To: Judiciary B

By: Representative Summers

HOUSE BILL NO. 1972

- AN ACT TO RESTORE THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE TO LASONDRA BOWLING OF RANKIN 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 Lasondra Bowling of Rankin County,
- 6 Mississippi, who was disqualified as an elector as a result of her
- 7 conviction for the crime of Embezzlement on April 21, 2014, in
- 8 Rankin County, for which she was sentenced to serve five (5) years
- 9 in the custody of the Mississippi Department of Corrections
- 10 followed by five (5) years on probation. On November 26, 2012,
- 11 she was convicted of Conspiracy to Commit a Crime in Rankin
- 12 County, for which she was sentenced to serve five (5) years
- 13 probation. On April 29, 2014, she was sentenced for the crime of
- 14 conspiracy to commit a crime for which she was sentenced to serve
- 15 two (2) years in the custody of the Mississippi Department of
- 16 Corrections followed by three (3) years, nine (9) months and one
- 17 (1) day probation. She was released to parole on December 7,
- 18 2015.

- She was released to probation on October 10, 2017, and was discharged from probation on May 26, 2020. The Legislature is informed that she has since conducted herself as a law-abiding and honorable citizen in a good and lawful manner.
- 23 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from 24 and after its passage.