

1 SB267
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3 By Senator Orr
4 RFD: Healthcare
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7 A BILL
8 TO BE ENTITLED
9 AN ACT

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11 Relating to immunizations; to prohibit the issuance
12 of vaccine passports by government entities; to prohibit
13 government entities from requiring an individual to receive an
14 immunization as a condition for government benefits or
15 services, with exceptions; and to prohibit businesses from
16 refusing service to an individual based on that individual's
17 immunization status.

18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

19 Section 1. (a) A state or local government entity,
20 or any of its officers or agents, may not issue vaccine or
21 immunization passports, vaccine or immunization passes, or any
22 other standardized documentation for the purpose of certifying
23 the immunization status of an individual, or otherwise require
24 the publication or sharing of immunization records or similar
25 health information for an individual, except as otherwise
26 required by Chapter 30 of Title 16, Code of Alabama 1975, or
27 other applicable state law.

1 (b) A state or local government entity or agency, or
2 any of its officers or agents, may not require an individual
3 to receive an immunization or present documentation of an
4 immunization as a condition for receiving any government
5 benefit or service or for entry into a government building,
6 except as otherwise required by Chapter 30 of Title 16, Code
7 of Alabama 1975, or other applicable state law.

8 (c) An entity or individual doing business in this
9 state may not refuse to provide any goods or services, or
10 refuse to allow admission to an individual, based on an
11 individual's immunization status or lack of documentation that
12 an individual has received an immunization.

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

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Yeas 30
Nays 0

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Secretary.