

1 HB285
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3 By Representative Weaver
4 RFD: County and Municipal Government
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would remove the requirement that
9 the State Board of Health permit, inspect, or
10 approve plumbing within structures located outside
11 the jurisdiction exercised by municipal
12 corporations.

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14 A BILL
15 TO BE ENTITLED
16 AN ACT

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18 Relating to plumbing inspections; to amend Section
19 22-26-2, Code of Alabama 1975; and to repeal Section 22-26-5,
20 Code of Alabama 1975, to remove the requirement that certain
21 plumbing inspections be done by the county boards of health.

22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

23 Section 1. Section 22-26-2, Code of Alabama 1975, is
24 amended to read as follows:

25 "§22-26-2.

26 "The State Board of Health and/or county boards of
27 health, acting through its duly authorized agents or

1 employees, shall require every person, firm or corporation or
2 municipal corporation, or agent thereof, owning or occupying
3 property within the state, to install the ~~required plumbing~~
4 ~~facilities~~, type and number of sewage collection, treatment,
5 and disposal facilities conforming to rules and regulations of
6 the State Board of Health and/or county boards of health and
7 require connection to a sanitary sewer conforming to rules and
8 regulations of the State Board of Health and/or county boards
9 of health where sanitary sewers are available and are not
10 regulated by the municipal corporation, or to dispose of
11 sewage in such sanitary manner as shall be approved by the
12 State Board of Health. All required sewage treatment and
13 disposal facilities shall conform in every respect with the
14 specifications, rules, and regulations applying to these
15 facilities made, adopted, and promulgated by the State Board
16 of Health and/or county boards of health and shall be
17 maintained as prescribed by the ~~said~~ rules and regulations."

18 Section 2. Section 22-26-5, Code of Alabama 1975, is
19 repealed.

20 Section 3. This act shall become effective
21 immediately following its passage and approval by the
22 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.