By: Senator(s) McCaughn

To: Judiciary, Division B

SENATE BILL NO. 3083

- AN ACT TO RESTORE THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE TO LARRY SILLS OF NEWTON COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI.
- 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 Larry Sills of Newton County, Mississippi,
- 6 who was disqualified as an elector as a result of his convictions
- 7 of the crimes:
- 8 (a) Of burglary and larceny in 1981 in Newton County,
- 9 Mississippi; and
- 10 (b) Of grand larceny in 1985 in Newton County,
- 11 Mississippi.
- 12 Sills was also convicted of escape in 1982. He was sentenced
- 13 to serve four (4) years for the 1981 conviction, one (1) year for
- 14 the 1982 conviction, and four (4) years for the 1985 conviction in
- 15 the custody of the Department of Corrections. He was finally
- 16 discharged on October 29, 1989. Since that time, he has conducted
- 17 himself as a law-abiding and honorable citizen in a good and
- 18 lawful manner.

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19 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from

20 and after its passage.