

28 the Joint Legislative Budget Committee in a format and level of
 29 detail comparable to the format and level of detail provided
 30 during the Fiscal Year 2008 budget request process.

31 **SECTION 5.** Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, Six
 32 Hundred Three Thousand Seven Hundred Twenty-five Dollars
 33 (\$603,725.00) shall be derived from the Education Enhancement Fund
 34 from funds deposited pursuant to Sections 27-65-75 and 27-67-31,
 35 Mississippi Code of 1972.

36 **SECTION 6.** In compliance with the "Mississippi Performance
 37 Budget and Strategic Planning Act of 1994," it is the intent of
 38 the Legislature that the funds provided herein shall be utilized
 39 in the most efficient and effective manner possible to achieve the
 40 intended mission of this agency. Based on the funding authorized,
 41 this agency shall make every effort to attain the targeted
 42 performance measures provided below:

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<u>Performance Measures</u>	<u>Target</u>
Instruction	
Students Enrolled (Students)	357
FTE Committed to Teaching in DVM (Persons)	27.80
State Cost per DVM Student (\$)	37,858.00
Research	
Grants & Contracts Applied for (Grants)	80
Grants & Contracts Awarded (Grants)	43
Graduate Students Enrolled (Students)	15
Public Svc - Animal Health Ctr	
AHC Caseload Managed (Cases)	9,500
Student Clinical Training (Hours)	280,000
Average Revenue per Clinical Case (\$)	251.00
Consultation Hours/Clinical Faculty (Hours)	250
Public Svc - Diagnostic Lab	
Lab Tests (Tests)	26,619

60	Vet Research & Diagnostic Lab	
61	Accessions (Cases)	65,000
62	Academic Support	
63	Events in Wise Center (Events)	1,000
64	Operation & Maintenance	
65	Number Sq Ft O&M Services (Sq Ft)	426,483

66 A reporting of the degree to which the performance targets
67 set above have been or are being achieved shall be provided in the
68 agency's budget request submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget
69 Committee for Fiscal Year 2009.

70 **SECTION 7.** It is the intention of the Legislature that
71 whenever two (2) or more bids are received by this agency for the
72 purchase of commodities or equipment, and whenever all things
73 stated in such received bids are equal with respect to price,
74 quality and service, the Mississippi Industries for the Blind
75 shall be given preference. A similar preference shall be given to
76 the Mississippi Industries for the Blind whenever purchases are
77 made without competitive bids.

78 **SECTION 8.** It is legislative intent to ensure beneficial
79 information reaches as many Mississippians as possible. Further,
80 it is legislative intent that the expenditure of public funds for
81 this purpose be accomplished in an efficient and effective manner.

82 Therefore, state agencies as standard procedure, will observe
83 the following criteria:

84 (1) Develop goals and desired result for a campaign.

85 (2) Evaluate effectiveness through respected advertising
86 standards, including market reach and cost effectiveness.

87 (3) Seek public service announcements, which would be aired
88 by media without cost.

89 (4) Itemize and justify professional assistance and related
90 expenses for creative and production costs outside of the actual
91 media expenditures.

92 (5) Utilize Mississippi owned media companies when feasible.

93 **SECTION 9.** The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
94 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
95 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
96 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
97 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
98 proper person, officer or officers in the manner provided by law.

99 **SECTION 10.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
100 and after July 1, 2007.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
2 STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING FOR THE COLLEGE OF
3 VETERINARY MEDICINE AT MISSISSIPPI STATE UNIVERSITY, FOR FISCAL
4 YEAR 2008.

CONFEREES FOR THE SENATE

CONFEREES FOR THE HOUSE

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