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          Replace line 7 on page 1 with the following:
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               County, to further provide for the qualifications and
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          jurisdiction of
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          Replace line 17 on page 1 with the following:
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              qualifications and jurisdiction of the judge of
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          probate.
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          Replace line 22 on page 1 with the following:
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               Part 1. The Judge of Probate of Morgan County shall
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          be an
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          Replace line 25 on page 1 with the following:
              ratification of this amendment.
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               Part 2. The Judge of Probate of Morgan County may
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          exercise equity jurisdiction concurrent with that of the
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          circuit court in cases originally filed in the Probate
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          Court of Morgan County if the judge of probate is
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          licensed to practice law in the State of Alabama. In any
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          case subject to this amendment, the judge of probate
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25	shall possess the power and authority of a circuit court
26	judge trying the case and the case shall be treated in
27	all respects in the same manner as a case filed in
28	circuit court. The Alabama Rules of Civil Procedure shall
29	apply in the cases except as otherwise specifically
30	provided by law. This amendment is self-executing, but
31	the Legislature may enact additional laws to implement
32	this amendment if needed.
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34 Replace line 46 on page 2 with the following:

35 probate to be an attorney licensed in this state and 36 to authorize the judge of probate to exercise equity 37 jurisdiction concurrent with the circuit court.