

By: Representative Stringer

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1706

1 AN ACT MAKING A REAPPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE  
2 AND ADMINISTRATION TO REAUTHORIZE THE EXPENDITURE OF SPECIAL FUNDS  
3 PREVIOUSLY APPROPRIATED FOR CONSTRUCTION AND/OR REPAIR AND  
4 RENOVATION PROJECTS AT VARIOUS STATE AGENCIES AND INSTITUTIONS,  
5 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2008.

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

7 **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
8 necessary, is hereby reappropriated out of any money in the State  
9 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Department of  
10 Finance and Administration, acting through the Bureau of Building,  
11 Grounds and Real Property Management, for the purpose of  
12 reauthorizing the expenditure of State General Funds, as  
13 authorized in Senate Bill No. 3199, Regular Session of 1995,  
14 Senate Bill No. 2005, First Extraordinary Session of 2006, for the  
15 fiscal year beginning July 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008.....  
16 ..... \$ 1,219,537.00.

17 This reappropriation is made for the purpose of reauthorizing  
18 the expenditure of State General Funds for construction of offices  
19 and other necessary renovations at the Walter Sillers Building.

20 Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under the  
21 provisions of this section, in no event shall the amount expended  
22 exceed the unexpended balance as of June 30, 2007, or change the  
23 purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

24 **SECTION 2.** The following sum, or so much thereof as may be  
25 necessary, is hereby reappropriated out of any money in the State  
26 Treasury to the credit of Fund No. 3931, to the Department of  
27 Finance and Administration, acting through the Bureau of Building,  
28 Grounds and Real Property Management, for the purpose of

29 reauthorizing the expenditure of funds previously appropriated for  
30 construction and/or repair and renovation projects at various  
31 state agencies and institutions, as authorized in House Bill No.  
32 1607, Regular Session of 2006, for the fiscal year beginning July  
33 1, 2007, and ending June 30, 2008.....  
34 ..... \$ 7,061,952.93.

35 This reappropriation is made for the purpose of reauthorizing  
36 the expenditure of special funds for construction and/or repair  
37 and renovation projects at various state agencies and institutions  
38 that had been authorized by the Legislature in prior fiscal years.

39 Notwithstanding the amount reappropriated under the  
40 provisions of this section, in no event shall the amount expended  
41 exceed the unexpended balance as of June 30, 2007, or change the  
42 purpose for which the funds were originally authorized.

43 **SECTION 3.** The Bureau of Building, Grounds and Real Property  
44 Management of the Office of General Services is hereby expressly  
45 authorized and empowered to receive, budget and expend any state,  
46 local or other source funds designated for supplemental funding of  
47 construction and/or repair and renovation projects.

48 **SECTION 4.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by  
49 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the  
50 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon  
51 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal  
52 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the  
53 proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.

54 **SECTION 5.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
55 and after July 1, 2007.