

House Bill 1104

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To state a general intent to eliminate the future "sunset" of certain provisions relating to
2 superior court clerks' fees and the Georgia Superior Court Clerks' Authority; to provide that
3 provisions of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated relating to fees charged by clerks of
4 superior court and remittance to and use of certain such funds by the Georgia Superior Court
5 Clerks' Authority which were in effect and applicable on January 1, 2002, shall remain in
6 effect indefinitely until and unless changed by future Act of the General Assembly; to amend
7 an Act amending Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to courts,
8 which Act was approved April 7, 1995 (Ga. L. 1995, p. 260), as amended, so as to repeal
9 provisions of such Act which provided for a future repeal or sunset of certain provisions; to
10 amend an Act amending Article 2 of Chapter 6 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia
11 Annotated, relating to clerks of superior courts, approved April 16, 1996 (Ga. L. 1996, p.
12 1502), so as to repeal provisions of such Act which provided for a future change in certain
13 fees of superior court clerks; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to
14 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

15 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

16 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

17 It is the general intent of this Act to eliminate the future "sunset" of certain provisions
18 relating to superior court clerks' fees and the Georgia Superior Court Clerks' Authority. The
19 following provisions of Official Code of Georgia Annotated which were in effect and
20 applicable on January 1, 2002, shall remain in effect and applicable until and unless changed
21 by future Act of the General Assembly:

- 22 (1) Code Section 15-6-77, relating to fees of superior court clerks;
23 (2) Code Section 15-6-97, relating to the state-wide uniform automated information
24 system for property records; and
25 (3) Code Section 15-6-98, relating to collection and remittance of certain fees to the
26 Georgia Superior Court Clerks' Authority.

SECTION 2.

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2 The following provisions of law are repealed:

3 (1) Section 6 of an Act amending Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
4 relating to courts, approved April 7, 1995 (Ga. L. 1995, p. 260), as amended, which now
5 repealed section would have provided for a future repeal or sunset of certain provisions
6 relating to fees of superior court clerks and the Superior Court Clerks Cooperative
7 Authority; and

8 (2) Section 2 of an Act amending Article 2 of Chapter 6 of Title 15 of the Official Code
9 of Georgia Annotated, relating to clerks of superior courts, approved April 16, 1996 (Ga.
10 L. 1996, p. 1502), as amended, which now repealed section would have provided for a
11 future change in the fees of superior court clerks.

SECTION 3.

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

SECTION 4.

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