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3 By Representative Shedd
4 RFD: Ways and Means General Fund
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8 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, the Legislature is
9 authorized to transfer funds from certain state
10 agencies to offset the costs of state services
11 provided to the agencies by state entities that are
12 supported by appropriations from the State General
13 Fund.

14 This bill, for the fiscal year beginning
15 October 1, 2016, and every fiscal year thereafter,
16 would prohibit the transfer of funds from the State
17 Parks Division within the Department of
18 Conservation and Natural Resources to the State
19 General Fund.

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21 A BILL
22 TO BE ENTITLED
23 AN ACT
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25 To amend Section 29-11-1, Code of Alabama 1975,
26 relating to the transfer of certain state funds to offset
27 costs of services, to prohibit the transfer of funds from the

1 State Parks Division within the Department of Conservation and
2 Natural Resources to the State General Fund.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

4 Section 1. Section 29-11-1, Code of Alabama 1975, is
5 amended to read as follows:

6 "§29-11-1.

7 "(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of law to
8 the contrary, in order to provide for an increase in receipts
9 into the State General Fund for the funding of the operations
10 of state government, there is hereby established the authority
11 to transfer from the following state departments state funds
12 in those amounts as are annually specified in the State
13 General Fund appropriations act beginning with the fiscal year
14 ending September 30, 2014, and each fiscal year thereafter.
15 Such transfers shall be for the purpose of providing funds to
16 help offset the costs of state services provided to the
17 several departments by state entities which are supported by
18 appropriations from the State General Fund:

19 "(1) Alabama Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

20 "(2) Department of Conservation and Natural
21 Resources, excluding funds designated for use by the State
22 Parks Division for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2016,
23 and each fiscal year thereafter.

24 "(3) Department of Environmental Management.

25 "(4) Department of Finance.

26 "(5) Department of Insurance.

27 "(6) Department of Labor.

1 "(7) Manufactured Housing Commission.

2 "(8) State Personnel Department.

3 "(9) Public Service Commission.

4 "(10) Department of Revenue.

5 "(11) Securities Commission.

6 "(12) Alabama Surface Mining Commission.

7 "(13) Alabama Tourism Department.

8 "(b) This section shall not apply to any state funds
9 which are designated for a specific purpose by the state
10 Constitution."

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