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3 SUBSTITUTE FOR SB15
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would provide that no minor may
9 receive a vaccine for COVID-19 without parental
10 consent.

11 Under existing law, a minor age 14 years of
12 age or older may consent to medical treatment for
13 himself or herself.

14 This bill would prohibit an institution of
15 education from inquiring about a student's COVID-19
16 vaccination status without parental consent.

17 This bill would authorize the Attorney
18 General to pursue civil actions to enjoin a
19 threatened or continuing violation of this act.

20 This term would define vaccination and
21 vaccine for purposes of this act.
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23 A BILL
24 TO BE ENTITLED
25 AN ACT
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1 Relating to COVID-19 vaccinations; to provide that a
2 minor may not receive a COVID-19 vaccine without parental
3 consent; to prohibit an institution of education from
4 inquiring about a minor student's vaccination status without
5 parental consent; to provide for enforcement by the Attorney
6 General; and to define terms.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

8 Section 1. (a) As used in this section, the terms
9 "vaccination" and "vaccine" mean any injection intended to
10 prevent the spread of COVID-19 or minimize the effects of
11 COVID-19, irrespective of whether or not the injection meets
12 the classical definition of vaccine.

13 (b) Notwithstanding Section 22-8-4, Code of Alabama
14 1975, no minor may receive a vaccination without the written
15 consent of the minor's parent or, if applicable, legal
16 guardian.

17 (c) Institutions of education may not inquire into
18 the vaccination status of a minor student without the written
19 consent of the minor's parent or, if applicable, the legal
20 guardian.

21 (d) The Attorney General may commence a civil action
22 to enjoin a threatened or continuing violation of this section
23 or Section 1 of Act 2021-493, now appearing as Section
24 22-11B-5, Code of Alabama 1975.

25 Section 2. This act shall become effective
26 immediately following its passage and approval by the
27 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

