

By: Representative Evans (43rd)

To: Ways and Means

HOUSE BILL NO. 1026

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE RESIDENT INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAXPAYERS TO
2 DESIGNATE ANY PORTION OF THEIR TAX REFUND FOR A CONTRIBUTION BE
3 MADE TO ALLIANCE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF END OF LIFE CARE, INC. ;
4 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** (1) Each resident individual taxpayer who files
7 a Mississippi income tax return and who will receive a tax refund
8 from the Department of Revenue may designate that a contribution
9 be made to Alliance for the Advancement of End of Life Care, Inc.,
10 by marking the appropriate box printed on the return pursuant to
11 this subsection. In the case of a joint return, each spouse may
12 designate that a portion of the refund shall be paid to such fund.

13 The Department of Revenue shall print on the Mississippi
14 income tax form for residents a space for designating the
15 contribution in substantially the following form:

16 "ALLIANCE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF END OF LIFE CARE, INC."

17 I wish to contribute () \$1 () \$5 () \$10 () Other \$ _____
18 of my TAX REFUND TO ALLIANCE FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF END OF LIFE
19 CARE, INC."



20 (2) The Department of Revenue shall explain in the
21 instructions accompanying the individual income tax form the
22 purposes for which the contributions authorized herein shall be
23 used.

24 (3) This section shall apply to taxable years beginning on
25 or after January 1, 2013.

26 (4) The Department of Revenue shall determine annually the
27 total amount designated by individuals to be paid to Alliance for
28 the Advancement of End of Life Care, Inc., along with all interest
29 earned thereon, and shall report such amount to the State
30 Treasurer who shall pay such amount to Alliance for the
31 Advancement of End of Life Care, Inc.

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

