

HB53 INTRODUCED



1 HB53
2 R4LCYY-1
3 By Representative Kiel (N & P)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
5 First Read: 06-Feb-24
6 PFD: 12-Jan-24



1
2
3
4
5
6
7
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to Franklin County; to provide for the annual expense allowance and salary and other benefits for the coroner; and to further authorize the Franklin County Commission to appropriate and expend funds for the operation of the office of the coroner.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. (a) The Coroner of Franklin County shall receive an expense allowance in the amount of nine thousand seven hundred dollars (\$9,700) per annum, which shall be in addition to all other expense allowances, compensation, or salary provided by law. The expense allowance shall be paid in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county.

(b) Effective beginning the next term of office, the expense allowance provided for in subsection (a) shall be void, and the Coroner of Franklin County shall receive an annual salary of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) to be paid in equal monthly installments from the general fund of the county. The salary in this subsection shall be the total compensation paid to the coroner, subject to the adjustments



HB53 INTRODUCED

29 provided in subsection (c).

30 (c) In addition to the salary provided in subsection
31 (b), the salary of the coroner shall be increased by any
32 uniform increases in compensation granted equally to all
33 county employees by the Franklin County Commission. In
34 addition, the coroner may participate in the county health
35 insurance plan and any retirement plan provided to county
36 employees under the same terms as county employees.

37 (d) The Franklin County Commission may appropriate and
38 expend county funds for the coroner's salary, benefits, and
39 expenses necessary for the operation of the office of the
40 coroner. The commission may provide the coroner with expenses
41 for the operation of a motor vehicle or may furnish the
42 coroner with the use of a county vehicle.

43 (e) The Franklin County Commission may authorize the
44 coroner to appoint one or more deputy coroners to perform the
45 duties of the coroner in the absence of the coroner and
46 provide for the compensation of any deputy coroner appointed.

47 Section 2. Act 1185, 1969 Regular Session (Acts 1969,
48 p. 2213), as amended by Act 90-461, 1990 Regular Session (Acts
49 1990, p. 653); Act 491, 1971 Regular Session (Acts 1971, p.
50 1205); and Act 446, 1973 Regular Session (Acts 1973, p. 636)
51 are repealed.

52 Section 3. This act shall become effective on June 1,
53 2024.