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SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, the salary of the sheriff of a county is set by general or local law.

This bill would also authorize the county commission of a county to set the salary of the county sheriff of the county prior to the next term of office.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to sheriffs; to add Section 36-22-16.1 to the Code of Alabama 1975, to authorize the county commission of a county to set the salary of the county sheriff of the county prior to the next term of office.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

Section 1. Section 36-22-16.1 is added to the Code of Alabama 1975, to read as follows:

§36-22-16.1

In addition to any other law relating to the salary of the sheriff of a county, effective beginning June 1, 2024, the county commission of a county may increase the salary of the sheriff of the county effective beginning the next term of office of the sheriff not less than three months prior to the



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29 beginning of qualifying for the party primary election.

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

31 2024.