

House Bill 576

By: Representative Lanier of the 145th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Candler County, approved March
2 23, 1933 (Ga. L. 1933, p. 430), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 19, 2000
3 (Ga. L. 2000, p. 3921), so as to change the provisions regarding the residency requirement
4 of the county administrator; to change the provisions regarding the appointment of an acting
5 administrator; to change the provisions regarding the duties of the county administrator; to
6 provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act creating a Board of Commissioners of Candler County, approved March 23, 1933
10 (Ga. L. 1933, p. 430), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 19, 2000 (Ga. L.
11 2000, p. 3921), is amended by striking subsection (b) of Section 13B in its entirety and
12 inserting in lieu thereof a new subsection (b) to read as follows:

13 "(b) The county administrator shall be chosen by the board solely on the basis of executive
14 and administrative qualifications, with specific reference to actual experience in, or
15 knowledge of, accepted practices with respect to the duties of the office as provided in this
16 section. The county administrator need not be a resident of Candler County or the State
17 of Georgia at the time of his or her appointment but may reside outside Candler County
18 while in office only with the approval of the board of commissioners. To encourage
19 qualified individuals to apply for the position of county administrator, the board of
20 commissioners shall advertise the opening in appropriate locations and with appropriate
21 entities."

22 **SECTION 2.**

23 Said Act is further amended by striking subsection (f) of Section 13B and inserting in lieu
24 thereof a new subsection (f) to read as follows:

