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3 By Senator Holley
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would amend existing law creating
9 the Alabama Peace Officers Hall of Fame to provide
10 further for hall of fame board membership, terms,
11 diversity of membership and selection of a chair.

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13 A BILL
14 TO BE ENTITLED
15 AN ACT
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17 To amend Section 41-9-870, Code of Alabama 1975,
18 relating to the Alabama Peace Officers Hall of Fame; to
19 provide further for membership requirements, terms of office,
20 diversity of membership, and selection of a chair each two
21 years.

22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

23 Section 1. Section 41-9-870 of the Code of Alabama
24 1975, is amended to read as follows:

25 "§41-9-870.

26 "(a) The Alabama Peace Officers' Hall of Fame Board
27 is hereby created and established. The board shall be composed

1 of seven law enforcement officers, ~~no two of whom shall be~~
2 ~~from the same congressional district, elected for a term of~~
3 ~~four years by the board itself. Board members shall be~~
4 ~~prohibited from serving consecutive terms. The~~ Each two years
5 the board shall annually elect one of the members to serve as
6 ~~chairman~~ chair. The ~~initial~~ board members shall be appointed
7 as follows, viz: ~~The member from Congressional District No. 1~~
8 One member shall be appointed by from the Alabama Peace
9 Officers' Association; ~~the member from Congressional District~~
10 ~~No. 2~~ one member shall be appointed by from the Alabama
11 Sheriffs' Association; ~~the member from Congressional District~~
12 ~~No. 3~~ one member shall be appointed by from the Fraternal
13 Order of Police; ~~the member from Congressional District No. 4~~
14 one member shall be appointed by from the Alabama League of
15 Municipalities; ~~the member from Congressional District No. 5~~
16 one member shall be appointed by from the Alabama Association
17 of County Commissioners; ~~the member from Congressional~~
18 ~~District No. 6~~ one member shall be appointed by the Alabama
19 Association of Chiefs of Police, ~~;~~ and ~~the member from~~
20 ~~Congressional District No. 7~~ one member shall be appointed by
21 from the Alabama State Troopers Association. Members of the
22 board shall not be compensated for their services. The board
23 shall meet annually at the office of the Alabama Peace
24 Officers' Association, ~~and~~ or at such other times and places
25 as its rules and bylaws may prescribe. A majority of the
26 members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of
27 business.

1 "(b) The membership of the board shall be inclusive
2 and reflect the racial, gender, geographic, urban/rural, and
3 economic diversity of the state. The board shall annually
4 report to the Legislature by the second legislative day of
5 each regular session the extent to which the board has
6 complied with the diversity provisions provided for in this
7 act."

8 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the
9 first day of the third month following its passage and
10 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.