MISSISSIPPI LEGISLATURE REGULAR SESSION 2008

By: Representatives Bondurant, Mayo, Ellington, Espy

To: Conservation and Water Resources

HOUSE BILL NO. 708

AN ACT TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE AND ADMINISTRATION TO CREATE A REPORT OF MISSISSIPPI-BASED COMPANIES THAT MANUFACTURE PRODUCTS USING RECYCLED MATERIALS TO STATE AGENCIES; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. (1) In addition to any other duties of the Department of Finance and Administration (DFA), by January 1, 2009, the DFA shall create a report of Mississippi-based companies that manufacture products using recycled materials. In addition to the name, location and phone number of the company, the report shall include:

(a) The name of products that are produced using recycled materials; and

(b) The percent of the product that is made from recycled materials; and

(c) The recommended use of such products by state agencies.

(2) The DFA shall negotiate a price for the purchase of the products by state agencies and political subdivisions of the state and create rules and regulations to encourage state agencies and political subdivisions of the state to purchase the products at the negotiated prices.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after July 1, 2008.

ST: Recycled materials; require DFA to create a report of Mississippi-based companies who use.