

1 HB433
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3 By Representative Ledbetter (N & P)
4 RFD: Local Legislation
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2 ENROLLED, An Act,

3 Relating to DeKalb County; to amend Section
4 45-25-232 of the Code of Alabama 1975, as last amended by Act
5 91-456, 1991 Regular Session (Acts 1991, p. 828), which fixes
6 the fee for issuance of a pistol permit in the county; to
7 reduce that fee; and to provide for a further reduced fee for
8 persons aged 62 or older or who are active duty first
9 responders.

10 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

11 Section 1. Section 45-25-232 of the Code of Alabama
12 1975, as last amended by Act 91-456, 1991 Regular Session
13 (Acts 1991, p. 828), is amended to read as follows:

14 "§45-25-232.

15 "(a) In DeKalb County, the fee for issuance of a
16 permit to carry a pistol concealed on or about the person or
17 in a vehicle as provided by Section 13-11-75, shall be
18 ~~twenty-five dollars (\$25)~~ fifteen dollars (\$15), which shall
19 be collected by the sheriff of the county. Notwithstanding the
20 foregoing, the fee for issuing the described pistol permit to
21 a person aged 62 or older, or an active duty first responder,
22 shall be one dollar (\$1). For purposes of this article,
23 "active duty first responder" includes state and local law
24 enforcement officers, fire departments and voluntary fire
25 department personnel, and emergency medical personnel who are

1 actively employed or on active volunteer status to render or
2 assist with emergency services.

3 "(b) Any and all monies collected as provided ~~above~~
4 in subsection (a) shall be deposited in any bank within the
5 county into a fund known as the sheriff's fund. The fund shall
6 be drawn upon by the sheriff of the county, or his or her duly
7 appointed agent, and shall be used exclusively for law
8 enforcement purposes and in the discharge of the duties of the
9 sheriff's office as the sheriff sees fit. The establishment of
10 the sheriff's fund as provided in this section and the use of
11 the funds shall in no way diminish or take the place of any
12 other source of income established for the sheriff or for the
13 operation of the office. All funds heretofore obtained from
14 pistol permit fees and credited to any special fund or account
15 in the county treasury under authority of any local or general
16 law shall be returned to the sheriff of the county to be
17 deposited and disbursed as provided ~~above~~ in this subsection."

18 Section 2. This act shall become effective
19 immediately following its passage and approval by the
20 Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.

