

By: Representative Taylor

To: Judiciary A

HOUSE BILL NO. 324

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 11-35-61, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO REVISE THE COMPENSATION THAT THE COURT MAY AUTHORIZE A
3 GARNISHEE TO BE PAID FOR ATTENDANCE AT GARNISHMENT PROCEEDING; AND
4 FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Section 11-35-61, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
7 amended as follows:

8 11-35-61. The garnishee shall be allowed for his attendance,
9 out of the debts or effects in his possession, or against the
10 plaintiff in attachment, judgment, or decree in case there be no
11 debts or effects in his possession, provided he shall put in his
12 answer within the time prescribed by law, the pay and mileage of a
13 juror, and, in exceptional cases rendering it proper, the court
14 shall allow the garnishee reasonable compensation additional to
15 the foregoing and to be obtained in the same way which shall be
16 not less than Fifty Dollars (\$50.00) nor more than Seventy-five
17 Dollars (\$75.00).

18 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
19 and after July 1, 2002.

