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To: Ports and Marine Resources

## SENATE BILL NO. 2501

- AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 49-15-96, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
- 2 TO REVISE EXEMPTION ALLOWING THE KEEPING OF CERTAIN SEAFOOD CAUGHT
- 3 IN SHRIMP TRAWLS FOR PERSONAL CONSUMPTION; AND FOR RELATED
- 4 PURPOSES.
- 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 6 SECTION 1. Section 49-15-96, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
- 7 amended as follows:[LTR1]
- 8 49-15-96. Vessels licensed under Section 49-15-64.5 may keep
- 9 and clean, tenderloin or fillet, for personal consumption only the
- 10 following types of <u>seafood</u> which are caught in the shrimp nets or
- 11 trawls of the vessel: white trout (salmonidae family), ground
- 12 mullet (muglidae family), flounder (bothidae and pleuronctide
- 13 families) and crabs.
- 14 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 15 and after July 1, 2000.