

1 SB258
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3 By Senators Williams and Figures
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8 SYNOPSIS: Under existing law, certain notices are
9 required to be posted in a conspicuous place at the
10 county courthouse.

11 This bill would establish alternative
12 methods for the posting of these notices, either by
13 posting on a publicly-accessible website maintained
14 by the county or on an electronic display within
15 the courthouse or other building in which the
16 notice is required to be posted.

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18 A BILL
19 TO BE ENTITLED
20 AN ACT

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22 Relating to public notices; to establish a virtual
23 method for the posting of certain notices required by law.

24 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

25 Section 1. Any notice required to be posted at a
26 county courthouse or other specific building pursuant to Title
27 11 of the Code of Alabama 1975, may instead be posted in

1 either of the following manners, provided that the posting is
2 otherwise pursuant to law:

3 (1) On any website maintained and made publicly
4 available by a county, provided that the website is
5 continuously available to be viewed by the public 24 hours per
6 day, each day of the year, except when made unavailable for
7 necessary maintenance or by circumstances outside the control
8 of the county.

9 (2) On an electronic display within that courthouse
10 or other specific building, which is available to be viewed by
11 the public in a manner substantially similar to the physical
12 posting required by law.

13 Section 2. This act shall become effective
14 immediately following its passage and approval by the
15 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.