

HOUSE FIRST READINGS

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By Representative Givan:

HB309 Relating to domestic violence; to establish a persistent domestic violence offender registry within the Alabama State Law Enforcement Agency (ALEA); to require persistent offenders to register with ALEA; to establish a fine for persistent offenders; to provide for the publicly available contents of the registry; to provide procedures for removal from the registry; and to require ALEA to adopt rules.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representatives Crawford, Whitt, Rigsby, Harrison and Moore (P) (Constitutional Amendment):

HB310 To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, relating to Limestone County, to authorize a qualified taxpayer 65 years of age or older to claim a senior property tax exemption for real property owned in the county under certain conditions.

Committee on Limestone County Legislation

By Representative Underwood:

HB311 Relating to retirement benefits; to authorize qualifying sheriffs to participate in both a supernumerary sheriff program and the Employees' Retirement System.

Committee on Ways and Means General Fund

By Representative Hill:

HB312 Relating to the District Attorneys' Plan for Retirement under the Judicial Retirement Fund; to amend Sections 12-17-227, 12-17-227.4, 12-17-227.5, and 12-18-150, Code of Alabama 1975; to revise the definition of "average final compensation" for purposes of the District Attorneys' Plan; to revise the percentage of a member's average final compensation used for determining a member's pension; to revise the maximum amount of a service retirement allowance and a disability retirement allowance; and to revise the definition of "average final compensation" for purposes of the Judicial Retirement Fund.

Committee on Ways and Means General Fund

By Representatives Standridge and Allbright (Constitutional Amendment):

HB313 To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 2022, relating to Blount County, to authorize a qualified taxpayer 65 years of age or older to claim a senior property tax exemption for real property owned in the county under certain conditions.

Committee on Local Legislation

By Representative Butler:

HB314 Relating to the operation of motor vehicles; to amend Section 32-5C-2, Code of Alabama 1975, to further provide for an exception to the prohibition on the operation of vehicles with tinted windows for personal vehicles of certain state, federal, or local employees.

Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security

By Representatives Moore (M), Tillman, Givan, Sellers and Datcher (With Notice and Proof):

HB315 Relating to vacant real property located in a Class 1 municipality; to authorize the governing body of a Class 1 municipality to enact and enforce vacant property registration ordinances.

Committee on Jefferson County Legislation

By Representatives Drummond, Warren, Clarke, Rafferty, McCampbell, Travis, Gray, Hollis, Lawrence, Lands and Chestnut:

HB316 Relating to firearms; to provide firearm storage requirements; to provide a criminal penalty for a violation of these requirements that results in a minor possessing the firearm under certain circumstances; and to provide exceptions.

Committee on Public Safety and Homeland Security

By Representatives Travis, Lovvorn, Gidley, Sellers, Standridge, Crawford, Bolton, Fincher, McCampbell, Drummond, Lands, Stubbs, Starnes, Tillman, Moore (M) and Hendrix:

HB317 Relating to motor vehicle registrations and license plates; to amend Section 32-6-271, Code of Alabama 1975, to expand eligibility for the firefighter distinctive license plate to include fire chaplains; and to provide a criminal penalty for a violation.

Committee on Ways and Means General Fund

By Representative Kiel:

HB318 Relating to traffic infractions; to authorize the Alabama State Law Enforcement Agency to create an electronic notification system by which parents and legal guardians shall be notified when a minor receives certain traffic infractions; and to grant the Alabama State Law Enforcement Agency certain rulemaking authority.

Committee on Ways and Means General Fund

By Representative Wood (R):

HB319 Relating to the Alabama Lead Ban Act; to amend Sections 22-37-2 and 22-37-4, Code of Alabama 1975, to revise the percentages of lead that constitute lead-free with respect to solder, flux, and wetted surfaces of pipes, pipe fittings, plumbing fittings, and fixtures; to require city and county plumbing codes to conform to this revision; to make nonsubstantive, technical revisions to update the existing code language to current style; and to add Section 22-37-7 to the

Code of Alabama 1975, to provide certain applications where lead-free requirements do not apply.

