

1 SB71
2 216088-1
3 By Senator Chambliss
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SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, the Department of Revenue may contract with a third party to manufacture and distribute license plates, validation decals, emblems, and registration receipt forms.

This bill would allow a county licensing official to enter into a contract with a third party, upon approval of the county commission, to provide materials for print-on-demand validation decals, emblems, and registration receipt forms for license plate renewals.

This bill would provide that amounts distributed to the Department of Corrections shall not be reduced by such contracts.

This bill would also provide that such contracts are subject to the county's procurement provisions.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED

1 AN ACT

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3 Relating to motor vehicle license plates; to add
4 Section 32-6-64.2 to the Code of Alabama 1975; to allow a
5 county licensing official to contract with a third party, upon
6 approval of the county commission, to provide materials for
7 print-on-demand validation decals, emblems, and registration
8 receipt forms; to provide that amounts distributed to the
9 Department of Corrections shall not be reduced by such
10 contracts; and to provide that such contracts are subject to
11 the procurement provisions of the county.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

13 Section 1. Section 32-6-64.2 is added to the Code of
14 Alabama 1975, to read as follows:

15 §32-6-64.2.

16 (a) In lieu of being supplied validation decals,
17 emblems, and registration receipt forms directly from the
18 Department of Corrections or the Department of Revenue, county
19 licensing officials may contract with a third party, upon
20 approval by the county commission, to provide materials for
21 print-on-demand validation decals, emblems, and registration
22 receipt forms. The validation decals, emblems, and
23 registration receipt forms shall be subject to review and
24 approval by the Department of Revenue to ensure statewide
25 uniformity.

26 (b) The amount distributed to the Department of
27 Corrections pursuant to this chapter, including Section

1 32-6-64.1, or any other provision of law, shall not be reduced
2 by any contract entered into by a county licensing official
3 pursuant to this section, nor shall any contract entered into
4 pursuant to this section be interpreted to apply to or extend
5 to registrations issued under Chapter 5 of Title 33.

6 (c) Contracts entered into pursuant to this section
7 shall be subject to the procurement requirements of the
8 licensing official's county.

9 (d) The Department of Revenue may adopt rules for
10 the implementation and administration of this section.

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