

By: Representative Dixon

To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 1053

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT THE USE OF GOVERNMENT OWNED VEHICLES BY
2 LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS THAT IS NOT DIRECTLY RELATED TO THE
3 OFFICIAL DUTIES OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER; AND FOR RELATED
4 PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** No law enforcement officer shall use a motor
7 vehicle owned by the employing agency of such law enforcement
8 agency or any other governmental agency for any purpose that is
9 not directly related to the official duties of a law enforcement
10 officer. Any law enforcement officer who violates the provisions
11 of this section shall be subject to disciplinary action by the
12 employing law enforcement agency and shall be liable for all costs
13 incurred as the result of such unauthorized use.

14 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
15 and after July 1, 2013.

