

House Bill 866

By: Representatives Day of the 153rd, Stephens of the 150th, Mueller of the 152nd and Jackson of the 148th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing for a base year assessed value homestead exemption from City
2 of Pooler ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes, approved April 20, 2000 (Ga. L. 2000,
3 p. 4506), so as to provide for eligibility without application; to change certain provisions
4 regarding administration; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 An Act providing for a base year assessed value homestead exemption from City of Pooler
8 ad valorem taxes for municipal purposes, approved April 20, 2000 (Ga. L. 2000, p. 4506),
9 is amended by striking subsection (c) of Section 1 and inserting in its place the following:
10 "(c) Any person who, as of December 31, 2000, has applied for and is eligible to receive
11 the \$2,000.00 state-wide homestead exemption granted under Code Section 48-5-44 of the
12 O.C.G.A., as amended, shall be eligible automatically for the exemption granted by this
13 Act without applying therefor. Otherwise, a person shall not receive the homestead
14 exemption granted by subsection (b) of this section unless the person or person's agent files
15 an application with the governing authority of the City of Pooler, or the designee thereof,
16 giving such information relative to receiving such exemption as will enable such governing
17 authority or designee thereof to make a determination as to whether such owner is entitled
18 to such exemption."

19 **SECTION 2.**

20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.