

House Bill 1071

By: Representatives Bannister of the 77th, Coleman of the 80th, Squires of the 78th, Callaway of the 81st, Mills of the 21st and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act relating to the education districts for the election of the members of the
2 Board of Education of Gwinnett County, approved April 7, 1972 (Ga. L. 1972, p. 4058), as
3 amended, particularly by an Act approved April 17, 1992 (Ga. L. 1992, p. 6337), so as to
4 change the provisions relating to education districts for the board; to define certain terms;
5 to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 An Act relating to the education districts for the election of the members of the Board of
9 Education of Gwinnett County, approved April 7, 1972 (Ga. L. 1972, p. 4058), as amended,
10 particularly by an Act approved April 17, 1992 (Ga. L. 1992, p. 6337), is amended by
11 striking in their entirety subsections (b) and (c) of Section 1 and inserting in lieu thereof the
12 following:

13 "(b) For purposes of electing members of the board of education, the Gwinnett County
14 School District is divided into five education districts. One member of the board shall be
15 elected from each such district. The five education districts shall be and correspond to
16 those five numbered districts described in and attached to and made a part of this Act and
17 further identified as Plan Name: gwinnsbwk1 Plan Type: Local User: Administrator:
18 Gwinnett.

19 (c) When used in such attachment, the terms 'Tract' and 'BG' (Block Group) shall mean
20 and describe the same geographical boundaries as provided in the report of the Bureau of
21 the Census for the United States decennial census of 2000 for the State of Georgia. The
22 separate numeric designations in a Tract description which are underneath a 'BG' heading
23 shall mean and describe individual Blocks within a Block Group as provided in the report
24 of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2000 for the State
25 of Georgia. Any part of the Gwinnett County School District which is not included in any
26 such district described in that attachment shall be included within that district contiguous

1 to such part which contains the least population according to the United States decennial
2 census of 2000 for the State of Georgia. Any part of the Gwinnett County School District
3 which is described in that attachment as being in a particular district shall nevertheless not
4 be included within such district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such
5 noncontiguous part shall instead be included within that district contiguous to such part
6 which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of
7 2000 for the State of Georgia. Except as otherwise provided in the description of any
8 education district, whenever the description of such district refers to a named city, it shall
9 mean the geographical boundaries of that city as shown on the census map for the United
10 States decennial census of 2000 for the State of Georgia."

11 **SECTION 2.**

12 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
13 without such approval.

14 **SECTION 3.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.