

House Bill 1707

By: Representatives Dean of the 48th, Wilkinson of the 43rd, Sinkfield of the 57th, Stanley of the 49th, Stanley of the 50th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing for the consolidation of the offices of tax receiver of Fulton
2 County and tax collector of Fulton County into the office of tax commissioner of Fulton
3 County, approved February 21, 1951 (Ga. L. 1951, p. 3006), as amended, particularly by an
4 Act approved March 18, 1964 (Ga. L. 1964, p. 3136), so as to provide for the election of the
5 tax commissioner of Fulton County; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws;
6 and for other purposes.

7 **BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:**

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act providing for the consolidation of the offices of tax receiver of Fulton County and
10 tax collector of Fulton County into the office of tax commissioner of Fulton County,
11 approved February 21, 1951 (Ga. L. 1951, p. 3006), as amended, particularly by an Act
12 approved March 18, 1964 (Ga. L. 1964, p. 3136), is amended by striking Section 5 and
13 inserting in lieu thereof a new Section 5 to read as follows:

14 **"SECTION 5.**

15 The tax commissioner in office on the effective date of this section shall serve out the
16 remaining term of office to which such person was appointed. At the November general
17 election in 2004, a successor to said tax commissioner shall be elected. The person elected
18 shall take office on the first day of January immediately following the date of such person's
19 election and shall serve for a term of office of four years and until his or her successor is
20 elected and qualified. Thereafter, a successor shall be elected at the November general
21 election immediately preceding the end of such term of office and shall take office on the
22 first day of January immediately following such election and shall serve for a term of office
23 of four years and until his or her successor is elected and qualified."

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SECTION 2.

2 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.