To: Judiciary B

By: Representative Summers

HOUSE BILL NO. 1999

- AN ACT TO RESTORE THE RIGHT OF SUFFRAGE TO THOMAS G. OWENS OF LAMAR 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 Thomas G. Owens of Lamar County,
- 6 Mississippi, who was disqualified as an elector as a result of his
- 7 conviction for the crime of burglary nonresidential and malicious
- 8 mischief in Harrison County, on October 21, 2019, for which he was
- 9 sentenced to serve four (4) years on post release supervision
- 10 under the Mississippi Department of Corrections.
- He was discharged from probation on April 27, 2021. The
- 12 Legislature is informed that he has since conducted himself as a
- 13 law-abiding and honorable citizen in a good and lawful manner.
- 14 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 15 and after its passage.