

1 HB222
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3 By Representative Ford
4 RFD: Judiciary
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1 of the person into the mouth of the animal for the purpose of
2 sexual gratification or sexual arousal of the person.

3 Section 2. (a) A person commits the crime of
4 bestiality if he or she:

5 (1) Knowingly engages in or submits to any sexual
6 conduct or sexual contact with an animal.

7 (2) Knowingly causes, aids, or abets another in
8 engaging in any sexual conduct or sexual contact with an
9 animal.

10 (3) Knowingly permits any sexual conduct or sexual
11 contact with an animal upon premises under his or her control.

12 (4) Knowingly organizes, promotes, conducts,
13 advertises, aids, abets, ~~observes,~~ or performs any service
14 furthering an act involving sexual conduct or sexual contact
15 with an animal for a commercial or recreational purpose.

16 (b) Bestiality is a Class A misdemeanor.

17 (c) This act shall not apply to accepted animal
18 husbandry practices, conformation judging practices, or
19 accepted veterinary medicine practices.

20 Section 3. Although this bill would have as its
21 purpose or effect the requirement of a new or increased
22 expenditure of local funds, the bill is excluded from further
23 requirements and application under Amendment 621, now
24 appearing as Section 111.05 of the Official Recompilation of
25 the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, because the
26 bill defines a new crime or amends the definition of an
27 existing crime.

1 Section 4. This act shall become effective on the
2 first day of the third month following its passage and
3 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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Yeas 81, Nays 0, Abstains 4

Jeff Woodard
Clerk