

1 HB48
2 204165-2
3 By Representatives Hall and Boyd
4 RFD: Children and Senior Advocacy
5 First Read: 04-FEB-20
6 PFD: 01/23/2020

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4 A BILL
5 TO BE ENTITLED
6 AN ACT
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8 Relating to marriage; to amend Section 30-1-4, Code
9 of Alabama 1975, to increase the minimum age of contracting
10 marriage to the age of 18 years.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

12 Section 1. Section 30-1-4, Code of Alabama 1975, is
13 amended to read as follows:

14 "§30-1-4.

15 "A person under the age of ~~16-17~~ 18 years is
16 incapable of contracting marriage."

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

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House of Representatives

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ferred to the House of Representa-
tives committee on Children and Se-
nior Advocacy..... 04-FEB-20

Read for the second time and placed
on the calendar..... 20-FEB-20

Read for the third time and passed
as amended..... 25-FEB-20

Yeas 99, Nays 2, Abstains 0

Jeff Woodard
Clerk