

1 HB232
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3 By Representative Fincher (N & P)
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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 Relating to Mobile County; to provide for
14 contracting of police services by a municipality with the
15 Sheriff of Mobile County; and to provide for compensation and
16 distribution.

17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

18 Section 1. This act shall apply only to Mobile
19 County.

20 Section 2. Any municipality within Mobile County may
21 contract for police services with the sheriff of the county.
22 The contract may include the enforcement by the sheriff and
23 his or her duly commissioned deputies of all laws within the
24 corporate limits and police jurisdiction of the municipality
25 including municipal ordinances and the arrest or citation of
26 any offenders as if the sheriff and his or her deputies were
27 duly constituted police officers of the municipality.

1 Section 3. A municipality entering into a contract
2 with the sheriff for police services shall pay to the county
3 treasury a sum sufficient to provide the necessary manpower
4 and equipment as mutually agreed upon by the municipal
5 governing body, the sheriff of the county, and the county
6 commission.

7 Section 4. The county governing body may receive
8 money from the municipality for police services and may expend
9 the funds for police services in the contracting municipality,
10 including the police jurisdiction of the municipality.

11 Section 5. Each contract between the county
12 governing body and the contracting municipality shall be with
13 the consent and approval of the sheriff and the county
14 commission.

15 Section 6. The sheriff and his or her duly
16 commissioned deputies shall retain the legal and
17 constitutional immunity afforded to each of them by law.

18 Section 7. All laws or parts of laws which conflict
19 with this act are repealed.

20 Section 8. This act shall become effective
21 immediately following its passage and approval by the
22 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.