

By: Representative Karriem

To: Judiciary B

HOUSE BILL NO. 1967

1 AN ACT TO RESTORE THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE TO TRACEY RICE OF
2 LOWNDES 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 Tracey Rice of Lowndes County, Mississippi,
6 who was disqualified as an elector as a result of her conviction
7 for the crime of shoplifting in Lowndes County, on May 21, 2014,
8 for which she was sentenced to serve five (5) years probation
9 under the supervision of the Mississippi Department of
10 Corrections. Upon release to probation, she violated probation
11 and it was revoked. On September 2, 2016, she was charged for
12 possession of a controlled substance and sentenced to serve one
13 (1) year house arrest under the supervision of the Mississippi
14 Department of Corrections.

15 She was released to probation on April 27, 2017, and
16 discharged on July 14, 2017. The Legislature is informed that she
17 has since conducted herself as a law-abiding and honorable citizen
18 in a good and lawful manner.



19 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
20 and after its passage.

