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Replace line 32 on page 2 with the following:

modifications; to amend Sections 22-10B-1 and
22-10B-2, Code of Alabama

Replace lines 37 through 38 on page 2 with the following:

executive director and outside experts for the
commission; to transfer all property of the commission to
the department; and to change board members from being
appointed subject to confirmation by the Senate to
serving upon appointment unless and until rejected by the
Senate.

Replace line 50 on page 2 with the following:

Section 3. Sections 22-10B-1 and 22-10B-2, Code of
Alabama 1975, are

Replace line 82 on page 3 with the following:

department."
"§22-10B-2
(a) The commission shall consist of the following



members:

(1) Two members shall be appointed by the Governor.

(2) One member shall be appointed by the University of South Alabama Comprehensive Sickle Cell Center.

(3) One member shall be appointed by the University of ~~Alabama-Birmingham~~ Alabama at Birmingham.

(4) One member shall be appointed by ~~the~~ Children's ~~Hospital~~ of ~~Birmingham~~ Alabama.

(5) Each of the seven chapters of the Sickle Cell Disease Association of America-Alabama Chapter, Incorporated, shall appoint one member.

(b) (1) Appointees to the commission shall be ~~citizens~~ residents of this state and shall ~~be subject to confirmation by the Senate, and upon confirmation,~~ serve for a term of four years. The membership of the commission shall be inclusive and reflect the racial, gender, geographic, ~~urban/rural~~ urban, rural, and economic diversity of the state. The commission shall annually report to the Legislature by the second legislative day of each regular session the extent to which the commission has complied with the diversity provisions of this ~~subsection~~ subdivision. In the event of the death or resignation of any member of the commission, a successor shall be appointed by the



original appointing authority and the successor appointed to the vacancy shall serve for the remainder of the unexpired term. The members shall elect from their membership a chair and a vice chair at an organizational meeting held no later than 30 days after appointments to the commission are confirmed.

(2) All appointees shall serve their appointed terms unless the Senate elects to consider and then rejects an appointment. The entire Senate or the Senate Committee on Confirmations may elect to consider an appointment. If an appointment is rejected by the Senate Committee on Confirmations, the rejection shall be considered a rejection by the entire Senate.

(c) Members of the commission shall receive no salaries but may be reimbursed for actual and necessary expenditures incurred in the performance of their official duties pursuant to Article 2 of Chapter 7 of Title 36. Expenses of the commission are to be paid from funds available to the commission.

(d) A member who has failed to attend three consecutive properly noticed meetings may be removed at the request of the commission."