

By: Representative Straughter

To: Public Health and Human Services

HOUSE BILL NO. 1055

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE CLEANING OF FLOORS OF EATING
2 ESTABLISHMENTS WHILE CUSTOMERS ARE EATING FOOD ON THE PREMISES;
3 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** (1) As used in this section, the term "eating
6 establishment" means a place that is used and kept open for the
7 serving of food or meals to customers for compensation.

8 (2) It shall be unlawful to vacuum, sweep, or clean in any
9 other manner, the floors of an eating establishment while
10 customers are eating food on the premises of the eating
11 establishment.

12 (3) Any person who violates the provisions of this section
13 is guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction, shall be punished
14 by a fine of not more than One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00).

15 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
16 and after July 1, 2007.