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To: Local and Private
Legislation

COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE
FOR
HOUSE BILL NO. 1677

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS OF RANKIN
2 COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, TO LEVY AN ASSESSMENT, IN ADDITION TO ANY
3 OTHER ASSESSMENTS AND COURT COSTS, FOR EACH TRAFFIC VIOLATION AND
4 MISDEMEANOR CASE FILED IN THE JUSTICE AND COUNTY COURTS OF THE
5 COUNTY; TO PROVIDE THAT THE AVAILS OF THE ADDITIONAL ASSESSMENT
6 SHALL BE USED TO FUND METRO JACKSON CRIME STOPPERS, INCORPORATED;
7 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

9 SECTION 1. (1) The Board of Supervisors of Rankin County,
10 Mississippi, in its discretion, by resolution duly adopted and
11 entered on its minutes, may levy an assessment, in addition to any
12 other assessments and court costs, not to exceed One Dollar
13 (\$1.00) per case, for each traffic violation and misdemeanor case
14 filed in the justice and county courts of Rankin County.

15 (2) The avails of the additional assessment imposed
16 pursuant to subsection (1) of this section shall be expended by
17 the county to fund Metro Jackson Crime Stoppers, Incorporated, for
18 use in crime prevention and procuring information to aid
19 authorities in the capture and conviction of persons committing
20 crimes in the county.

21 (3) The provisions of this section shall be repealed from
22 and after July 1, 2002.

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