

**Adopted
AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO**

Cmte Sub for Senate Bill No. 2432

BY: Senator(s) Carmichael

1 **AMEND by inserting the following after line 195 and by**
2 **renumbering subsequent sections accordingly:**

3 **SECTION *.** The following provision shall be codified as
4 Section 3-3-15.1, Mississippi Code of 1972:

5 3-3-15.1. (1) In order to commemorate the 50th anniversary
6 of the Korean Conflict, the Legislature enacts this Section 3-3-
7 15.1 as the symbol of the nation's and the state's commitment to
8 achieving the fullest possible accounting for Mississippians who
9 have been or in the future may become prisoners of war, missing in
10 action or otherwise unaccounted for as a result of hostile action.

11 (2) As used in this Section 3-3-15.1, the term "POW/MIA
12 Flag" means the National League of Families POW/MIA flag
13 recognized officially and designated by Section 2 of Public Law
14 101-355 (36 USC 189).

15 (3) The Bureau of Capitol Facilities shall display the
16 POW/MIA flag in a prominent place at the New Capitol Building on
17 the following days:

- 18 (a) Armed Forces Day, the third Saturday in May;
19 (b) Memorial Day, the last Monday in May;
20 (c) Flag Day, June 14;
21 (d) Independence Day, July 4;
22 (e) National POW/MIA Recognition Day; and
23 (f) Veterans Day, November 11.

24 (4) Such display shall serve as the symbol of the nation's
25 and the state's concern and commitment to achieving the fullest
26 possible accounting of Americans and Mississippians who, having
27 been prisoners of war or missing in action, still remain
28 unaccounted for.

29 (5) This section shall not be construed or applied so as to
30 either require or prohibit the display of the POW/MIA flag by any
31 county, municipality or public school district in Mississippi.

32 **FURTHER, amend line 9 of the title by inserting the following**
33 **after the semicolon:**

34 TO CODIFY SECTION 3-3-15.1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO DIRECT
35 THE BUREAU OF CAPITOL FACILITIES TO DISPLAY THE POW/MIA FLAG AT
36 THE NEW CAPITOL BUILDING ON CERTAIN DAYS RELATING TO THE
37 RECOGNITION OF VETERANS;