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***SENATE BILL NO. 2516***

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SENATE BILL NO. 2516

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSION ON MARINE RESOURCES TO SUSPEND THE LICENSE OF A PERSON FOR BEING OUT OF COMPLIANCE WITH AN ORDER FOR SUPPORT; TO REVOKE THE LICENSE OF A PERSON VIOLATING SEAFOOD LAWS, FAILING TO COMPLY WITH A SUMMONS OR FAILING TO PAY A FINE; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

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

**SECTION 1.** (1) The commission is authorized to suspend any license issued to any person under this chapter for being out of compliance with an order for support, as defined in Section 93-11-153. The procedure for suspension of a license for being out of compliance with an order for support, and the procedure for the reissuance or reinstatement of a license suspended for that purpose, and the payment of any fees for the reissuance or reinstatement of a license suspended for that purpose, shall be governed by Section 93-11-157 or 93-11-163, as the case may be. If there is any conflict between any provision of Section 93-11-157 or 93-11-163 and any provision of this chapter, the provisions of Section 93-11-157 or 93-11-163, as the case may be, shall control.

(2) If a person does not comply with a summons or a citation or does not pay a fine, fee or assessment for violating a seafood law or regulation, the commission may revoke the applicable license of that person. When a person does not comply or fails to pay, the clerk of the court shall notify the person in writing by first-class mail that if the person does not comply or pay within ten (10) days from the date of mailing, the court will notify the commission and the commission will revoke the license of that person. The cost of notice may be added to other court costs. If the person does not comply or pay as required, the court clerk shall immediately mail a copy of the court record and a copy of the notice to the commission. After receiving notice from the court, the commission shall revoke the applicable license of that person.

(3) A person whose license has been revoked under this subsection shall remain revoked until the person can show proof that all obligations of the court have been met.

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

PASSED BY THE SENATE  
February 5, 2015



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PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE

PASSED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES  
March 4, 2015



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SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APPROVED BY THE GOVERNOR



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