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4	SYNOPSIS:
5	Under existing law, persons are prohibited from
6	possessing certain firearms.
7	This bill would prohibit persons from possessing
8	a pistol with a part or combination of parts designed
9	or intended to covert a pistol into a machine gun
LO	installed on or attached to the pistol.
L1	This bill would also provide criminal penalties
L2	for violations.
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L 4	A BILL
L 5	TO BE ENTITLED
L 6	AN ACT
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L 8	Relating to firearms; to prohibit persons from
L 9	possessing a pistol that has a part or combination of parts
20	designed or intended to convert a pistol into a machine gun
21	installed on or attached to the pistol; and to provide
22	penalties for violations.
23	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
24	Section 1. (a) For the purposes of this section, the
25	term "machine gun" means any weapon which shoots, is designed
26	to shoot, or can be readily restored to shoot, automatically

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function of the trigger. The term shall also include the frame

more than one shot, without manual reloading, by a single

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- or receiver of any such weapon, any part designed and intended
- 30 solely and exclusively, or combination of parts designed and
- intended, for use in converting a weapon into a machine gun,
- 32 and any combination of parts from which a machine gun can be
- assembled if such parts are in the possession or under the
- 34 control of a person.
- 35 (b) No person shall knowingly own or have in his or her
- 36 possession, control, care, or custody a pistol that has a part
- or combination of parts designed or intended to convert a
- 38 pistol into a machine gun installed on or attached to the
- 39 pistol.
- 40 (c) A violation of this section is a Class C felony.
- (d) This section does not apply to any of the
- 42 following:
- 43 (1) A state or local law enforcement officer while
- 44 acting in an official capacity.
- 45 (2) A person who owns or has in his or her possession,
- 46 control, care, or custody a firearm, part, or combination of
- 47 parts that are registered in the National Firearms
- 48 Registration and Transfer Record maintained by the Bureau of
- 49 Alcohol, Tobacco, Firearms, and Explosives or is otherwise not
- 50 subject to that registration requirement.
- 51 (3) Any part, combination of parts, or device designed
- 52 or intended to increase a pistol's rate of fire but that does
- not enable a semiautomatic pistol to fire more than two shots,
- 54 without manual reloading, by a single function of the trigger.
- 55 Section 2. This act shall become effective on October
- 56 1, 2025.