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STATE OF ALABAMA

I, Nancy L. Worley, Secretary of State of the State of Alabama, having custody of the Great and Principal Seal of said State, do hereby certify that

in accordance with the <u>Code of Alabama</u>, 1975, as amended, the attached certification is the prescribed ballot language for the ballot in the Primary Election to be held on Tuesday, June 1, 2004. Please take all steps necessary to insure that the proposed Constitutional Amendment or Constitutional Amendments for your county appears on the ballot in the precise language.—



In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State, at the Capitol, in the City of Montgomery, on this day.

April 12, 2004

Date

Nancy L. Worley

Secretary of State

"Shall the following Amendments be adopted to the Constitution of Alabama?"

PROPOSED AMENDMENTS WHICH APPLY TO ONLY ONE COUNTY

Baldwin County

Relating to Baldwin County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to authorize Baldwin County and any municipality located there in to perform certain actions for the purpose of economic and industrial development. (Proposed by Act 2003-409)

Yes No

Fayette County

Relating to Fayette County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to authorize the Tom Bevill Reservoir Management Area Authority to enter into contracts and accept grants for the purpose of the authority from another authority organized pursuant to the laws of this state and to specify that the contracts or grants shall not constitute the extension of the state's credit pursuant to this constitution. (Proposed by Act Nos. 2003-419 and 2003-432)

Yes No

Calhoun County

Proposed Local Amendment No. 1

Relating to Calhoun County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to allow the Legislature or allow the Legislature to authorize the county commission to fix, regulate, and alter, the costs and charges of court in Calhoun County; to provide for distribution of any additional revenue; and to ratify, approve, and confirm any local act authorized in this amendment which was previously enacted. (Proposed by Act No. 2003-126).

Yes No

Calhoun County (continued)

Proposed Local Amendment No. 2

Relating to Calhoun County and each municipality and school tax district therein, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, to provide that the levy and collection of each ad valorem tax presently being levied and collected for public school or educational purposes on any property in Calhoun County and in each municipality and school tax district therein is ratified and validated from the date of initial levy thereof and is continued and extended without limit as to time; and to repeal Amendment No. 720 to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, as amended, and the effect thereof, so as to provide in one constitutional amendment for the effective continuation without limit as to time of the levy and collection of all ad valorem taxes presently being levied and collected for public school or educational purposes on any property in Calhoun County and each municipality and school tax district therein. (Proposed by Act No. 2003-128)

Yes No

Crenshaw County

Relating to Crenshaw County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to authorize Crenshaw County and any municipality located therein to perform certain actions for the purpose of economic and industrial development. (Proposed by Act No. 2003-186)

Yes No

Russell County

Relating to Russell County, proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Alabama of 1901, to provide for the election of the Russell County Board of Education from six single-member districts and an additional member from the county at-large, to authorize the board to reapportion districts, and to provide that the Legislature, by local law, may provide further for the election of the members of the Russell County Board of Education and the operation of the board. (Proposed by Act No. 2003-205)

Yes No