No Action COMMITTEE AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill No. 1097

BY: Committee

Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

5 SECTION 1. Section 23-15-227, Mississippi Code of 1972, is 6 amended as follows:

7 23-15-227. The managers and clerks shall be each entitled to 8 Seventy-five Dollars (\$75.00) for each election; provided, 9 however, that the board of supervisors may, in its discretion, pay 10 the managers and clerks an additional amount not to exceed Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) per election. The manager or other person who 11 shall carry to the place of voting, away from the courthouse, the 12 13 official ballots, ballot boxes, poll books and other necessities, shall be allowed Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each voting precinct for 14 so doing. The manager or other person who acts as returning 15 officer shall be allowed Ten Dollars (\$10.00) for each voting 16 precinct for that service. The compensation authorized in this 17 section shall be allowed by the board of supervisors, and shall be 18 19 payable out of the county treasury.

The compensation provided in this section shall constitute payment in full for the services rendered by the persons named for any election, whether there be one (1) election or issue voted

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23 upon, or more than one (1) election or issue voted upon at the 24 same time.

SECTION 2. The Attorney General of the State of Mississippi shall submit this act, immediately upon approval by the Governor, or upon approval by the Legislature subsequent to a veto, to the Attorney General of the United States or to the United States District Court for the District of Columbia in accordance with the provisions of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended and extended.

32 **SECTION 3.** This act shall take effect and be in force from 33 and after the date it is effectuated under Section 5 of the Voting 34 Rights Act of 1965, as amended and extended.

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

¹ AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 23-15-227, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, 2 TO INCREASE THE PER DIEM COMPENSATION OF ELECTION POLL WORKERS AND 3 MANAGERS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.