

1 HB580
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3 By Representative McCampbell (N & P)
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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 Relating to Sumter County; authorizing the sheriff
14 to operate an inmate telephone system for prisoners in county
15 custody; and providing for the deposit, distribution, and
16 auditing of monies earned.

17 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

18 Section 1. The Sheriff of Sumter County, or the
19 authorized agent of the sheriff, may operate an inmate
20 telephone system for prisoners within the confines of the
21 county jail.

22 Section 2. All proceeds collected under this act
23 shall be deposited by the sheriff into the Sheriff's Law
24 Enforcement Fund and all transactions shall be accounted for
25 in the fund. The sheriff shall keep an account of telephone
26 usage fees and transactions of the Sheriff's Law Enforcement

1 Fund for annual audit by the Department of Examiners of Public
2 Accounts.

3 Section 3. All profits realized in the operation of
4 the telephone system shall be expended at the discretion of
5 the sheriff for law enforcement purposes in the interest of
6 the public the discretion of the sheriff.

7 Section 4. This act shall become effective
8 immediately following its passage and approval by the
9 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.