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3 By Senator Orr (N & P)
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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 Relating to Morgan County; to provide for the
14 distribution of the county's share of the proceeds of the
15 simplified seller use tax to the local boards of education in
16 the county and to volunteer fire departments in the county.

17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

18 Section 1. This act shall relate only to Morgan
19 County.

20 Section 2. Beginning October 1, 2019, after Morgan
21 County retains five percent of the gross proceeds for
22 administrative purposes, the remaining proceeds of the
23 simplified seller use tax distributed to Morgan County
24 pursuant to Section 40-23-197 of the Code of Alabama 1975,
25 shall be allocated by the county commission each fiscal year
26 and distributed on a monthly basis, as follows:

1 (1) Eighty-five percent of the remaining proceeds
2 shall be allocated to the county and city boards of education
3 in the county for public school purposes based on the
4 proportion that the average daily membership of each school
5 system in the county during the first 20 scholastic days after
6 Labor Day of the preceding school year bears to the total
7 average daily membership of all school systems in Morgan
8 County for the preceding school year.

9 (2) Thirteen and one-half percent of the remaining
10 proceeds shall be allocated to the Morgan County Board of
11 Education for public school purposes.

12 (3) One and one-half percent of the remaining
13 proceeds shall be distributed to the certified volunteer fire
14 departments in the county for fire protection purposes with
15 each volunteer fire department receiving an equal share.

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