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To: Conservation and
Water Resources

HOUSE BILL NO. 1042

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 49-15-19, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972 TO
2 REMOVE THE REPEALER ON THE AUTHORIZATION OF AN ATTORNEY FOR THE
3 DEPARTMENT OF MARINE RESOURCES; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 SECTION 1. Section 49-15-19, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
6 amended as follows:[LTR1]

7 49-15-19. The Attorney General shall be counsel and attorney
8 for the commission and department and shall provide legal services
9 as may be requested. The executive director is authorized to
10 employ legal counsel, after consultation with the Attorney
11 General, as may be necessary or appropriate for the operation of
12 the department. * * *

13 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
14 and after its passage.