Committee on County and Municipal Government

By Representatives Pettus and Hill:

HB320 Relating to county law library and judicial administration funds; to amend Sections 11-25-7 and 12-19-310, Code of Alabama 1975; to require county law library funds to be maintained in a separate fund in the county treasury; to require presiding circuit judge's judicial administration funds to be maintained in a separate fund in the county treasury; and to make nonsubstantive, technical revisions to update the existing code language to current style.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representative Colvin (With Notice and Proof):

HB321 Relating to Marshall County; to amend Sections 45-48-142.22, 45-48-142.24, and 45-48-142.26, Code of Alabama 1975; to authorize the Marshall County Commission to annex new areas into existing volunteer fire districts; to define "business property" and "dwelling" for the application of a fire service fee; to include recreational vehicles, mobile homes, and tiny homes; to impose a delinquent fee, citation fee, and a penalty for late payments; to authorize the revenue commissioner to collect the fees and penalties; and to require the revenue commissioner to create reports of the assessment, collection, and distribution of the fees.

Committee on Local Legislation

By Representative Clouse:

HB322 Relating to the Underground Damage Prevention Program; to amend Sections 37-15-2, 37-15-4, 37-15-4.1, 37-15-5, 37-15-6, 37-15-8, 37-15-9, 37-15-10, 37-15-10.1, and 37-15-10.2, Code of Alabama 1975; and to add Section 37-15-4.2 to the Code of Alabama 1975, to provide various underground damage prevention requirements for excavators before commencing complex or large projects; to extend the statutory sunset clause related to the program; to further provide for hearing procedures; and to make nonsubstantive, technical revisions to update the existing code language to current style.

Committee on Transportation, Utilities and Infrastructure

By Representatives Moore (P), Brown, Smith, Paschal, Crawford, Rehm, Starnes, Rafferty, Carns, Standridge, Robertson, Oliver, Wood (R), Stringer, Sorrells, Marques, Kiel, Robbins, Treadaway, Pettus, Lawrence, Sellers, Daniels, Jackson, Jones, Bracy and Estes:

HB323 Relating to state military; to amend Section 31-2-41, Code of Alabama 1975, to revise the criteria to receive certain awards; to create new awards; and to prescribe that certain awards may be presented by the Governor or Adjutant General.

Committee on Military and Veterans' Affairs

By Representatives Moore (P), Bedsole, DuBose, Robbins, Gray, Shaw, Chestnut and Hassell:

HB324 Relating to artificial intelligence (AI) chatbots; to require AI chatbot deployers to implement a reasonable age verification process and verify the age of all AI chatbot users; to provide prohibitions on the provision of certain AI chatbots to minors; to require AI chatbot deployers to provide alternative versions of the platform without human-like features to minors; to require AI chatbot deployers to adopt protocols for AI chatbots to detect and mitigate emergency situations; to limit the amount and type of information AI chatbot deployers are allowed to collect and store; to allow therapeutic AI chatbots meeting certain requirements to be made available to minors; to provide a private right of action for certain users; and to authorize the Attorney General to bring suit to enforce this act.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representatives Moore (P), Bedsole, DuBose, Robbins, Gray, Shaw, Chestnut and Hassell:

HB325 Relating to AI chatbots; to prohibit persons from engaging with consumers in commercial transactions through AI chatbots without notifying the consumer that the consumer is communicating with a computer; to make this violation an unfair or deceptive trade practice; to provide a private right of action for consumers for violations; and to authorize the Attorney General to bring suit to enforce this act.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representatives Moore (P), McCampbell, Mooney, Stadthagen, Daniels and Ledbetter:

HB326 Relating to taxation; to make permanent the exemption provided in Section 40-9-25.23, Code of Alabama 1975, and to expand the exemption to include that all subordinate lodges to both the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge Free and Accepted Masons of Alabama and the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge F. and A.M. of Alabama be exempt from all state, county, and municipal fees and taxes.

Committee on Ways and Means Education

By Representative Robbins:

HB327 Relating to consumer protection; to establish procedures related to digital replicas; to authorize the licensing of digital replicas; and to authorize private rights of action for violations of digital replica licenses or producing a digital replica without consent.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representatives Faulkner and Colvin:

HB328 Crimes and offenses; to amend Section 13A-7-41, Code of Alabama 1975, to further provide for the crime of arson in the first degree to establish alternative means by which the crime may occur; and to provide minimum criminal penalties for a violation.

Committee on Judiciary

By Representatives Faulkner, Collins, Baker, Hulsey and Colvin:

HB329 Relating to public K-12 schools; to amend Sections 16-46B-1, 16-46B-2, and 16-46B-7, Code of Alabama 1975, to expand the definition of computer science; to require all Alabama public school students to complete an approved computer science course as a requirement for graduation; and to provide standards for approved computer science courses.

Committee on Education Policy