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The Honorable Hob Bryan
Chairperson, Mississippi Senate Elections Committee
P.O. Box 1018
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The Honorable Thomas U. Reynolds II
Chairperson, Mississippi House of Representatives
Apportionment and Elections Committee
P.O. Box 220
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Dear Senator Bryan and Representative Reynolds:

This refers to Joint Resolution No. 201 (2002), which embodies the 2002 redistricting plan for the Senate, and Joint Resolution No. 1 (2002), which embodies the 2002 redistricting plan for the House of Representatives for the State of Mississippi, submitted to the Attorney General pursuant to Section 5 of the Voting Rights Act, 42 U.S.C. 1973c. We received your submissions on April 17, 2002; supplemental information was received through May 30, 2002.

The Attorney General does not interpose any objection to the specified changes. However, we note that Section 5 expressly provides that the failure of the Attorney General to object does not bar subsequent litigation to enjoin the enforcement of the changes. See the Procedures for the Administration of Section 5 (28 C.F.R. 51.41).

Sincerely,

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