MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION 2024

By: Representative Hines

To: Public Health and Human Services; Apportionment and Elections

HOUSE BILL NO. 28

- AN ACT TO REPEAL SECTION 43-1-13, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, WHICH PROVIDES THAT NO COMMISSIONER OR ANY OTHER EMPLOYEE OF THE STATE OR COUNTY WELFARE DEPARTMENTS SHALL TAKE AN ACTIVE PART IN ANY PARTISAN POLITICAL CAMPAIGN; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 6 **SECTION 1.** Section 43-1-13, Mississippi Code of 1972, which
- 7 provides that no commissioner or any other employee of the state
- 8 or county welfare departments shall take an active part in any
- 9 partisan political campaign, is repealed.
- 10 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 11 and after July 1, 2024.