

1 SB75  
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3 By Senator Irons  
4 RFD: Health  
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4 ENROLLED, An Act,

5 To require local school systems to provide  
6 information to parents and guardians of students in grades six  
7 through 12 on meningococcal meningitis disease and its vaccine  
8 whenever other health information is provided.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

10 Section 1. This act shall be known and may be cited  
11 as the Jessica Elkins Act.

12 Section 2. (a) If a local board of education  
13 provides information on immunizations, infectious diseases,  
14 medications, or other school health issues to parents and  
15 guardians of students in grades six through 12, then all of  
16 the following information about meningococcal meningitis  
17 disease and its vaccine shall be included:

18 (1) A description of causes, symptoms, and means of  
19 transmission.

20 (2) A list of sources for additional information.

21 (3) Related recommendations issued by the federal  
22 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

23 (b) The State Department of Education, in  
24 cooperation with the Department of Public Health, shall  
25 develop and make available the information about meningococcal

1 meningitis disease and its vaccine to local school systems as  
2 required under subsection (a) in an efficient manner that may  
3 include posting the information on its website.

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

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed  
the Senate.

Patrick Harris  
Secretary

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House of Representatives  
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