

By: Representative Shanks

To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 757

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 99-19-75, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,  
2 TO REMOVE CERTAIN ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENTS FROM THE CRIME OF SIMPLE  
3 ASSAULT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 99-19-75, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
6 amended as follows:

7 99-19-75. (1) In addition to any monetary penalties and any  
8 other penalties imposed by law, there shall be imposed and  
9 collected from each person upon whom a court imposes a fine or  
10 other penalty for any violation of Section 97-3-65 \* \* \* or 97-5-1  
11 et seq. \* \* \*, when committed against a minor, an assessment of  
12 One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) to be deposited into the  
13 Mississippi Children's Trust Fund created in Section 93-21-305,  
14 using the procedures described in Section 99-19-73.

15 (2) In addition to any monetary penalties and any other  
16 penalties imposed by law, there shall be imposed and collected  
17 from each person upon whom a court imposes a fine or other penalty  
18 for any violation of Section \* \* \* 97-3-54.1, 97-3-65, 97-3-95,



19 97-5-1 et seq., or 97-29-51 an assessment of One Thousand Dollars  
20 (\$1,000.00) to be deposited into the "Victims of Human Trafficking  
21 and Commercial Sexual Exploitation Fund" created in Section  
22 97-3-54.11.

23       **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
24 and after July 1, 2023.

