By: Senator(s) Dearing

To: Judiciary, Division A

## SENATE BILL NO. 2593

L	AN AC	T TO:	PROVIDE	IMMUNITY	FROM :	SUIT 1	FOR THE	OWNER OF	
2	PROPERTY A	S AGA	INST THE	OPERATOR	OR R	IDER (	OF ANY	ALL-TERRAl	ΙN
3	VEHICLE; A	ND FO	R RELATE	D PURPOSE	S.				

- 4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI:
- 5 **SECTION 1.** Any person owning or controlling real estate or
- 6 other premises who, without having received compensation therefor,
- 7 fails to prevent entry upon the real estate or other premises by a
- 8 person or persons who are operating or riding upon any all-terrain
- 9 vehicle, shall not be civilly liable for negligently causing the
- 10 death of, or injury to, any person on or about such real estate or
- 11 premises or for loss of, or damage to, the property of such a
- 12 person. No cause of action shall lie against a landowner or his
- 13 successors in interest for damages to an operator of or rider on
- 14 an all-terrain vehicle while the operator or rider are on such
- 15 lands unless the damage is caused by the intentional tortious
- 16 conduct of the landowner or his agent.
- 17 **SECTION 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from
- 18 and after July 1, 2004.