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3 By Representative Poole
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1 1975, but shall not abrogate any defense or abridge any remedy
2 available to him or her prior to such date.

3 "(2) This section shall also apply to any person who
4 arrived at the age of 18 before the effective date of the act
5 adding this subdivision, but shall not abrogate any defense,
6 alter any applicable limitation period, change the tolling of
7 any limitation or notice period, or abridge any remedy
8 available to him or her prior to that date.

9 "(c) All laws or parts of laws which read "under the
10 age of 21 years" or "under the age of 19 years" hereafter
11 shall read "under the age of ~~19~~ 18 years." Wherever the words
12 "under the age of 21 years" appear in any law limiting the
13 legal rights and abilities of persons under such age, such
14 words shall be construed to mean under the age of ~~19~~ 18 years.

15 "(d) Notwithstanding subsection (c), nothing in this
16 section shall be deemed to repeal any provision of Chapter 19
17 of Title 15.

18 "(e) Notwithstanding subsection (a), an honorably
19 discharged veteran who is under the age of 19 shall be
20 permitted to enter into a contract for the purchase of a motor
21 vehicle.

22 "(f) Notwithstanding subsection (a), or any other
23 provision of law to the contrary, a person who is 18 years of
24 age or older may consent to participate in research conducted
25 by a college or university that is accredited by a federally
26 recognized accrediting agency if the research has been
27 approved by the Institutional Review Board of the institution.

1 "(g) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
2 (c), nothing in this section shall affect or be deemed to
3 affect any child support order or any law relating to child
4 support, including any court decision relating to child
5 support.

6 "(h) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
7 (c), subsections (a) and (c) shall not apply to any benefits
8 provided by a health insurance policy, health benefit plan,
9 health care service plan, or health maintenance organization.

10 "(i) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
11 (c), subsections (a) and (c) shall not apply to any
12 proceedings pursuant to Chapter 2A of Title 26, the Alabama
13 Uniform Guardianship and Protective Proceedings Act.

14 "(j) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
15 (c), nothing in this section shall affect the right of a
16 parent or legal guardian to the school records of a dependent
17 student.

18 "(k) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
19 (c), nothing in this section shall affect any law relating to
20 abortions.

21 "(l) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection
22 (c), nothing in this section shall affect the age at which a
23 person is under the jurisdiction of the juvenile courts or the
24 age at which a person is eligible for consideration for
25 youthful offender status.

26 "(m) The act adding this amendatory language does
27 not amend or affect Section 28-1-5.

1 "§13A-12-3.

2 "Any person who sells, barters, exchanges, or gives
3 to any ~~minor~~ person under the age of 19 any cigarettes,
4 cigarette tobacco or cigarette paper, or any substitute for
5 either of them shall, on conviction, be fined not less than
6 \$10.00 nor more than \$50.00 and may also be imprisoned in the
7 county jail or sentenced to hard labor for the county for not
8 more than 30 days."

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

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