

1 HB137  
2 203740-1  
3 By Representative Sorrell (Constitutional Amendment)  
4 RFD: Local Legislation  
5 First Read: 04-FEB-20

SYNOPSIS: Under existing local law, the Colbert County Superintendent of Education is elected by the qualified electors of the county.

This bill would propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide that the Colbert County Superintendent of Education shall continue to be elected.

A BILL  
TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

To propose an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, relating to Colbert County; to provide that the county superintendent of education shall continue to be elected.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. The following amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become

1 valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of  
2 this act are fulfilled:

3 PROPOSED AMENDMENT

4 The Colbert County Superintendent of Education shall  
5 be elected by the qualified electors of the county and the  
6 Legislature, by local law, may provide further for the  
7 election of the county superintendent of education.

8 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment  
9 shall be held in accordance with Section 284.01 of the  
10 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section  
11 284.01 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of  
12 Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the election laws of this  
13 state.

14 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall  
15 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional  
16 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the  
17 following description of the substance or subject matter of  
18 the proposed constitutional amendment:

19 "Relating to Colbert County, proposing an amendment  
20 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide that the  
21 county superintendent of education shall continue to be  
22 elected by the qualified electors of the county.

23 "Proposed by Act \_\_\_\_\_"

24 This description shall be followed by the following  
25 language:

26 "Yes ( ) No ( )."