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3 By Representatives Ellis, Mooney, Drake, Carns, Bedsole and
4 Paschal
5 RFD: Ways and Means General Fund
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1 days shall be paid from the respective county funds; each
2 member of the board of registrars in the Counties of Coffee,
3 Shelby, Talladega, and Tallapoosa may meet a maximum of 220
4 working days each fiscal year, except that in Talladega County
5 the board of registrars may meet up to an additional 30
6 session days each fiscal year, at the discretion of the chair
7 of the county commission; each member of the board of
8 registrars in the Counties of Dale, Franklin, Houston, Marion,
9 Marshall, Bullock, Macon, and Tuscaloosa may meet a maximum of
10 216 working days each fiscal year; each member of the board of
11 registrars in ~~the Counties of~~ Limestone and Shelby County may
12 meet a maximum of 167 working days each fiscal year; and each
13 member of the board of registrars in Russell County may meet a
14 maximum of 177 working days each fiscal year.

15 "(b) In the Counties of Choctaw, Colbert, Cullman,
16 Lauderdale, and Monroe, each member of the board of registrars
17 may meet a maximum of 199 working days each fiscal year.

18 "(c) Each member of the Board of Registrars of
19 Autauga, Elmore, and Bibb Counties may meet a maximum of 187
20 working days each fiscal year. Each member of the Board of
21 Registrars of Walker County may meet a maximum of 200 days
22 each fiscal year, and each member of the Board of Registrars
23 of Lamar, Cherokee, Clarke, Conecuh, Crenshaw, Hale, and
24 Washington Counties may meet a maximum of 140 days each fiscal
25 year. Each member of the board of registrars in the following
26 counties may meet the following maximum number of working days
27 each fiscal year: Henry - 140 working days; Covington - 188

1 working days; DeKalb - 207 working days; Jackson - 207 working
2 days; Etowah - 207 working days; Chambers - 180 working days;
3 and Lawrence - 140 working days.

4 "(d) Each member of the board of registrars in the
5 Counties of Baldwin, Calhoun, Chilton, Lee, Madison, Mobile,
6 Montgomery, St. Clair, and Morgan are authorized to meet not
7 more than five days each week for the purpose of carrying out
8 their official duties. Jefferson County, which is now
9 operating under the provisions of local laws, shall be
10 exempted from this section. Provided, however, that where the
11 term each year is used in the local laws the term means each
12 fiscal year.

13 "(e) The actual number of working days to be used as
14 session days shall be determined by a quorum of the board of
15 registrars according to the needs of the county.

16 "(f) As many as 25 of the allotted working days may
17 be used for special registration sessions (i.e., those
18 sessions held away from the courthouse in the several
19 precincts of the county or sessions held on Saturday or
20 between the hours of 5:00 p.m. and 9:00 p.m.). Notice of any
21 special session scheduled by the board shall be given at least
22 10 days prior to the special session by: (1) Bills posted at
23 three or more public places in each election precinct
24 affected, if the session involves precinct visits; and (2)
25 advertisement once a week for two successive weeks in a
26 newspaper published in the county or by radio or television

1 announcements on a local station, or both by newspaper or
2 announcement."

3 Section 2. This act shall become effective on the
4 first day of the third month following its passage and
5 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

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