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AMENDMENT No. 1 PROPOSED TO

Senate Bill NO. 2934

By Representative(s) Committee

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

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10 SECTION 1. Section 7-7-41, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
11 amended as follows:

12 7-7-41. The State Fiscal Officer may promulgate such
13 regulations and procedures as he may deem necessary in regard to
14 preauditing and postauditing claims and issuing warrants covering
15 payments for construction contracts entered into by the
16 Mississippi Department of Transportation, the Department of
17 Finance and Administration, the State Department of Education, or
18 by any other agency now existing or hereafter created, having
19 control and supervision of the awarding and payment of
20 construction contracts.

21 The State Fiscal Officer shall * * * prescribe rules and
22 regulations concerning the preauditing and postauditing of claims
23 and the issuance of warrants and other forms of payments for all
24 departments, institutions and agencies of the state, more
25 particularly those coming within the provisions of Sections 7-9-41
26 and 7-9-43, after full discussion with the fiscal officers
27 thereof, to the end that the most efficient overall state
28 accounting system may be maintained. Such regulations, however,
29 shall be of such nature and application that the State Fiscal

30Officer shall be able to maintain adequate records in his books of
31accounts of all fiscal operations of the state, and in no event
32shall the regular audit of the transactions of such departments,
33institutions and agencies by the State Department of Audit be
34suspended.

35 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from
36and after July 1, 2000.

**Further, amend by striking the title in its entirety and
inserting in lieu thereof the following:**

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-41, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO
2AUTHORIZE THE STATE FISCAL OFFICER TO PROMULGATE REGULATIONS AND
3PROCEDURES REGARDING THE POSTAUDITING OF CLAIMS AND THE ISSUANCE
4OF WARRANTS AND OTHER FORMS OF PAYMENTS FOR ALL STATE AGENCIES,
5DEPARTMENTS AND INSTITUTIONS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.