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SYNOPSIS:

Under existing law, most departments and agencies of the State of Alabama are required to account for each item of personal property that is valued in excess of five hundred dollars. These inventories are subject to audit on a regular basis by the State Auditor.

This bill would exempt the personal property in the use of the Alabama State Port Authority from this audit requirement.

This bill would also make other, nonsubstantive changes to the law to accurately reflect current circumstances and would update the existing code language to current style.

A BILL
TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

Relating to the Office of the State Auditor; to amend Section 36-16-11, Code of Alabama 1975, to exempt all property used by the Alabama State Port Authority from the state personal property inventory and audit requirement; to make conforming changes to the existing code language; and to



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29 update the existing code language to current style.

30 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

31 Section 1. Section 36-16-11, Code of Alabama 1975, is
32 amended to read as follows:

33 "§36-16-11

34 ~~There is hereby expressly exempt~~Exempt from Sections
35 36-16-8 ~~to through~~ 36-16-10, ~~inclusive,~~ are all of the
36 following classes of property:

37 (1) livestockLivestock, animals, farm and agricultural
38 products, and all property owned ~~or,~~ used by, ~~or in connection~~
39 ~~with,~~ or under control of, all public schools, universities,
40 colleges, trade schools, Alabama Institute for Deaf and Blind,
41 ~~State Library Service,~~ and the Alabama Public Library Service.

42 (2) allAll fire control or fire rescue equipment
43 acquired by the Alabama Forestry Commission from sources other
44 than state agencies ~~and subsequently donated~~which are
45 designated for donation to volunteer fire departments pursuant
46 to Section 9-3-19, ~~provided, Sections 36-16-8 to 36-16-10,~~
47 ~~inclusive, shall not apply to the Alabama hospitals for the~~
48 ~~insane and the Partlow State School and Hospital~~

49 (3) Any hospital operated by the Alabama Department of
50 Mental Health.

51 (4) All property of the Alabama State Port Authority."

52 Section 2. This act shall become effective on October
53 1, 2025.