

1 HB327
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3 By Representative Gray (N & P)
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A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to Russell County; to amend Act 2002-448 of the 2002 Regular Session (Acts 2002, p. 1161), to further provide for the salary of the coroner and to delete certain provisions relating to expenses that have already been paid and a provision that is inapplicable.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 1 of Act 2002-448 of the 2002 Regular Session (Acts 2002, p. 1161), is amended to read as follows:

"(a) ~~Pursuant to Amendment 362 of the Constitution of Alabama of 1901,~~ Effective beginning the next term of office after the effective date of the act adding this language, the Russell County Coroner shall receive an annual salary of ~~fifteen thousand dollars (\$15,000)~~ fifty-four thousand five hundred twenty-two dollars (\$54,522). The county

1 coroner shall be entitled to the same cost-of-living increases
2 as provided to other elected officials in Russell County. The
3 county coroner shall be provided health insurance, which shall
4 be paid from the county general fund.

5 "(b) The county coroner shall provide an itemized
6 budget request for all office supplies, equipment, and
7 operational expenditures. The county shall provide the county
8 coroner with office space and budgeted funds approved by the
9 county commission to operate the coroner's office including,
10 but not limited to, utilities, reasonable supplies, and
11 equipment.

12 "(c) The county shall pay mileage to the county
13 coroner for any use of the county coroner's personal vehicle
14 for office duties or shall furnish the county coroner with a
15 vehicle to be used for official duties, with fuel, oil, and
16 repairs to be provided at the county's expense.

17 ~~"(d) The Russell County Commission may reimburse the~~
18 ~~county coroner for reasonable expenses incurred from October~~
19 ~~2, 2000, until the effective date of this act and accepted by~~
20 ~~the State Department of Examiners of Public Accounts. The~~
21 ~~Russell County Commission will determine the amount of the~~
22 ~~reimbursement. The reimbursement shall be paid from the county~~
23 ~~general fund."~~

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