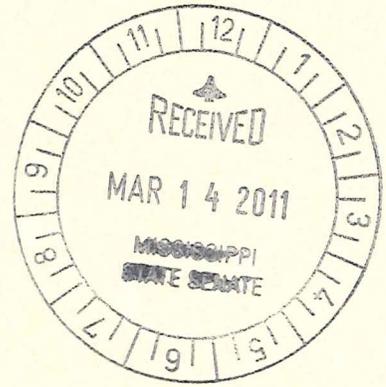


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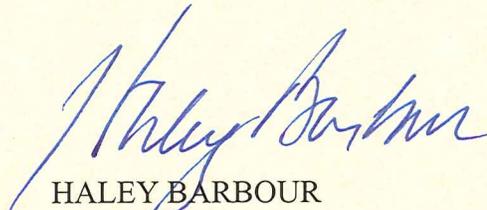
TO THE MISSISSIPPI STATE SENATE:

GOVERNOR'S VETO MESSAGE FOR SENATE BILL 2536

I am returning Senate Bill Number 2536: "AN ACT TO REENACT SECTION 37-11-1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, AND TO AMEND SECTION 2 OF CHAPTER 484, LAWS OF 2009, TO DELETE THE AUTOMATIC REPEALER ON THE PROVISION ALLOWING PARENTAL CHOICE FOR THE PLACEMENT OF TWINS IN THE SAME OR IN SEPARATE CLASSROOMS; TO AMEND SECTION 37-43-1, MISSISSIPPI CODE OF 1972, TO AUTHORIZE LOCAL SCHOOL BOARDS TO OFFER SURPLUS INVENTORY TEXTBOOKS TO PARENTS OR GUARDIANS OF STUDENTS RESIDING IN THE SCHOOL DISTRICT; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES." without my approval, and assign the following reasons for my veto.

Senate Bill 2536 is identical to House Bill 637 which I have signed into law today. Therefore, there is no need for Senate Bill 2536.

Respectfully submitted,


HALEY BARBOUR
GOVERNOR

