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By: Representative Burnett

To: Local and Private Legislation

## HOUSE BILL NO. 1784

- AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF TUNICA COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO CONTRIBUTE FUNDS TO MID-STATE OPPORTUNITY,
- 3 INC., FOR THE PURPOSE OF OPERATING AND MAINTAINING A COMMUNITY
- 4 SERVICE BLOCK PROGRAM IN TUNICA COUNTY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 6 SECTION 1. The Board of Supervisors of Tunica County,
- 7 Mississippi, may, in its discretion, contribute from any available
- 8 county fund, an amount not to exceed an amount equal to the avails
- 9 of point eighty-five (.85) mills during fiscal years 2017, 2018
- 10 and 2019 to Mid-State Opportunity, Inc., a Mississippi
- 11 not-for-profit corporation.
- 12 The funds provided to Mid-State Opportunity, Inc., pursuant
- 13 to this section, shall be used for the sustainability of community
- 14 economic resources within Tunica County, Mississippi, including,
- 15 but not limited to, providing a wide range of innovative
- 16 employment-related services and activities tailored to the
- 17 specific needs of the community; meeting short-term and long-term
- 18 economic and employment needs of individuals, families and

- 19 communities and making meaningful and measurable progress toward
- 20 the reform goals of the Recovery Act with special attention to
- 21 creating and sustaining economic growth and employment
- 22 opportunities.
- 23 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 24 and after its passage.