

1 HB277
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3 By Representative Pettus (N & P)
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A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to Lauderdale County; to authorize fees for certain administrative services by the sheriff; to provide for the distribution of the revenue; and to provide for retroactive effect.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. (a) The Sheriff of Lauderdale County may charge and collect a reasonable fee for administrative services, including, but not limited to, fees for fingerprinting, fees for reports, fees for copies of various requested records, and fees for photo identification cards.

(b) The sheriff may not charge the fee authorized in subsection (a) to either of the following:

(1) A law enforcement agency requesting a service for law enforcement purposes or a person requesting a service

1 on behalf of a law enforcement agency for law enforcement
2 purposes.

3 (2) An individual applying for a pistol permit.

4 Section 2. Once the amount of the fee set forth in
5 Section 1 has been established by the sheriff, the amount may
6 not be increased unless approved by majority vote of the
7 county commission.

8 Section 3. The sheriff shall deposit the fees
9 collected pursuant to this act periodically to the sheriff's
10 law enforcement fund to be used strictly for expenses related
11 to the operation of the sheriff's office.

12 Section 4. This act shall be retroactive to January,
13 2015, and shall become effective immediately following its
14 passage and approval by the Governor, or its otherwise
15 becoming law.