

1 HB124  
2 166066-2  
3 By Representative Collins  
4 RFD: Education Policy  
5 First Read: 03-FEB-16

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4 A BILL

5 TO BE ENTITLED

6 AN ACT

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8 To amend Section 16-9-24, Code of Alabama 1975,  
9 relating to county superintendents of education; to delete the  
10 requirement that a county superintendent of education maintain  
11 an office at the county seat.

12 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

13 Section 1. Section 16-9-24, Code of Alabama 1975, is  
14 amended to read as follows:

15 "§16-9-24.

16 "The county board of education may ~~in its discretion~~  
17 provide upon the nomination of the county superintendent of  
18 education, at least the following assistants: an elementary  
19 school supervisor and a statistical and stenographic clerk. No  
20 person shall be eligible for appointment as ~~such~~ supervisor  
21 who does not hold a certificate of administration and  
22 supervision as required of county superintendents of  
23 education. The county board of education may employ additional  
24 clerical and professional assistants, including health  
25 supervisors, and may reimburse them for all actual traveling  
26 expenses necessary in the performance of their official  
27 duties. The county superintendent ~~is hereby required to~~ may

1 maintain an office at the county seat. ~~The,~~ and if he or she  
2 does, the county commission shall provide the county  
3 superintendent of education and his or her professional and  
4 clerical assistants with ample, convenient, and comfortable  
5 office quarters, as determined by the county commission. The  
6 county commission shall also provide necessary furniture,  
7 office equipment, stationery, postage, forms, and supplies  
8 required by the county superintendent of education and his or  
9 her assistants when housed in the office of the superintendent  
10 at the county seat. Any provision of this section to the  
11 contrary notwithstanding, if a county superintendent of  
12 education maintains an office outside of the county seat, then  
13 the county board of education shall be responsible for  
14 providing the county superintendent of education, and his or  
15 her professional and clerical assistants, with ample,  
16 convenient, and comfortable quarters and for providing  
17 necessary furniture, office equipment, stationary, postage,  
18 forms, and supplies required by the county superintendent of  
19 education and his or her assistants."

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

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House of Representatives

Read for the first time and re-  
ferred to the House of Representa-  
tives committee on Education Policy  
..... . . . . 03-FEB-16

Read for the second time and placed  
on the calendar 1 amendment ..... . . . . 24-FEB-16

Read for the third time and passed  
as amended..... . . . . 08-MAR-16

Yeas 71, Nays 28, Abstains 4

Jeff Woodard  
Clerk