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8 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, a public school teacher  
9 is deemed offered reemployment for the succeeding  
10 school year at the same salary unless the employing  
11 board of education provides notice in writing to  
12 the contrary to the teacher on or before the last  
13 day of the preceding school term.

14 This bill would clarify that the notice  
15 requirement also applies to a reduction in  
16 compensation pursuant to the loss of a supplemental  
17 position.

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19 A BILL  
20 TO BE ENTITLED  
21 AN ACT

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23 To amend Section 16-24-12, Code of Alabama 1975,  
24 relating to public K-12 education, to clarify the requirement  
25 that a local board of education notify a teacher of a  
26 reduction in compensation pursuant to the loss of a

1 supplemental position on or before the last day of the  
2 preceding school term.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

4 Section 1. Section 16-24-12 of the Code of Alabama  
5 1975, is amended to read as follows:

6 "§16-24-12.

7 "Any teacher in the public schools, whether in  
8 continuing service status or not, shall be deemed offered  
9 reemployment for the succeeding school year at the same  
10 salary, including salary earned through a supplemental  
11 position, unless the employing board of education shall cause  
12 notice in writing to be given ~~said the~~ teacher on or before  
13 the last day of the term of the school in which the teacher is  
14 employed; ~~and such.~~ Such teacher shall be presumed to have  
15 accepted such employment unless he or she shall notify the  
16 employing board of education in writing to the contrary on or  
17 before the fifteenth day of June. The employing board of  
18 education shall not cancel the contract of any teacher in  
19 continuing service status, nor cause notice of nonemployment  
20 to be given to any teacher whether in continuing service  
21 status or not except by a vote of a majority of its members  
22 evidenced by the minute entries of ~~said the~~ board made prior  
23 to or at the time of any such action."

24 Section 2. This act shall become effective  
25 immediately following its passage and approval by the  
26 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.