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- 3 By Representative Sells
- 4 RFD: County and Municipal Government
- 5 First Read: 20-Feb-25

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5	A BILL
6	TO BE ENTITLED
7	AN ACT
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9	Relating to sheriffs; to further provide for the start
10	of terms of office; and to make conforming changes.
11	BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:
12	Section 1. Section 36-3-4, Code of Alabama 1975, is
13	amended to read as follows:
14	" §36-3-4
15	(a) The sheriff, one One coroner, members of county
16	commissions, one county treasurer, when elective, and one
17	constable for each election precinct shall hold their
18	respective offices for the term of four years from the first
19	Monday after the second Tuesday of January next after their
20	election and until their successors are elected and qualified-
21	except as provided in subsection (b) hereof.
22	(b) Beginning with the next term of office for each
23	county commissioner, such term shall expire six days next
24	following the day of the general election at which the
25	successor to that office is elected. Thereafter each such The
26	term of office of a county commissioner shall hold his
27	respective office from 12:01 A.M. of the seventh day next
28	following his election and until his successor is elected and



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29	qualified begin and conclude as provided in Section 11-3-1(d).
30	(c) A sheriff shall hold his or her office for the term
31	of four years from 12:00 p.m. of the first Monday after the
32	second Tuesday of January after his or her election and until
33	his or her successor is elected and qualified."
3 4	Section 2. This act shall become effective on June 1,
35	2025.



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36 37 38 House of Representatives Read for the first time and referred20-Feb-25 39 40 to the House of Representatives committee on County and Municipal 41 42 Government 43 44 Read for the second time and placed27-Feb-25 45 on the calendar: 46 1 amendment 47 48 as amended 49 Yeas 103 50 Nays 0 51 Abs 0 52 53 54 John Treadwell 55 Clerk

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