

By: Representative Robinson

To: Transportation

HOUSE BILL NO. 530

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 27-19-33, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO PROVIDE THAT LICENSE TAGS FOR CERTAIN UTILITY TRAILERS SHALL BE
3 THE SAME SIZE AS LICENSE TAGS FOR MOTORCYCLES; AND FOR RELATED
4 PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Section 27-19-33, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
7 amended as follows:

8 27-19-33. A license tag and up to two (2) decals of the same
9 size and similar design as prescribed in Section 27-19-31 shall be
10 issued for all trailers and semitrailers except rental trailers
11 registered under the provisions of this article except that the
12 license tag shall bear the word "TRAILER" in addition to the other
13 information. For a utility trailer that is a flat bed, tilt or
14 drop gate trailer and is not more than nine (9) feet in width, not
15 more than twenty-four (24) feet in length and has a gross vehicle
16 weight of five thousand (5,000) pounds or less, the license tag
17 shall be the same size as the license tag for motorcycles. The
18 owners of all such trailers shall attach such tags and decals in a
19 conspicuous position on the rear of each trailer under the rear



20 light so that it will be visible at night at a distance of sixty
21 (60) feet. This section shall not apply to trailers and
22 semitrailers subject to the tax levied in Section 27-19-18.

23 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
24 and after July 1, 2021.

