By: Representatives Creekmore IV, Hall To: Transportation

HOUSE BILL NO. 991

- AN ACT TO DESIGNATE THE ENTIRE SEGMENT OF INTERSTATE 22 THAT LIES WITHIN THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, ALONG WITH A PORTION OF U.S.
- 3 HIGHWAY 78 LOCATED IN BYHALIA, DESOTO COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, THAT
- 4 EXTENDS NORTHWESTERLY TO ITS POINT OF BEGINNING AT THE
- 5 MISSISSIPPI-TENNESSEE STATE LINE, AS THE "MEDAL OF HONOR TRAIL";
- 6 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 8 **SECTION 1.** (1) The entire segment of Interstate 22
- 9 traversing through DeSoto, Marshall, Benton, Union, Pontotoc, Lee
- 10 and Itawamba Counties, Mississippi, beginning at the convergence
- 11 of Interstate 269 with U.S. Highway 78 in Byhalia, Mississippi,
- 12 and extending southeasterly to its ending at the
- 13 Mississippi-Alabama state line, in conjunction with that portion
- 14 of U.S. Highway 78, which converges with Interstate 269 in
- 15 Byhalia, Mississippi, and extending northwesterly to its ending at
- 16 the Mississippi-Tennessee state line, is designated and shall be
- 17 known as the "Medal of Honor Trail."
- 18 (2) The Mississippi Department of Transportation shall erect
- 19 and maintain appropriate signs along and approaching the segment
- 20 of highway described in subsection (1) of this section.

- 21 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 22 and after July 1, 2024.

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ST: "Medal of Honor Trail"; designate portion of Interstate 22 and U.S. Highway 78 within the State of Mississippi as.