

House Bill 878

By: Representative Crawford of the 91st

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 47-2-262 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 membership of assistant district attorneys and employees of the Prosecuting Attorneys'
3 Council of the State of Georgia in the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia, notice of
4 election, and contributions, so as to provide for members who were required to become
5 members of the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia as a matter of law but who failed
6 to do so because of an administrative error; to provide that such persons may obtain the prior
7 service credit to which each is entitled by paying to the board of trustees employer and
8 employee contributions with interest thereon; to provide that such payments shall be credited
9 to each member's annuity account; to provide conditions for an effective date and automatic
10 repeal; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

12 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

13 Code Section 47-2-262 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to membership
14 of assistant district attorneys and employees of the Prosecuting Attorneys' Council of the
15 State of Georgia in the Employees' Retirement System of Georgia, notice of election, and
16 contributions, is amended by inserting at the end thereof the following:

17 "(c) Any person who was required to become a member of this retirement system by
18 operation of subsection (b) of this Code section but who failed to do so because of an
19 administrative error shall be deemed to have been a member from the date he or she
20 became so obligated; provided, however, that such person shall be granted credit for any
21 period during which no employer and employee contributions were made only if the
22 member pays to the board of trustees all such contributions which should have been made
23 together with regular interest thereon. Such payment shall be credited to the member's
24 annuity account established by this retirement system."

