

By: Senator(s) Boyd, Chassaniol, Jackson

To: Highways and  
Transportation

SENATE BILL NO. 2546

1 AN ACT TO DESIGNATE A SEGMENT OF MISSISSIPPI HIGHWAY 51 IN  
2 PANOLA COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, AS THE "JOE KENNETH COSBY MEMORIAL  
3 HIGHWAY" IN MEMORY OF THE LATE FORMER DEPUTY SHERIFF JOE KENNETH  
4 COSBY; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** (1) The section of Mississippi Highway 51  
7 located in Panola County, Mississippi, beginning at Thermos Drive  
8 in Batesville, Mississippi, and extending approximately one (1)  
9 mile south to Viney Creek Road in Batesville, Mississippi, is  
10 designated and shall be known as the "Deputy Joe Kenneth Cosby  
11 Memorial Highway" in memory of the late former Deputy Sheriff Joe  
12 Kenneth Cosby of Panola, Mississippi.

13 (2) The Mississippi Department of Transportation shall erect  
14 and maintain appropriate signs along and approaching the segment  
15 of highway described in subsection (1) of this section.

16 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from  
17 and after its passage.

