

HB633 ENROLLED



1 HB633
2 TBPJ695-2
3 By Representative Butler (N & P)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
5 First Read: 17-Mar-26



HB633 Enrolled

1 Enrolled, An Act,

2
3 Relating to Etowah County; to amend Section 45-28-121,
4 Code of Alabama 1975, to provide further for the membership of
5 the personnel board.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

7 Section 1. Section 45-28-121 of the Code of Alabama
8 1975, is amended to read as follows:

9 "§45-28-121

10 (a) In Etowah County, there is ~~hereby~~ created and
11 established a personnel department for the government and
12 control of all employees and appointees holding positions in
13 the classified service, as defined in Section 45-28-121.03.

14 (b) (1) The personnel department shall consist of a
15 personnel board and a personnel director. The personnel board
16 shall consist of five members. ~~Three members shall be~~
17 ~~appointed for a term of six years each as follows: One to be~~
18 ~~appointed by~~

19 a. Upon the term of the member who is a joint appointee
20 of the judge of probate judge and the sheriff of the county;
21 one to be expiring on September 30, 2028, one member appointed
22 by the judge of probate.

23 b. Upon the term of the member appointed by the county
24 commission; and one to be appointed as expiring on September
25 30, 2030, one member appointed by the county commission upon
26 the recommendation of the county engineer.

27 c. Upon the term of the member who is a joint appointee
28 of the county tax assessor and the county tax collector;



HB633 Enrolled

29 ~~however, the terms for the above three named initial~~
30 ~~appointees shall be staggered. For the first appointments the~~
31 ~~joint appointee of the probate judge and the sheriff of the~~
32 ~~county shall be for two years; the first appointee by the~~
33 ~~county commission shall be for a term of four years; and the~~
34 ~~first joint appointee by the county tax assessor and county~~
35 ~~tax collector shall be for six years. The other two members of~~
36 ~~the board shall be appointed for one-year terms. One of the~~
37 ~~additional members shall be appointed annually expiring on~~
38 September 30, 2026, one member appointed by the revenue
39 commissioner.

40 d. Upon the term of the member appointed by the
41 President of the Etowah County Chamber of Commerce; and one
42 member shall be appointed annually expiring on September 30,
43 2026, one member appointed by the county commission upon the
44 recommendation of the chief administrative officer.

45 e. Upon the term of the member appointed by the
46 President of the Etowah County Labor Council expiring on
47 September 30, 2026, one member appointed by the President of
48 the Northeast Alabama Labor Council.

49 (2) Subsequent terms on the board shall be for four
50 years and shall begin on October 1.

51 (c) The members of the board shall be qualified
52 electors of the county. No person shall be appointed to the
53 board who holds any salaried public office or employment with
54 the county, nor shall any member, while a member of the board
55 or for a period of one year after he or she has ceased to be a
56 member, be eligible for appointment to any salaried office or



HB633 Enrolled

57 employment in the service of the county or any county elective
58 office.

59 (d) For regular meetings of the board or special
60 hearings or meetings of the board relating to a pending
61 disciplinary action, each member shall receive sixty dollars
62 (\$60) per diem, not to exceed one hundred eighty dollars
63 (\$180) per month paid from the county treasury, and the chair
64 shall receive seventy-five dollars (\$75) per diem, not to
65 exceed two hundred twenty-five dollars (\$225) per month paid
66 from the county treasury."

67 Section 2. This act shall become effective on July 1,
68 2026.

