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8   SYNOPSIS: This bill would provide for the Alabama

9   State Law Enforcement Agency (ALEA) to create a

10   statewide database of persons who have been issued

11   a pistol permit. This bill would authorize the use

12   of the database by law enforcement officers during

13   traffic stops. This bill would require the sheriff

14   of each county to provide information regarding the

15   pistol permits issued to ALEA.

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17   A BILL

18   TO BE ENTITLED

19   AN ACT

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21   To provide for the Alabama State Law Enforcement

22   Agency to create a statewide database of persons who have a

23   pistol permit for use by law enforcement officers when making

24   a traffic stop; to require the sheriff of each county to

25   provide certain information to ALEA regarding pistol permits

26   issued by that sheriff; to authorize any state, county,

27   municipal, or university law enforcement agency to use the

1   database; and to authorize ALEA to promulgate rules necessary

2   to effectuate the compilation of information and creation of

3   the database.

4   BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

5   Section 1. (a) The Alabama State Law Enforcement

6   Agency (ALEA) shall create a statewide database of residents

7   who have been issued a pistol permit.

8   (b) The sheriff of each county of the state shall

9   provide to ALEA information regarding each pistol permit

10 issued by it. ALEA shall specify the format in which and the

11 frequency with which the information shall be submitted.

12   (c) After the effective date of this act, the

13 sheriff of the county shall require any person seeking a

14 pistol permit to provide his or her driver's license number if

15 he or she is a licensed driver. The database shall reference

16 the driver's license number of each licensed driver who is

17 issued a pistol permit.

18   (d) Any state, county, municipal, or university law

19 enforcement agency may utilize the database upon its creation.

20   (e) ALEA may promulgate rules necessary to provide

21 for the compilation of information and creation of the

22 database.

23   Section 2. This act shall become effective on the

24 first day of the third month following its passage and

25 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.