

1 SB221
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3 By Senator Holley
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7 A BILL
8 TO BE ENTITLED
9 AN ACT

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11 Relating to drivers licensing; to require the
12 Alabama State Law Enforcement Agency to include information on
13 the dangers of drowsy driving in its driver's manual and
14 licensing examination materials; and to specify that the State
15 Department of Education shall require any driver's education
16 course offered at a public high school to include in its
17 curriculum instruction on the dangers of drowsy driving.
18 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

19 Section 1. (a) The Alabama State Law Enforcement
20 Agency shall strengthen information on the dangers of drowsy
21 driving in the Alabama Driver's Manual or any other manual or
22 information created for the purpose of preparing an applicant
23 for a driver's license or driver's permit to take the
24 examination required by Section 32-6-3 of the Code of Alabama
25 1975.

26 (b) The State Department of Education shall require
27 any driver's education course offered at a public high school

1 and for which the department issues a certificate of
2 completion pursuant to subdivision (2) of subsection (b) of
3 Section 32-6-7.2, Code of Alabama 1975, to include in its
4 curriculum instruction on the dangers of drowsy driving.

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

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Yeas 28
Nays 0

Patrick Harris,
Secretary.