

House Bill 1704

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 45-20-16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to sick
2 and personal leave for public officers and employees, so as to provide for restoration of
3 certain forfeited sick leave after return to service for two consecutive years; to provide for
4 related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

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

7 Code Section 45-20-16 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to sick and
8 personal leave for public officers and employees, is amended by redesignating subsection (f)
9 as subsection (g) and inserting a new subsection (f) to read as follows:
10 "(f) Any nontemporary employees in classified or unclassified service who forfeit
11 accumulated sick leave as a result of withdrawal from employment with the state shall be
12 entitled to regain such accumulated sick leave after such personnel return to state
13 employment and remain in service for a period of two consecutive years."

14 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.