

By: Senator(s) Farris

To: Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 2425

1 AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION OF STATE GENERAL FUNDS TO THE
2 DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN SERVICES FOR THE PURPOSE OF EXPANDING THE
3 ADOLESCENT OFFENDER PROGRAM STATEWIDE FROM EIGHT TO FIFTEEN SITES,
4 FOR FISCAL YEAR 2000.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:

6 SECTION 1. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be
7 necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
8 General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Department of
9 Human Services for the purpose of defraying the expenses to expand
10 the Adolescent Offender Program from eight (8) to fifteen (15)
11 sites for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June
12 30, 2000..... \$1,250,000.00.

13 SECTION 2. It is the intention of the Legislature that the
14 Fiscal Year 1998 funding level provided for the eight (8) existing
15 Adolescent Offender Program sites in Clarksdale, Hattiesburg,
16 Jackson, Natchez, Ocean Springs, Starkville, Tupelo and Vicksburg
17 be continued in Fiscal Year 2000. It is further the intention of
18 the Legislature that the funding provided in this act shall be
19 considered the additional funding required for seven (7)
20 additional Adolescent Offender Program sites.

21 SECTION 3. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
22 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State General Fund not
23 otherwise appropriated, upon warrants issued by the State Fiscal
24 Officer; and the State Fiscal Officer shall issue his warrants
25 upon requisitions signed by the proper person, officer or
26 officers, in the manner provided by law.

27 SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from

28 and after July 1, 1999.