

By: Representative Rushing

To: Appropriations

HOUSE BILL NO. 1643

1 AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR AN INCREASE IN THE COMPENSATION OF LAW
2 ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS EMPLOYED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY;
3 AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** (1) The State Personnel Board shall adjust the
6 Colonial Guy Groff State Variable Compensation Plan in a manner
7 that will effectuate an increase, effective July 1, 2002, in the
8 annual compensation of each duly sworn law enforcement officer in
9 full-time employment with the Department of Public Safety by an
10 amount equal to Five Thousand Dollars (\$5,000.00).

11 (2) If the increases in compensation provided for in this
12 section would cause any employee's compensation to be in excess of
13 the compensation of the Commissioner of Public Safety, then that
14 employee's compensation shall be increased only to the extent that
15 the employee's salary will be equal in amount to the compensation
16 of the Commissioner of Public Safety.

17 (3) The Legislature shall appropriate the funds necessary to
18 provide for the increases in compensation provided for in this
19 section.

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

