

1 HB586  
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6 RFD: Mobile County Legislation  
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2 ENROLLED, An Act,

3           Relating to Mobile County; to amend Act 80-621, H.  
4 992 of the 1980 Regular Session (Acts 1980, p. 1062), as  
5 amended by Act 90-613, H. 86 of the 1990 Regular Session (Acts  
6 1990, p. 1126), relating to authorizing, providing, and  
7 regulating the furnishing of office space and assistants to  
8 the legislative delegation in Mobile County, so as to provide  
9 further for the employees of the Mobile County legislative  
10 delegation office.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

12           Section 1. Act 80-621, H. 992 of the 1980 Regular  
13 Session (Acts 1980, p. 1062), as amended by Act 90-613, H. 86  
14 of the 1990 Regular Session (Acts 1990, p. 1126), is amended  
15 to read as follows:

16           "Section 1. The governing body of Mobile County may,  
17 jointly with the governing bodies of any incorporated  
18 municipalities within the county, provide office  
19 accommodations for the members of the state legislative  
20 delegation from the county and also provide legislative  
21 assistants and an office manager to such legislative  
22 delegation. The largest city in Mobile County shall provide  
23 the office space and the telephone for the office, or at least  
24 the price thereof with the advice and consent of the  
25 delegation as to its location. The other incorporated

1 municipalities in the county shall each pay eight cents per  
2 capita to cover other expenses of maintaining and operating  
3 such offices. The county shall provide for two legislative  
4 assistants and an office manager for the legislative  
5 delegation. ~~Such~~ The legislative assistants and the office  
6 manager, in the discretion of the county governing body, need  
7 not be members of any county, city, or state merit or  
8 retirement system, if such system ~~exists~~ exists. The amount of  
9 the compensation for each of ~~such~~ the legislative assistants  
10 and the office manager shall be fixed by the members of the  
11 legislative delegation, subject to approval by the county  
12 governing body. The county governing body shall provide  
13 temporary help for the Mobile County Local Delegation during  
14 those times when the work load is excessive for the two  
15 assistants. ~~Such~~ The temporary help shall be provided for  
16 through a specific request by the ~~chairman~~ chair of the  
17 delegation. The temporary help shall work during a time period  
18 not to exceed ~~ten~~ 10 working days, and payment for the help  
19 shall come from Mobile County.

20 "Section 2. (a) The members of the legislative  
21 delegation from Mobile County shall designate a treasurer to  
22 handle the funds hereinabove provided for the operation and  
23 maintenance of ~~such~~ the office and for the payment of the  
24 salaries of clerical assistants. ~~Such~~ The treasurer may be  
25 either a member of the legislative delegation or one of the

1 ~~secretarial assistants~~ legislative employees hereby provided  
2 for. All funds authorized to be paid by the county or by any  
3 municipality therein for the purposes ~~herein-above~~ hereinabove  
4 provided for shall be paid to ~~such~~ the treasurer of the  
5 legislative delegation.

6 "(b) All receipts and expenditures must be duly  
7 recorded in proper accounting books. These ledgers shall be  
8 available for public inspection at all reasonable times but  
9 with no more than a two day delay from the time of a request.

10 "(c) Three members of the delegation shall be  
11 appointed as a committee to audit financial records on an  
12 annual basis."

13 Section 2. This act shall become effective  
14 immediately following its passage and approval by the  
15 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

