ALABAMA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH
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STATE HEALTH OFFICER

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Dear Mr. Sands:

This letter is in reply to your letter dated January 15, 2025, regarding regulations requiring customers or patrons to wear shoes in restaurants. The Alabama Department of Public Health does not require footwear of any kind for restaurant patrons, or any other business regulated by the Bureau of Environmental Services.

Please contact me if you need any additional information.

Sincerely,

Ron Dawsey, M.P.H.
Director, Bureau of Environmental Services

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