

1 HB309
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would allow inmates in the custody
9 of the Department of Corrections under the
10 Community Corrections Division to attend church
11 services at the request of the church's pastor or
12 church leader.

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14 A BILL
15 TO BE ENTITLED
16 AN ACT

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18 Relating to the Department of Corrections; to allow
19 inmates participating in community-based sentencing programs
20 to attend church services at the request of the church's
21 pastor or church leader.

22 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

23 Section 1. Any inmate in the custody of the
24 Department of Corrections under the Community Corrections
25 Division shall be permitted to attend church services at the
26 request of the church's pastor or church leader.

1 Section 2. All laws or parts of laws which conflict
2 with this act are repealed.

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