Adopted AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

House Bill NO. 1624

By Senator(s) Committee

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

6	SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be
7	necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any money in the State
8	General Fund not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying
9	salaries and travel expenses of district attorneys and assistant
10	district attorneys of the state and paying office expenses of
11	district attorneys for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1999, and
12	ending June 30, 2000\$ 12,313,041.00.
13	SECTION 2. Of the funds appropriated under the provisions of
14	Section 1, not more than the amounts set forth below shall be
15	expended for the respective purposes:
16	(a) Salaries and travel expenses of district attorneys,
17	assistant district attorneys and criminal investigators of the
18	state:
19	Salaries\$11,098,386.00
20	Travel Expenses
21	Tort Claims Assessment\$ 31,488.00
22	None of the funds authorized in this section shall be used to
23	reimburse district attorneys or their staff for taxable meals
24	incurred within their geographical district.
25	(b) Office expenses of district attorneys as authorized
26	by Section 25-31-8, Mississippi Code of 1972

27	\$ 768,000.00.
28	SECTION 3. Of the funds appropriated in Section 1,
29	Eighty-five Thousand Ninety-nine Dollars (\$85,099.00) is provided
30	to fund salary and office expense for one (1) full-time legal
31	assistant in the Sixth Circuit Court District as authorized in
32	Section 25-31-5(2)(f), Mississippi Code of 1972.
33	SECTION 4. The money herein appropriated shall be paid by
34	the State Treasurer out of any money in the State Treasury to the
35	credit of the proper fund or funds as set forth in this act, upon
36	warrants issued by the State Fiscal Officer; and the State Fiscal
37	Officer shall issue his warrants upon requisitions signed by the
38	proper person, officer or officers, in the manner provided by law.
39	SECTION 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from
40	and after July 1, 1999.