

House Bill 224

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 47-23-64 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
2 transfer of funds from the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia to the Georgia Judicial
3 Retirement System by judges or district attorneys, so as to provide that such privilege shall
4 extend to other members of such retirement system; to provide conditions for an effective
5 date and automatic repeal; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 47-23-64 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the transfer
9 of funds from the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia to the Georgia Judicial
10 Retirement System by judges or district attorneys, is amended by striking in its entirety
11 paragraph (1) of subsection (a) and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

12 "(1) Any ~~superior court judge, state court judge, solicitor general, or district attorney~~
13 member of this retirement system who was previously an active member of the
14 Employees' Retirement System of Georgia may elect to have all contributions made by
15 or on behalf of such member transferred from such retirement system to this retirement
16 system. Any such member shall notify the board of trustees of each retirement system
17 not later than December 31, ~~2002~~ 2004, or within 90 days after first becoming a member
18 of this retirement system, whichever date is later."

19 **SECTION 2.**

20 This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2004, only if it is determined to have been
21 concurrently funded as provided in Chapter 20 of Title 47 of the Official Code of Georgia
22 Annotated, the "Public Retirement Systems Standards Law"; otherwise, this Act shall not
23 become effective and shall be automatically repealed in its entirety on July 1, 2004, as
24 required by subsection (a) of Code Section 47-20-50.

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SECTION 3.

2 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.