. 1009

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 99-19-45, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO REVISE THE COMMITMENT PAPERS THAT THE CLERKS OF THE CIRCUIT
3 COURTS MUST PROVIDE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS UNDER CERTAIN
4 CIRCUMSTANCES; TO AMEND SECTION 99-19-47, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF
5 1972, IN CONFORMITY THERETO; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

7 **SECTION 1.** Section 99-19-45, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
8 amended as follows:

9 99-19-45. The clerks of the circuit court of the counties in
10 the State of Mississippi shall furnish the Mississippi Department
11 of Corrections, within five (5) days after adjournment of court, a
12 commitment paper showing the name, * * * sex, race, and social
13 security number of the person convicted and the crime committed,
14 along with certified copies of the sentencing order and
15 indictment, as well as any subsequent order entered by the court
16 in such cause.

17 The clerks shall also furnish the Department of Corrections,
18 within five (5) days after adjournment of such court, a certified
19 copy of the probation order of an individual who is placed on
20 probation under the supervision of the Division of Community
21 Corrections of the department. Such order shall provide the name
22 of the person placed on probation, the crime, term of sentence,
23 date of sentence, period of probation, sex, race, and a brief
24 history of the crime committed.

25 As compensation for such services they shall receive the sum
26 of Fifty Cents (50¢) for each transcript, and the sum shall be
27 paid out of the treasury of the county, with the approval of the
28 board of supervisors, on the filing of a bill for such service.

29 **SECTION 2.** Section 99-19-47, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
30 amended as follows:

31 99-19-47. The following form, to be furnished by the county,
32 shall be used in transmitting the required data:

33 "Commitment of _____ (insert name of person)
34 Circuit Court, County of _____.

35 To the Mississippi Department of Corrections:

36 You are hereby notified that at the _____ term, 2_____, of
37 the circuit court, Judge _____ presiding, the following named
38 person was tried, convicted and sentenced to a term in the State
39 Penitentiary, as follows:

40 Name _____

41 Alias _____ * * *

42 Crime _____ * * *

43 Sex _____ Race _____

44 Appealed _____ Remarks: * * *

45 _____
46 _____
47 _____
48 _____
49 _____

50 Dated _____, 2_____.

51 _____ Clerk."

52 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
53 and after July 1, 2006.