

By: Representative Compretta

To: Transportation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1198

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE THAT WHENEVER LEGISLATION PLACES ANY
2 HIGHWAY, ROAD OR STREET OF A COUNTY, MUNICIPALITY OR POLITICAL
3 SUBDIVISION OF THE STATE ON THE DESIGNATED STATE HIGHWAY SYSTEM,
4 JURISDICTION OVER THE HIGHWAY, ROAD OR STREET FOR CONSTRUCTION AND
5 MAINTENANCE PURPOSES, UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFICALLY PROVIDED BY
6 LAW, SHALL REMAIN UNDER THE COUNTY, MUNICIPALITY OR POLITICAL
7 SUBDIVISION UNTIL BROUGHT UP TO APPLICABLE CONSTRUCTION STANDARDS
8 AS REQUIRED BY THE TRANSPORTATION COMMISSION AND THE DEPARTMENT OF
9 TRANSPORTATION; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

11 **SECTION 1.** Whenever, by legislation, any highway, street or
12 road under the jurisdiction of a county, municipality or other
13 political subdivision of the state is placed on the designated
14 state highway system under the jurisdiction of the Mississippi
15 Transportation Commission, such highway, street or road shall
16 become a state highway but, unless otherwise specifically provided
17 by law, shall remain under the jurisdiction of the county,
18 municipality or other political subdivision for construction and
19 maintenance purposes until brought up to applicable construction
20 standards as required by the commission and the Department of
21 Transportation.

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

