

1 HB226  
2 114402-1  
3 By Representative Allen (Constitutional Amendment)  
4 RFD: Tuscaloosa County Legislation  
5 First Read: 12-JAN-10

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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would propose an amendment to the  
9 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to prohibit the  
10 imposition of an occupational tax in Tuscaloosa  
11 County.

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13 A BILL  
14 TO BE ENTITLED  
15 AN ACT

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17 To propose an amendment to the Constitution of  
18 Alabama of 1901, to prohibit the imposition of an occupational  
19 tax in Tuscaloosa County.

20 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

21 Section 1. The following amendment to the  
22 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, is proposed and shall become  
23 valid as a part of the Constitution when all requirements of  
24 this act are fulfilled:

25 PROPOSED AMENDMENT

26 No privilege or license tax on the gross receipts of  
27 any natural person derived from the conduct of a vocation,

1 occupation, calling, or profession may be levied in Tuscaloosa  
2 County.

3 Section 2. An election upon the proposed amendment  
4 shall be held in accordance with Amendment 555 to the  
5 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, now appearing as Section  
6 284.01 of the Official Recompilation of the Constitution of  
7 Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the election laws of this  
8 state.

9 Section 3. The appropriate election official shall  
10 assign a ballot number for the proposed constitutional  
11 amendment on the election ballot and shall set forth the  
12 following description of the substance or subject matter of  
13 the proposed constitutional amendment:

14 "Relating to Tuscaloosa County, proposing an  
15 amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to prohibit  
16 the imposition of an occupational tax.

17 "Proposed by Act \_\_\_\_\_."

18 This description shall be followed by the following  
19 language:

20 "Yes ( ) No ( )."