

**REPORT OF CONFERENCE COMMITTEE**

**MR. PRESIDENT AND MR. SPEAKER:**

**We, the undersigned conferees, have had under consideration the amendments to the following entitled BILL:**

S.B. No. 3140: Appropriation; College of Veterinary Medicine.

**We, therefore, respectfully submit the following report and recommendation:**

- 1. That the House recede from its Amendment No. 1.**
- 2. That the Senate and House adopt the following amendment:**

**Amend by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

SECTION 1. That the following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the State General Fund not otherwise appropriated, to the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning to be used for the operation of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Mississippi State University, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000..... \$ 10,063,593.00.

SECTION 2. The following sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby authorized for expenditure out of any special source funds which are collected by or otherwise become available for the purpose of defraying the expenses of the College of Veterinary Medicine at Mississippi State University, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and ending June 30, 2000..... \$ 4,570,000.00.

SECTION 3. Any transfer shall be made in accordance with the terms, conditions and procedures established by law.

No general funds authorized to be expended herein shall be used to replace federal funds and/or other special funds which are being used for salaries authorized under the provisions of this act and which are withdrawn and no longer available.

SECTION 4. It is the intention of the Legislature that the agency's budget request for Fiscal Year 2001 shall be submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget Committee in a format and level of detail comparable to the format and level of detail provided

during the Fiscal Year 2000 budget request process.

SECTION 5. Of the funds appropriated in Section 2, the following amounts shall be derived from the Education Enhancement Fund as follows:

(a) Six Hundred Thirty-five Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$635,500.00) shall be derived from funds deposited pursuant to Sections 27-65-75 and 27-67-31, Mississippi Code of 1972.

(b) One Million Two Hundred Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Dollars (\$1,214,500.00) shall be derived from funds deposited pursuant to Section 27-103-203(1), Mississippi Code of 1972.

SECTION 6. In compliance with the "Mississippi Performance Budget and Strategic Planning Act of 1994," it is the intent of the Legislature that the funds provided herein shall be utilized in the most efficient and effective manner possible to achieve the intended mission of this agency. Based on the funding authorized, this agency shall make every effort to attain the targeted performance measures provided below:

	FY2000
<u>Performance Measures</u>	<u>Target</u>
INSTRUCTION	
Students Enrolled (Students)	240
FTE Committed to Teaching in DVM (Persons)	23
RESEARCH	
Graduate Students Enrolled (Students)	32
Grants/Contracts Applied For (Grants)	32
Grants/Contracts Awarded (Grants)	27
PUBLIC SERVICE - ANIMAL HEALTH CENTER	
AHC Caseload Managed (Cases)	7,600
Student Clinical Training (Hours)	175,000
Average Revenue Per Clinical Case (\$)	150
Consultation Hours/Clinical Faculty (Hrs)	365
PUBLIC SERVICE - DIAGNOSTIC LAB	
Animal Examined or Treated (Animals)	92,813

65	CAP Workload of Four Major Labs (Cases)	1,274,571
66	Productivity of Labs - CAP Workload/FTE (%)	94

67 ACADEMIC SUPPORT

68	Wise Center Patrons (Persons)	53,000
69	Animals Purchased and Processed (Animals)	12,434
70	Transactions Processed (Transactions)	50,000
71	Cost per Accounting Transaction (\$)	20.00

72 OPERATION & MAINTENANCE

73	Operation and Maintenance Services (Sq.Ft.)	444,765
74	Cost Per Sq. Ft. of Maintenance (\$)	.95
75	Custodial Services (Sq. Ft.)	218,123
76	Cost Per Sq. Ft. of Custodial (\$)	.95

77 A reporting of the degree to which the performance targets  
78 set above have been or are being achieved shall be provided in the  
79 agency's budget request submitted to the Joint Legislative Budget  
80 Committee for Fiscal Year 2001.

81 SECTION 7. Should revenues generated and deposited to the  
82 Education Enhancement Fund pursuant to Section 27-103-203(1),  
83 Mississippi Code of 1972, fall below funds appropriated herein  
84 from said source, the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of  
85 Higher Learning shall notify the Department of Finance and  
86 Administration as to which allotments shall be reduced to insure  
87 that expenditures do not exceed actual revenues.

88 SECTION 8. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by  
89 the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the  
90 credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon  
91 warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal  
92 Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the  
93 proper person, officer or officers in the manner provided by law.

94 SECTION 9. This act shall take effect and be in force from

95 and after July 1, 1999.  
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CONFEREES FOR THE SENATE:

**X**\_\_\_\_\_  
Dick Hall

**X**\_\_\_\_\_  
Terry L. Jordan

**X**\_\_\_\_\_  
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CONFEREES FOR THE HOUSE:

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