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AMENDMENT No. 1 to S.B. No. 2250

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By SENATOR(S) Turner

Disposition: COIT Date: 02-19-04

Amend by inserting the following after line 282 and by renumbering subsequent sections accordingly:

6 SECTION ~~X~~. Section 23-15-11, Mississippi Code of 1972, is  
7 amended as follows:

8 23-15-11. (1) Every inhabitant of this state \* \* \* shall be  
9 a qualified elector in and for the county, municipality and voting  
10 precinct of his residence, and shall be entitled to vote at any  
11 election if the person:

12 (a) Is a citizen of the United States of America;

13 (b) Is eighteen (18) years old or older;

14 (c) \* \* \* Has resided in this state for thirty (30)

15 days, and for thirty (30) days in the county in which he offers to

16 vote, and for thirty (30) days in the incorporated city or town in

17 which he offers to vote, and who shall have been duly registered

18 as an elector pursuant to Section 23-15-33;

19 (d) Has not been determined mentally incompetent by a

20 final judgment of a court;

21 (e) Has not been finally convicted of a felony other

22 than manslaughter, any violation of the United States Internal

23 Revenue Code, or any violation of the tax laws of this state or,

24 if so convicted, has:

25 (i) Fully discharged the person's sentence,

26 including any term of incarceration, parole or supervision, or

27 completed a period of probation ordered by any court; or

28                   (ii) Been pardoned or otherwise released from the  
29 resulting disability to vote.

30       (2) Any person who will be eighteen (18) years of age or  
31 older on or before the date of the general election and who is  
32 duly registered to vote not less than thirty (30) days prior to  
33 the primary election associated with such general election may  
34 vote in such primary election even though such person has not  
35 reached his or her eighteenth birthday at the time such person  
36 offers to vote at such primary election.

37       (3) No others than those listed in this section shall be  
38 entitled, or shall be allowed, to vote at any election.

39       ~~SECTION 2. The Attorney General of the State of Mississippi~~  
40 ~~shall submit this act, immediately upon approval by the Governor,~~  
41 ~~or upon approval by the Legislature subsequent to a veto, to the~~  
42 ~~Attorney General of the United States or to the United States~~  
43 ~~District Court for the District of Columbia in accordance with the~~  
44 ~~provisions of the Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended and~~  
45 ~~extended.~~

46       SECTION 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from  
47 and after the date it is effectuated under Section 5 of the Voting  
48 Rights Act of 1965, as amended and extended, provided that the  
49 amendment to the Constitution proposed by Senate Concurrent  
50 Resolution No. \_\_\_\_\_, 2004 Regular Session, is certified by the  
51 Secretary of State as having been ratified by the people.

Further amend the title to conform

