MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE

REGULAR SESSION 2024

By: Representatives Read, Cockerham To: Appropriations A

HOUSE BILL NO. 1830

1 AN ACT MAKING AN ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATION OF CAPITAL EXPENSE 2 FUNDS AND SPECIAL FUNDS FOR FISCAL YEARS 2024 AND 2025 TO DEFRAY 3 THE EXPENSES OF THE MISSISSIPPI STATE BOARD OF DENTAL EXAMINERS; 4 THE MISSISSIPPI EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AGENCY; THE MISSISSIPPI 5 DEVELOPMENT AUTHORITY; THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE; THE 6 MISSISSIPPI WIRELESS COMMUNICATION COMMISSION; AND THE MISSISSIPPI 7 STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES. 8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI: 9 **SECTION 1.** In addition to all other sums herein 10 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be 11 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury to the credit of the Mississippi State Board of Dental Examiners 12 13 and allocated in a manner as determined by the Treasurer's Office, 14 to defray the expenses of the Mississippi State Board of Dental

15 Examiners for the period beginning upon passage, and ending June

16 30, 2025.....\$ 320,000.00.

This additional appropriation is for the purpose defraying 17

18 the costs of relocating the agency, facility inspections, and

replacing the agency's database system. 19

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This additional appropriation is for the purpose of reimbursing the Disaster Trust Fund for expenditures incurred for the 2023 Wildfire Coordination Mission.

30 SECTION 3. In addition to all other sums herein appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be 31 32 necessary, is appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury to the credit of the Mississippi Development Authority and 33 allocated in a manner as determined by the Treasurer's Office, to 34 35 defray the expenses of the Mississippi Development Authority for 36 the period beginning July 1, 2023, and ending June 30, 2024.....\$ 5,000,000.00. 37

This additional appropriation is for the purpose of defraying the cost of the Forestry Facility Grant Program established in Section 57-1-781, Mississippi Code of 1972.

41 SECTION 4. In addition to all other sums herein 42 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be 43 necessary, is appropriated out of any money to the credit of the 44 Capital Expense Fund, and allocated in a manner as determined by

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45 the Treasurer's Office, to defray the expenses of the Office of 46 the Secretary of State for the period upon passage, and ending 47 June 30, 2025.....\$ 3,977,000.00. 48 This additional appropriation is for the purpose of defraying

49 the expenses of software system updates and upgrades.

50 SECTION 5. In addition to all other sums herein appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is 51 52 appropriated out of any money in the State Treasury to the credit 53 of the Mississippi Wireless Communication Commission and allocated 54 in a manner as determined by the Treasurer's Office, to defray the 55 expenses of the Mississippi Wireless Communication Commission for 56 the period beginning upon passage, and ending June 30, 2025..... 57\$ 3,900,000.00.

58 This additional appropriation is for the purpose of defraying 59 the cost associated with adding new statewide communication 60 towers.

61 SECTION 6. In addition to all other sums herein 62 appropriated, the following sum, or so much thereof as may be 63 necessary, is appropriated out of any money to the credit of the 64 Capital Expense Fund and allocated in a manner as determined by 65 the Treasurer's Office to defray the expenses of the Mississippi 66 State Department of Health for the period beginning January 1, 67 2024, and ending December 31, 2024......\$ 2,772,010.00.

H. B. No. 1830 24/HR13/ANAP2 PAGE 3 This additional appropriation is provided for defraying the costs of legal expenses associated with the City of Jackson's water litigation.

71 SECTION 7. This act shall take effect and be in force from 72 and after its passage.

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