

By: Senator(s) Davis (By Request)

To: Local and Private;  
Judiciary, Division B

SENATE BILL NO. 3209

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF DESOTO  
2 COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO PURCHASE RADAR SPEED DETECTION EQUIPMENT  
3 FOR USE BY THE SHERIFF'S DEPARTMENT OF THE COUNTY IN THE  
4 ENFORCEMENT OF SPEED LIMITS ON THE ROADS, STREETS AND HIGHWAYS OF  
5 THE COUNTY OUTSIDE THE CORPORATE LIMITS OF ANY INCORPORATED  
6 MUNICIPALITY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

8 **SECTION 1.** The Board of Supervisors of DeSoto County,  
9 Mississippi, may expend out of any available funds of the county,  
10 an amount that the board determines is sufficient for the purchase  
11 of and use by the sheriff's department of the county of radar  
12 speed detection equipment. If the board of supervisors authorizes  
13 the expenditure of funds for this purpose, then the Sheriff of  
14 DeSoto County and any duly sworn deputy sheriff of the county may  
15 operate and use the equipment to enforce the motor vehicle speed  
16 limits on any public road, street or highway within the county  
17 outside the corporate limits of any incorporated municipality.

18 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
19 and after its passage.