

House Bill 49

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to  
2 general provisions related to elections and primaries generally, so as to make unlawful the  
3 conducting of campaign activities on the grounds of a facility providing care for children in state  
4 custody; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Article 1 of Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to general  
8 provisions related to elections and primaries generally, is amended by striking subsection (b) of  
9 Code Section 21-2-3, relating to prohibited placements of campaign posters, signs, and  
10 advertisements, and inserting in its place the following:

11 "(b) It shall be unlawful for any person to conduct a campaign activity including, but not limited  
12 to, a campaign fundraising activity or a campaign press conference, on the grounds of a facility  
13 providing care for children in the custody of the state.

14 (c) Any person who violates this Code section shall be guilty of a misdemeanor."

15 **SECTION 2.**

16 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.