

1 HB456
2 210711-2
3 By Representative Rowe (Constitutional Amendment)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
5 First Read: 25-FEB-21

SYNOPSIS: This bill would propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, relating to Walker County, to provide that the judge of probate would be required to be an attorney licensed to practice law in this state.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, relating to Walker County, to provide that the judge of probate would be required to be an attorney licensed in this state.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of this act are fulfilled:

PROPOSED AMENDMENT

1 The Judge of Probate of Walker County shall be an
2 attorney licensed in this state effective upon the election or
3 appointment of any judge of probate after ratification of this
4 amendment.

5 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment
6 shall be held in accordance with Section 284.01 of the
7 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section
8 284.01 of the Official ReCompilation of the Constitution of
9 Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the election laws of this
10 state.

11 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall
12 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional
13 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the
14 following description of the substance or subject matter of
15 the proposed constitutional amendment:

16 "Relating to Walker County, proposing an amendment
17 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide that the
18 Judge of Probate of Walker County would be required to be an
19 attorney licensed in this state.

20 "Proposed by Act _____"

21 This description shall be followed by the following
22 language:

23 "Yes () No ()."