

1 HB494
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3 By Representative Almond (N & P)
4 RFD: Tuscaloosa County Legislation
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2 ENROLLED, An Act,

3 Relating to Tuscaloosa County; to amend Section 1 of
4 Act 80-536, 1980 Regular Session (Acts 1980, p. 835), as
5 amended, relating to overtime compensation for certain law
6 enforcement officers; to provide further for the officers of
7 the City of Tuscaloosa; and to make nonsubstantive, technical
8 revisions to update the existing code language to current
9 style.

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

11 Section 1. Section 1 of Act 80-356 of the 1980
12 Regular Session (Acts 1980, p. 835), as amended, is amended to
13 read as follows:

14 "Section 1. (a) Any law enforcement officer in the
15 service of Tuscaloosa County or any city located ~~therein in~~
16 the county, or who is employed under a L.E.A.A. or L.E.P.A.
17 grant, and who is assigned to duty for more than eight hours
18 during any one day or for more than ~~forty~~ 40 hours during any
19 calendar week, shall be paid time and one-half for ~~such~~ those
20 excess hours worked~~7,~~ or he or she shall be given time and
21 one-half compensatory leave. ~~In all such cases, it~~ It shall be
22 at the sole option of the law enforcement officer affected by
23 this subsection whether he or she shall receive overtime pay
24 or compensatory leave.

1 ~~"Provided, however, that~~ (b) Notwithstanding
2 subsection (a), upon adoption by resolution of the city
3 council of the City of Northport or the City of Tuscaloosa,
4 Alabama, ~~the~~ that city may implement the scheduling of four
5 10-hour shifts per week rather than five 8-hour shifts per
6 week for certain positions in its police department, and any
7 ~~such~~ affected law enforcement officer ~~so affected~~, who is
8 assigned to duty for more than ~~ten~~ 10 hours during any one day
9 or for more than ~~forty~~ 40 hours during any calendar week,
10 shall be paid time and one-half for ~~such~~ those excess hours
11 worked~~,~~ or he or she shall be given time and one-half
12 compensation leave. ~~In all such cases, it~~ It shall be at the
13 sole option of the law enforcement officer whether he or she
14 shall receive overtime pay or compensatory leave. This
15 ~~paragraph of Section 1~~ subsection shall apply only to those
16 City of Northport or City of Tuscaloosa law enforcement
17 officers who are assigned to four 10-hour shifts per week. All
18 other City of Northport or City of Tuscaloosa law enforcement
19 officers assigned to five 8-hour shifts shall remain under ~~the~~
20 ~~first paragraph of Section 1~~ subsection (a)."

21 Section 2. This act shall become effective
22 immediately following its passage and approval by the
23 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

