

By: Senator(s) Blackwell

To: Rules

SENATE BILL NO. 2009

1 AN ACT TO CREATE THE "MISSISSIPPI DAYLIGHT PROTECTION ACT";
2 TO PROVIDE LEGISLATIVE INTENT THAT DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME SHALL BE
3 THE YEAR-ROUND STANDARD TIME OF THE ENTIRE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI
4 AND ALL OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS UNDER CERTAIN CONDITIONS;
5 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

7 **SECTION 1.** (1) This section shall be known and may be cited
8 as the "Mississippi Daylight Protection Act."

9 (2) If the United States Congress amends 15 USC Section
10 260(a), to authorize states to observe daylight saving time
11 year-round, it is the intent of the Legislature that daylight
12 saving time shall be the year-round standard time of the entire
13 State of Mississippi and all of its political subdivisions.

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

