

**HB274 ENROLLED**



1 HB274  
2 XD5WW77-3  
3 By Representative Simpson  
4 RFD: Public Safety and Homeland Security  
5 First Read: 15-Jan-26



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1 Enrolled, An Act,

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4 Relating to crimes and offenses; to add Section  
5 13A-7-94.1 to the Code of Alabama 1975; to authorize the  
6 Department of Corrections to take certain actions regarding  
7 unmanned aircraft systems.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

9 Section 1. Section 13A-7-94.1 is added to the Code of  
10 Alabama 1975, to read as follows:

11 §13A-7-94.1

12 (a) The Department of Corrections may take reasonable  
13 and necessary measures against an unmanned aircraft system  
14 operating in violation of this article, including, but not  
15 limited to, all of the following measures:

16 (1) Jamming, to the extent consistent with federal law  
17 and regulations, including those of the Federal Communications  
18 Commission.

19 (2) Hacking.

20 (3) Physical capture.

21 (4) Any other reasonable mitigation measure undertaken  
22 to neutralize, intercept, disable, or disrupt an unmanned  
23 aircraft system.

24 (b) This section shall not be construed to eliminate,  
25 alter, or otherwise modify any other immunity or defense  
26 available to the Department of Corrections or its officers,  
27 employees, or agents established by law.

28 Section 2. This act shall become effective on June 1,

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

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President and Presiding Officer of the Senate

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I hereby certify that the within Act originated in and was passed by the House as amended, 05-Feb-26.

John Treadwell  
Clerk

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Senate **26-Feb-26**

Passed