To: Judiciary B

By: Representative Summers

HOUSE BILL NO. 4102

- AN ACT TO RESTORE THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE TO JOSEPH EARL GREER OF HINDS COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.
- 3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 4 **SECTION 1.** The right of suffrage is hereby fully and
- 5 completely restored to Joseph Earl Greer of Hinds County,
- 6 Mississippi, who was disqualified as an elector as a result of his
- 7 conviction for the crime of forgery, in Hinds County, for which he
- 8 was sentenced to serve six (6) months in the custody of the
- 9 Mississippi Department of Corrections. He was released due to
- 10 expiration of sentence on December 4, 1993. On November 9, 2000,
- 11 in Rankin County, Mississippi, he was convicted for the crime of
- 12 grand larceny, and sentenced to serve five (5) years on probation
- 13 under the supervision of the Mississippi Department of
- 14 Corrections. On March 14, 2011, in Hinds County, he was convicted
- 15 of the crime of possession of cocaine and sentenced to serve five
- 16 (5) years probation under the supervision of the Mississippi
- 17 Department of Corrections.

- He was discharged on March 14, 2016. The Legislature is
- 19 informed that he has since conducted himself as a law-abiding and
- 20 honorable citizen in a good and lawful manner.
- 21 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 22 and after its passage.