

Senate Bill 530

By: Senators Lamutt of the 21st, Dean of the 31st, Stephens of the 51st, Johnson of the 1st, Gillis of the 20th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 12-5-33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 grants to counties, municipalities, or other public authorities for water pollution control
3 projects, so as to provide for grants to nonprofit organizations for nonpoint source water
4 pollution control; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 12-5-33 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to grants to
8 counties, municipalities, or other public authorities for water pollution control projects, is
9 amended by adding a new subsection to read as follows:

10 "(c) The director is authorized to enter into grant contracts for services for the purpose of
11 nonpoint source water pollution control with nonprofit organizations exempt from taxation
12 under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. The award of such contracts shall
13 be consistent with criteria established by the Board of Natural Resources."

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.