

1 HB529
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3 By Representative Morrow (N & P)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 Relating to Lauderdale County; to authorize the sale
14 of alcohol for off-premises consumption on Sundays in the City
15 of Florence; and to authorize the governing body of the City
16 of Florence to regulate and permit the sale of alcohol on
17 Sundays for off-premises consumption by properly licensed
18 retail licensees.

19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

20 Section 1. Section 45-39A-10, Code of Alabama 1975,
21 is amended to read as follows:

22 "§45-39A-10.

23 "(a) This section only applies in the City of
24 Florence in Lauderdale County.

25 "(b) The sale of alcoholic beverages for on-premises
26 and off-premises consumption during certain hours after 12:00
27 p.m. on Sundays is authorized within the corporate limits of

1 the City of Florence. The governing body of the City of
2 Florence, by ordinance, may regulate and permit the sale of
3 alcoholic beverages for on-premises and off-premises
4 consumption after 12:00 p.m. on Sundays by properly licensed
5 retail licensees of the Alcoholic Beverage Control Board.

6 ~~"(c) The governing body of the City of Florence~~
7 ~~shall hold a referendum to determine if alcoholic beverages~~
8 ~~may be sold for on-premises consumption on Sundays. If a~~
9 ~~majority of the voters voting thereon in the city vote in~~
10 ~~favor of the question, then the sale of alcoholic beverages~~
11 ~~for on-premises consumption after 12:00 p.m. on Sundays shall~~
12 ~~be authorized."~~

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