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(Jackson, MS) – Governor Ronnie Musgrove released the following statement today regarding HB 1036:

"The fiscal integrity of the State of Mississippi is too important to jeopardize. Instead of spending our current savings and our future savings, I ask that the legislature pass a new bill that is similar to the bill that has passed both Houses. We are willing to work with the legislature to find a solution. In the meantime, we are working to sustain our veto. We can work together for a better solution for the people of Mississippi."

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