To: Ways and Means

By: Representative Hopkins

HOUSE BILL NO. 548

- AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 27-51-41.1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO PROVIDE THAT THE TRUE VALUE OF MOTOR HOMES AND TRAILERS SHALL BE EXEMPT FROM AD VALOREM TAXATION; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 5 **SECTION 1.** Section 27-51-41.1, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
- 6 amended as follows:
- 7 27-51-41.1. (1) As used in this section:
- 8 (a) "Motorcycle" shall have the meaning ascribed to
- 9 such term in Section 27-19-3.
- 10 (b) "Motor home" means an individually owned private
- 11 carrier of passengers as defined in Section 27-19-3 whose primary
- 12 purpose is to provide transportation and human living facilities,
- 13 including, at a minimum, sleeping facilities, bath and toilet
- 14 facilities and food storage and preparation facilities.
- 15 (c) "Trailer" shall have the meaning ascribed to such
- 16 term in Section 27-19-3. The term "trailer" shall not include
- 17 semitrailers as defined in Section 27-19-3, other than those that
- 18 are used for recreational purposes.

- 19 (2) (a) From and after July 1, 2006, through September 30,
- 20 2007, sixty percent (60%) of the true value of all motorcycles,
- 21 motor homes and trailers upon which the owner is required to pay
- 22 the annual highway privilege tax levied in Chapter 19, Title 27,
- 23 Mississippi Code of 1972, shall be exempt from ad valorem
- 24 taxation.
- 25 (b) From and after October 1, 2007, through September
- 26 30, 2008, fifty-five percent (55%) of the true value of all
- 27 motorcycles, motor homes and trailers upon which the owner is
- 28 required to pay the annual highway privilege tax levied in Chapter
- 29 19, Title 27, Mississippi Code of 1972, shall be exempt from ad
- 30 valorem taxation.
- 31 (c) Except as otherwise provided in paragraph (d) of
- 32 this subsection (2), from and after October 1, 2008, fifty percent
- 33 (50%) of the true value of all motorcycles, motor homes and
- 34 trailers upon which the owner is required to pay the annual
- 35 highway privilege tax levied in Chapter 19, Title 27, Mississippi
- 36 Code of 1972, shall be exempt from ad valorem taxation.
- 37 (d) From and after October 1, 2023, the entire true
- 38 value of all motor homes and trailers upon which the owner is
- 39 required to pay the annual highway privilege tax levied in Chapter
- 40 19, Title 27, Mississippi Code of 1972, shall be exempt from ad
- 41 valorem taxation.
- 42 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 43 and after July 1, 2022.

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