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3 By Representative Wood  
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would specify that any state  
9 employee subpoenaed or requested by the district  
10 attorney or Attorney General to be present at the  
11 trial of a defendant charged with the criminal  
12 homicide of a law enforcement officer would be  
13 granted administrative leave for any time attending  
14 the trial.

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16 A BILL  
17 TO BE ENTITLED  
18 AN ACT

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20 Relating to the trial of any defendant charged with  
21 the criminal homicide of a law enforcement officer; to provide  
22 that any state employee subpoenaed or requested to be present  
23 at the trial of the defendant would be granted administrative  
24 leave; and to provide for retroactive effect.

25 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

26 Section 1. In addition to any other leave provided  
27 by law, when any state employee is subpoenaed to be present,

1 or when any state employee who is a parent of a deceased law  
2 enforcement officer is requested by the district attorney or  
3 Attorney General to be present, for the trial of a defendant  
4 charged with a criminal homicide in the death of the law  
5 enforcement officer in the line of duty, the state employee  
6 shall be granted administrative leave with pay for any time  
7 the employee is required to be off from work to attend the  
8 trial.

9 Section 2. This act shall be retroactive to January  
10 1, 2013.