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9 A BILL
10 TO BE ENTITLED
11 AN ACT
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13 To authorize the governing body of the City of
14 Auburn, Alabama, pursuant to Amendment 373 to the Constitution
15 of Alabama of 1901, to increase the rate at which there is
16 levied and collected by the city, on all taxable property
17 situated within the city, the special ad valorem tax for the
18 support and furtherance of education which is authorized in
19 Amendment 148 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to a
20 rate, for any tax year of the city, which is equal to \$1.40 on
21 each one hundred dollars (14 mills on each dollar) of assessed
22 value.

23 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

24 Section 1. The following words and phrases shall
25 have the following meanings:

1 (1) AMENDMENT 148. That amendment to the
2 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, that was proposed by Act No.
3 31, S. 56, 1959 Regular Session.

4 (2) AMENDMENT 373. That amendment to the
5 Constitution of Alabama of 1901, that was proposed by Act No.
6 6, H. 170, 1978 Second Special Session.

7 (3) CITY. Auburn, Alabama.

8 (4) CONSTITUTION. The Constitution of Alabama of
9 1901.

10 (5) COUNCIL. Auburn City Council.

11 (6) SPECIAL SCHOOL TAX. The special ad valorem tax
12 for the support and furtherance of education authorized in
13 Amendment 148 and elections held in the city on May 16, 1960,
14 May 25, 1965, November 25, 1986, and October 23, 2001, to be
15 levied and collected, without limit as to time, on taxable
16 property in the city.

17 Section 2. The city presently levies and collects
18 the special school tax at a rate of fifty cents (\$.50) on each
19 one hundred dollars (\$100) (5 mills on each dollar) of
20 assessed value pursuant to Amendment 148. Pursuant to a
21 resolution adopted by the council in accordance with Amendment
22 373, the city proposes to increase the rate at which it may
23 levy and collect the special school tax to a rate, for any tax
24 year, which is equal to one dollar and forty cents (\$1.40) on
25 each one hundred dollars (\$100) (14 mills on each dollar) of
26 assessed value.

1 Section 3. Pursuant to subsection (f) of Amendment
2 373 and a resolution adopted by the council after a public
3 hearing, the council may increase the rate at which the city
4 levies and collects the special school tax to a rate, for any
5 tax year, which is equal to one dollar and forty cents (\$1.40)
6 on each one hundred dollars (\$100) (14 mills on each dollar)
7 of assessed value.

8 Section 4. The increase in the rate at which the
9 special school tax may be levied and collected pursuant to
10 this act is subject to the approval of a majority of the
11 qualified electors residing in the city who vote on the
12 proposed increase at a special election called and held for
13 such purpose pursuant to the provisions of subsection (f) of
14 Amendment 373.

15 Section 5. This act shall become effective
16 immediately following its passage and approval by the
17 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.