

By: Representative Bain

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 421

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION TO THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC
2 SAFETY FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSTRUCTING, STAFFING AND EQUIPPING A
3 NEW REGIONAL LABORATORY OF THE MISSISSIPPI FORENSICS LABORATORY IN
4 CORINTH, MISSISSIPPI, FOR THE FISCAL YEAR 2023.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** The following sum, or so much of it as may be
7 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State General
8 Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Department of Public
9 Safety for the purpose of constructing, staffing and equipping a
10 new regional laboratory of the Mississippi Forensics Laboratory in
11 Corinth, Mississippi, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 2022,
12 and ending June 30, 2023.....\$ 1,874,678.00.

13 **SECTION 2.** The money appropriated by Section 1 of this act
14 shall be expended as follows:

- 15 (a) Facility construction.....\$ 1,300,000.00.
- 16 (b) Personnel salaries and fringe\$ 470,888.00.
- 17 (c) Contract employees.....\$ 103,790.00.
- 18 TOTAL.....\$ 1,874,678.00.



