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House Bill 303

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## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend Code Section 45-7-21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
- 2 expense allowance and travel cost reimbursement for members of certain boards and
- 3 commissions, so as to increase the per diem expense allowance; to repeal conflicting laws;
- 4 and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 Code Section 45-7-21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the expense
- 8 allowance and travel cost reimbursement for members of certain boards and commissions,
- 9 is amended by striking subsection (b) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new
- 10 subsection (b) to read as follows:
- 11 "(b) Whenever this Code section or any other law of this state provides that members of
- any board, commission, or other body shall receive the same daily expense allowance as
- members of the General Assembly, whether by specific reference to this Code section or
- any other law or by a more general reference, the members of such board, commission, or
- other body shall receive a daily expense allowance of \$75.00 \$105.00. Such \$75.00
- $\underline{\$105.00}$  amount shall apply for members of such boards, commissions, and other bodies,
- 17 regardless of whether the amount actually received by members of the General Assembly
- under Code Section 28-1-8 is more or less than  $\$75.00 \ \underline{\$105.00}$ . The provisions of this
- subsection shall control over any conflicting provisions of any other earlier enacted law."

SECTION 2.

21 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.