



## MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY SERVICES (ITS) 2024 LEGISLATIVE SUMMARY

### **House Bill 678** (Regular Session 2024), *died in committee*

- An act to amend Sections 25-53-1 and 25-53-5 to extend the date of the exemption from the bid and contract requirements of ITS for the State Department of Health and Department of Revenue for purposes related to the Mississippi Medical Cannabis Act as established in Senate Bill 2474 from the Regular Legislative Session of 2021. The exemption expires June 30, 2024.

### **Senate Bill 2698** (Regular Session 2024), effective July 1, 2024

Approved by Governor Reeves on April 8, 2024

- To create the cyber security review board; to stipulate that the board shall be responsible for ensuring a collaborative effort to address cybersecurity threats to the state of Mississippi; to name the voting members of the board; to name the ex officio nonvoting members of the board; to allow the voting members of the board to add ex officio nonvoting members of the board as necessary; to allow the board to adopt rules which govern the time and place of meetings according to certain requirements; to require the board to produce a cybersecurity report and present it to the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Speaker of the House of Representatives, and Chairmen of Technology Committees of the Mississippi Senate and the Mississippi House of Representatives; to require the board to create a list of best cybersecurity practices for distribution; to create the cyber security review board fund; and for related purposes.

### **Senate Bill 3042** (Regular Session 2024), effective July 1, 2024

Approved by Governor Reeves May 10, 2024

- ITS Appropriation Bill for Fiscal Year 2025

### **Senate Nomination 50** (Regular Session 2024), appointment confirmed April 16, 2024

- James Keith Van Camp, Brandon, Mississippi, Information Technology Services Authority, five-year term beginning January 17, 2024, and ending June 30, 2028.