

By: Representative Malone

To: Corrections

HOUSE BILL NO. 763

1 AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 47-5-110.1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972,
2 TO INCREASE THE MILEAGE AMOUNT FROM THIRTY-FIVE TO FORTY CENTS PER
3 MILE THAT AN OFFENDER PAYS WHENEVER AN OFFENDER REQUESTS A
4 TRANSFER FROM ONE FACILITY TO ANOTHER; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

6 **SECTION 1.** Section 47-5-110.1, Mississippi Code of 1972, is
7 amended as follows:

8 47-5-110.1. Whenever an offender in the custody of the
9 Department of Corrections is transferred, upon request, from one
10 (1) facility to another, the offender must pay to the department
11 an amount equal to Forty Cents (\$.40) per mile for each mile
12 traveled from the transferor facility to the transferee facility
13 or Twenty-five Dollars (\$25.00), whichever is greater, to cover
14 the costs of the transfer. An offender may not be required to pay
15 for the costs of any transfer that is initiated by the Department
16 of Corrections.

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