

By: Representative Morgan

To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 266

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 77-3-809, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO ESTABLISH A MINIMUM FINE AND INCREASE THE MAXIMUM FINE FOR A
3 VIOLATION OF THE CALLER ID ANTI-SPOOFING ACT; AND FOR RELATED
4 PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Section 77-3-809, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
7 amended as follows:

8 77-3-809. (1) Any person who violates this article shall be
9 guilty of a misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, shall be
10 fined * * * not less than Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00) and
11 not more than * * * One Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$100,000.00) or
12 shall be imprisoned in the county jail not exceeding one (1) year,
13 or both.

14 (2) Any violation of this article constitutes an unlawful
15 trade practice under Section 75-24-5 and, in addition to any
16 remedies or penalties set forth in this article, shall be subject
17 to any remedies or penalties available for a violation of that
18 statute.



19 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
20 and after July 1, 2019.

