

1 SB323  
2 217825-1  
3 By Senator Stutts (N & P)  
4 RFD: Local Legislation  
5 First Read: 17-MAR-22

A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

Relating to Colbert County; to provide for the distribution of the county's share of the proceeds of the simplified seller use tax; and to repeal any local acts in conflict.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. This act shall apply only in Colbert County.

Section 2. (a) Upon deposit into the county general fund of any gross proceeds of the simplified seller use tax distributed to Colbert County pursuant to Sections 40-23-197 and 40-23-197.1, Code of Alabama 1975, the county commission shall expend those proceeds for the payment of any indebtedness, until exhausted. When the indebtedness is fully paid, the county commission shall then expend the proceeds for law enforcement purposes, until exhausted.

1 (b) For purposes of this section, the following  
2 terms shall have the following meanings:

3 (1) INDEBTEDNESS. Indebtedness of the county to  
4 which the county commission has pledged the county's share of  
5 the proceeds of the simplified seller use tax distributed to  
6 Colbert County pursuant to Sections 40-23-197 and 40-23-197.1,  
7 Code of Alabama 1975.

8 (2) LAW ENFORCEMENT PURPOSES. Purposes reasonably  
9 related to the performance of duties by law enforcement  
10 agencies and their officers and employees, including, but not  
11 limited to, operating budgets or debt.

12 Section 3. Any other local law relating to Colbert  
13 County which is in conflict with this act is repealed to the  
14 extent that it conflicts with this act.

15 Section 4. This act shall become effective on the  
16 first day of the third month following its passage and  
17 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.