To: Judiciary A

By: Representative Horne

HOUSE BILL NO. 910

- AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 45-13-9, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO AUTHORIZE THE SALE OF FIREWORKS YEAR-ROUND; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 5 **SECTION 1.** Section 45-13-9, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
- 6 amended as follows:
- 7 45-13-9. * * * Fireworks shall be available at retail
- 8 year-round. No fireworks shall be sold to any person under the
- 9 age of twelve (12) years. It shall be unlawful to ignite or
- 10 discharge fireworks of any type within six hundred (600) feet of
- 11 any church, hospital or school, or within seventy-five (75) feet
- 12 of where fireworks are stored or offered for sale. It shall also
- 13 be unlawful to ignite or discharge the same within or throw the
- 14 same from or into or at any motor vehicle.
- 15 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 16 and after July 1, 2023.