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To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 1143

1 AN ACT TO PROHIBIT PEACE OFFICERS FROM USING MAXIMAL, PRONE  
2 RESTRAINT TECHNIQUES, INCLUDING HOGTYING; AND FOR RELATED  
3 PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** (1) A peace officer may not use a maximal, prone  
6 restraint technique, including, but not limited to, hogtying, on  
7 another person in the course of his or her duties as a peace  
8 officer.

9 (2) Any policies pertaining to the use of force adopted by  
10 law enforcement agencies must be consistent with this section.

11 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
12 and after July 1, 2022.

