

By: Senator(s) Chaney

To: Universities and
Colleges; Appropriations

SENATE BILL NO. 2989

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 37-101-9, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO PROVIDE ANNUAL SALARIES FOR MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF
3 STATE INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

5 **SECTION 1.** Section 37-101-9, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
6 amended as follows:

7 37-101-9. The compensation of the President of the Board of
8 Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning shall be Five
9 Hundred Dollars (\$500.00) per month and the compensation of the
10 other members of said board shall be Three Hundred Dollars
11 (\$300.00) per month, plus mileage as authorized by law including
12 time of going to and returning from meetings of said board,
13 together with actual necessary expenses incident to the meetings
14 of the board, and in the discharge of duties prescribed by the
15 board.

16 The board of trustees shall hold two (2) regular slated
17 meetings annually, one (1) in June and the other in January, and
18 as many special meetings as may be necessary on call of the
19 president or on call of five (5) members. In either case, the
20 call shall be in writing and shall be mailed by registered letter
21 with return receipt requested, or by certified mail, to each and
22 every member at least five (5) days prior to the date of meeting.
23 Eight (8) members of the board shall constitute a quorum for the
24 transaction of business.

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

