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By Representatives Butler, Lipscomb, Kiel, Standridge,
Whorton, Stadthagen, Paschal, Ingram, Gidley

RFD: Education Policy

First Read: 07-Feb-24
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A BILL

TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

Relating to education; to amend Section 16-40A-5, Code of Alabama 1975; to prohibit certain classroom instruction in kindergarten through the eighth grade related to gender identity or sexual orientation in public K-12 schools; and to prohibit the display of certain flags and insignia in public K-12 schools.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 16-40A-5, Code of Alabama 1975, is amended to read as follows:

"§16-40A-5
(a) An individual or group of individuals providing classroom instruction to students in kindergarten through the fifth grade at a public K-12 school shall not engage in classroom discussion or provide classroom instruction regarding sexual orientation or gender identity in a manner that is not age appropriate or developmentally appropriate for students in accordance with state standards.
(b) No teacher, or other public K-12 employee, may display a flag or other insignia relating to or representing
sexual orientation or gender identity in a classroom or on the property of a public K-12 school.

(b) (c) The State Board of Education shall adopt rules for the implementation and enforcement of this section."

Section 2. This act shall become effective October 1, 2024.
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Read for the first time and referred .................07-Feb-24 to the House of Representatives committee on Education Policy

Read for the second time and placed .................21-Mar-24 on the calendar:
1 amendment

Read for the third time and passed .................23-Mar-24 as amended

Yeas 74
Nays 25
Abstains 2

John Treadwell
Clerk