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3 By Senator Bussman
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4 ENROLLED, An Act,

5 Relating to the Alabama Sunset Law; to continue the
6 existence and functioning of the Board of Examiners of Mine
7 Personnel until October 1, 2016, with certain modifications;
8 to amend Section 25-9-10, Code of Alabama 1975, so as to allow
9 the board to charge a reasonable fee for the examination for a
10 certificate of competency to act as mine foremen or fire boss.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

12 Section 1. Pursuant to the Alabama Sunset Law, the
13 Sunset Committee recommends the continuance of the Board of
14 Examiners of Mine Personnel until October 1, 2016, with the
15 additional recommendation for statutory change as set out in
16 Section 3.

17 Section 2. The existence and functioning of the
18 Board of Examiners of Mine Personnel, created and functioning
19 pursuant to Sections 25-9-8 to 25-9-18, inclusive, Code of
20 Alabama 1975, is continued until October 1, 2016, and those
21 code sections are expressly preserved.

22 Section 3. Section 25-9-10 of the Code of Alabama
23 1975, is amended to read as follows:

24 "§25-9-10.

1 "The board of examiners created by Section 25-9-9
2 shall examine qualified applicants and give certificates of
3 competency to persons who pass the required examinations to
4 act as mine foremen or fire bosses in any coal mine in this
5 state. A reasonable fee, as established by the board, shall be
6 charged for each examination given by the board, and such fee
7 shall be paid to the Treasury of the state before the
8 examination is begun. The examinations shall be conducted
9 under such uniform rules, conditions, and regulations as the
10 board shall deem most efficient for carrying into effect the
11 spirit and intent of this chapter. Such rules, when
12 formulated, shall be made a part of the permanent record of
13 the board, and such of them as relate to candidates shall be
14 published for their information and governance prior to each
15 examination. Such rules shall be of uniform application to all
16 candidates."

17 Section 4. The Legislature concurs in the
18 recommendations of the Sunset Committee as provided in
19 Sections 1, 2, and 3.

20 Section 5. This act shall become effective
21 immediately upon its passage and approval by the Governor, or
22 its otherwise becoming law.

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

Speaker of the House of Representatives

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and passed the Senate.

Patrick Harris
Secretary

House of Representatives

Passed: 22-MAR-12

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