

MESSAGE FROM THE GOVERNOR

May 6, 2025

Alabama Senate
Alabama State House
Montgomery, Alabama 36130

Ladies and Gentlemen:

I received Senate Bill 310 and believe that it should be amended to correct an apparent typographical error.

As enrolled, Senate Bill 310 could be read as requiring a vacant seat on the Jefferson County Commission to remain vacant whenever more than six months remain in an unexpired term. However, I understand the bill sponsor's goal was for a vacant county commission seat to remain vacant only when *fewer* than six months remain in the unexpired term.

For this reason, and at the request of the bill sponsor, I am returning Senate Bill 310 to you, the body in which it originated, without my signature and with the below executive amendment.

Executive Amendment to Senate Bill 310

Please amend Senate Bill 310 by replacing line 62 on page 3 with the following:

“(b) When a vacancy occurs with fewer than six months”

Adoption of the above-proposed executive amendment will remove my objection to this bill.

Respectfully submitted,

Kay Ivey,

Governor.