

By: Representative Capps

To: Local and Private
Legislation

HOUSE BILL NO. 1875

1 AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS AND SHERIFF OF
2 BOLIVAR COUNTY, MISSISSIPPI, ON BEHALF OF THE BOLIVAR COUNTY
3 REGIONAL CORRECTIONAL FACILITY, TO EXTEND THE INMATE HOUSE
4 AGREEMENT ENTERED INTO WITH THE MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF
5 CORRECTIONS FOR AN ADDITIONAL FIVE YEARS; AND FOR RELATED
6 PURPOSES.

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

8 **SECTION 1.** Notwithstanding the provision in Section
9 47-5-933, Mississippi Code of 1972, establishing a maximum term of
10 twenty (20) years for contracts entered into by the Mississippi
11 Department of Corrections for the housing of state offenders in
12 regional facilities, the Board of Supervisors of Bolivar County,
13 Mississippi, and the Sheriff of Bolivar County, Mississippi, in
14 their discretion, may amend the Inmate Housing Agreement entered
15 into on behalf of the Bolivar County Regional Correctional
16 Facility with the Mississippi Department of Corrections pursuant
17 to the provisions of Sections 47-5-931 through 47-5-939,
18 Mississippi Code of 1972, for the purpose of extending the
19 twenty-year term of the agreement, which commenced on September
20 10, 1997, for an additional five (5) years.

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

