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**TO:** D.SIMMONS  
**FROM:** E. HOWARD  
**SUBJECT:** NATIONAL TRANSPORTATION SAFETY BOARD – MS LEGISLATIVE ACTION  
**DATE:** 7/19/2000

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Donna,

I have conducted a search of the last five years of the Mississippi Legislature concerning gas distribution.

Using the legislative bill status, I searched for all bills introduced and the final action.

Mississippi has not introduced a bill concerning excess flow valves on gas service lines

However, during the 1997 legislative session, a bill was approved which allowed the Oil and Gas Board to place liens upon violators of oil and gas laws. The measure was intended to help enforce all oil and gas regulations and laws.

I have attached the report for HB 1429 from the 1997 session.

I would suggest contacting the Oil and Gas Board for further information on the federal Safety recommendation implementation.

Erich