

Senate Bill 230

By: Senators Price of the 56th, Tanksley of the 32nd and Moody of the 27th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend the "City of Atlanta and Fulton County Recreation Authority Act," approved
2 March 17, 1960 (Ga. L. 1960, p. 2810), as amended, so as to provide for certain limitations
3 with respect to the powers of the authority; to prohibit the authority from incurring new debt;
4 to limit the number of employees of the authority and the amount which may be expended
5 by the authority for employee salaries; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective
6 date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 The "City of Atlanta and Fulton County Recreation Authority Act," approved March 17,
10 1960 (Ga. L. 1960, p. 2810), as amended, is amended by adding immediately after Section
11 2 a new Section 2A to read as follows:

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"SECTION 2A.

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Limitation of powers commencing in 2003.

15 (a) On and after the date on which this Section 2A becomes effective in 2003, the authority
16 shall not incur any new debt or financial obligation of any kind whatsoever. Without
17 limiting the generality of the foregoing, this subsection shall specifically prohibit the
18 authority from issuing any revenue bonds or notes or otherwise pledging its credit.

19 (b) On and after July 1, 2003, the authority shall not be authorized to retain the services
20 of more than one person as an employee of the authority; and such sole employee of the
21 authority shall not receive any salary at a rate in excess of \$40,000.00 per year.

22 (c) The provisions of this section shall control over any other conflicting provisions of this
23 Act."

1 **SECTION 2.**

2 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
3 without such approval.

4 **SECTION 3.**

5 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.