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3 By Senator Pittman
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8 SYNOPSIS: This bill would prohibit a person from being
9 elected or appointed to more than three full
10 consecutive terms to any board, commission,
11 department, or public office that receives state
12 funding. The bill would provide that an election or
13 appointment to fill a vacant position for an
14 unexpired term of one-half or longer of the
15 original term is a full term.

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17 A BILL
18 TO BE ENTITLED
19 AN ACT

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21 To prohibit a person from being elected or appointed
22 to more than three full consecutive terms to any board,
23 commission, department, or public office that receives state
24 funding and to provide that an election or appointment to fill
25 a vacant position for an unexpired term of office of one-half
26 or longer than the original term is a full term in the
27 respective body.

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA:

2 Section 1. No person may be elected or appointed for
3 more than three full consecutive terms of office to any board,
4 commission, department, or public office that receives state
5 funding. An election or appointment to fill a vacant position
6 for an unexpired term of office that is one-half or longer of
7 the original term is a full term in the respective body.

8 Section 2. Any person serving a term of office as of
9 the effective date of this act that would otherwise exceed the
10 limitations imposed by Section 1 shall continue to serve until
11 the end of the term for which he or she was elected or
12 appointed.

13 Section 3. This act shall become effective on the
14 first day of the third month following its passage and
15 approval by the Governor, or its otherwise becoming law.