

**Adopted  
AMENDMENT NO 1 PROPOSED TO**

**Senate Bill No. 2530**

**BY: Senator(s) DeLano**

1       **AMEND by inserting the following new section after line 23**  
2 **and renumbering subsequent sections accordingly:**

3       **SECTION \*.** The following shall be codified as Section 49-27-  
4 4.1, Mississippi Code of 1972:-27-4.1, Mississippi Code of 1972:  
5       49-27-4.1 (1) The Mississippi Department of Marine  
6 Resources is authorized and directed to designate the "Big  
7 Island", 57 acres located at the physical address of 0 Mouth of  
8 Back Bay of Biloxi in Harrison County, Mississippi, as "Gollott  
9 Island" in honor of the role of Senator Thomas A. Gollott in the  
10 development of the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Big Island is more  
11 particularly described as Patent No. 1211672 Big Island Lot 2 of  
12 Section 22-7-9 A Swamp and Overflowed land located at the mouth of  
13 the Back Bay of Biloxi. The Mississippi Department of Marine  
14 Resources is further authorized and directed to designate the



15 breakwater improvements on the south side of the island as  
16 "Godfather Point".

17 (2) The Mississippi Department of Marine Resources in  
18 conjunction with the Office of the Secretary of State are further  
19 authorized to erect appropriate markers and signs indicating the  
20 location of "Gollott Island" and "Godfather Point" and other  
21 pertinent information on the mission, trail systems and visitor  
22 guidelines relating to the Mississippi Coastal Plain.

23 **FURTHER, AMEND the title by inserting the following after the**  
24 **semicolon on line 6:**

25 TO CODIFY SECTION 49-27-4.1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO  
26 AUTHORIZE AND DIRECT THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF MARINE  
27 RESOURCES TO DESIGNATE THE BIG ISLAND AT THE MOUTH OF THE BACK BAY  
28 OF BILOXI AS "GOLLOTT ISLAND" AND THE BREAKWATER IMPROVEMENTS ON  
29 THE SOUTH SIDE OF THE ISLAND AS "GODFATHER POINT" IN HONOR OF  
30 SENATOR THOMAS A. GOLLOTT'S ROLE IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF THE  
31 MISSISSIPPI GULF COAST;

