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To: Local and Private Legislation

## HOUSE BILL NO. 367

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- AS AMENDED BY CHAPTER 857, LOCAL AND PRIVATE LAWS OF 1992, TO
- 3 INCREASE THE AMOUNT OF THE MINIMUM MONTHLY BENEFITS AUTHORIZED FOR
- 4 PERSONS RECEIVING BENEFITS UNDER THE DISABILITY AND RELIEF FUND
- 5 FOR FIREMEN AND POLICEMEN OF THE CITY OF VICKSBURG; AND FOR
- 6 RELATED PURPOSES.
- 7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 8 SECTION 1. Chapter 899, Local and Private Laws of 1988, as
- 9 amended by Chapter 857, Local and Private Laws of 1992, is amended
- 10 as follows:
- 11 Section 1. The governing authorities of the City of
- 12 Vicksburg, Mississippi, are authorized, in their discretion, to
- 13 appropriate and transfer annually from the general fund of the
- 14 city to the Disability and Relief Fund for Firemen and Policemen
- 15 of the city sufficient additional funds to provide for the payment
- of minimum monthly benefits of not less than Five Hundred Dollars
- 17 (\$500.00) per month to all persons now or hereafter entitled to
- 18 receive benefits under any provision of Section 21-29-101 et seq.,
- 19 Mississippi Code of 1972, by virtue of service  $\underline{as\ a}$  member of the
- 20 fire and/or police department of the City of Vicksburg. When the
- 21 governing authorities of the City of Vicksburg, by resolution duly
- 22 adopted and entered on their minutes, have transferred sufficient
- 23 additional funds to fund such minimum monthly benefits, as

- 24 determined by the Board of Trustees of the Public Employees'
- 25 Retirement System of Mississippi, then the board of trustees shall
- 26 pay such minimum monthly payments to the persons authorized and
- 27 entitled to receive such benefits.
- 28 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 29 and after its passage.