

Senate Bill 549

By: Senator Mullis of the 53rd

AS PASSED SENATE

**A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT**

1 To amend an Act creating the board of commissioners of Dade County, approved April 4,
2 1991 (Ga. L. 1991, p. 3893), as amended, particularly by an Act approved May 1, 2002
3 (Ga. L. 2002, p. 5339), so as to revise the districts for the election of members of the board;
4 to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for submission of this Act for
5 preclearance pursuant to Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to
6 provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act creating the board of commissioners of Dade County, approved April 4, 1991
10 (Ga. L. 1991, p. 3893), as amended, particularly by an Act approved May 1, 2002
11 (Ga. L. 2002, p. 5339), is amended by striking subsections (a) and (b) of Section 2 and
12 inserting in lieu thereof new subsections (a) and (b) to read as follows:

13 "(a) For the purpose of electing the members of the board of commissioners, except of the
14 chairperson/county executive, Dade County is divided into four commissioner districts
15 which shall correspond to those four numbered districts described in and attached to and
16 made a part of this Act and further identified as Plan Name: dadeccp1 Plan Type: Local
17 User: staff Administrator: Dade Co.

18 (b) When used in such attachment, the terms 'Tract' and 'BG' (Block Group) shall mean
19 and describe the same geographical boundaries as provided in the report of the Bureau of
20 the Census for the United States decennial census of 2000 for the State of Georgia. The
21 separate numeric designations in a Tract description which are underneath a 'BG' heading
22 shall mean and describe individual Blocks within a Block Group as provided in the report
23 of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2000 for the State of
24 Georgia. Any part of Dade County not included in any such district described in that
25 attachment shall be included within that district contiguous to such part that contains the
26 least population according to the United States decennial census of 2000 for the State of

1 Georgia. Any part of Dade County described in that attachment as being in a particular
2 district shall nevertheless not be included within such district if such part is not contiguous
3 to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall instead be included within that district
4 contiguous to such part that contains the least population according to the United States
5 decennial census of 2000 for the State of Georgia. Except as otherwise provided in the
6 description of any district, whenever the description of such district refers to a named city,
7 it shall mean the geographical boundaries of that city as shown on the census map for the
8 United States decennial census of 2000 for the State of Georgia.”

9 **SECTION 2.**

10 The Board of Commissioners of Dade County shall through its legal counsel cause this Act
11 to be submitted for preclearance under the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended;
12 and such submission shall be made to the United States Department of Justice or filed with
13 the appropriate court no later than 30 days after the date on which this Act is approved by the
14 Governor or otherwise becomes law without such approval.

15 **SECTION 3.**

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

18 **SECTION 4.**

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

1 Plan Name: dadeccp1 Plan Type: Local User: staff Administrator: Dade Co.

2 Redistricting Plan Components Report

3 District 001

4 Dade County

5 Tract: 401

6 BG: 1

7 1000 1001 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011

8 1012 1013 1014 1015 1016 1017 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023

9 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028 1029 1030 1031 1032 1033 1034 1035

10 1036 1037 1038 1039 1040 1041 1042 1043 1044 1045 1046 1047

11 1048 1049 1050 1051 1052 1053 1054 1055 1056 1057 1058 1059

12 1060 1061 1062 1063 1064 1065 1066 1067 1068 1069 1070 1072

13 1073 1074 1075 1076 1077 1078 1079 1080 1081 1082 1083 1084

14 1085 1086 1087 1088 1089 1090 1091 1092 1093 1094 1095 1096

15 1097 1098 1099 1100 1101 1102 1103 1104 1105 1998 1999

16 BG: 2

17 2000 2001 2002 2004 2005 2006 2007 2008 2009 2010 2011 2012

18 2013 2014 2015 2016 2017 2018 2019 2020 2021 2022 2023 2024

19 2025 2026 2027 2028 2029 2030 2031 2032 2033 2034 2035 2036

20 2037 2038 2039 2040 2041 2042 2043 2044 2045 2046 2047 2048

21 2049 2050 2051 2052 2053 2054 2055 2056 2057 2058 2059 2060

22 2061 2062 2063 2064 2065 2066 2067 2068 2069 2070 2071 2072

23 2076 2077 2078 2088 2132 2133 2134

24 Tract: 402

25 BG: 1

26 1001 1014 1015 1016 1017 1048

27 District 002

28 Dade County

29 Tract: 401

30 BG: 1

31 1071

32 BG: 2

33 2003

34 Tract: 402

1 BG: 1
 2 1000 1002 1003 1004 1005 1006 1007 1008 1009 1010 1011 1012
 3 1013 1018 1019 1020 1021 1022 1023 1024 1025 1026 1027 1028
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 5 1041 1042 1043 1044 1045 1046 1047 1049 1050 1051 1052 1053
 6 1054 1055 1056 1057 1058 1059 1060 1061 1062 1063 1064 1065
 7 1066 1067
 8 BG: 2

9 District 003

10 Dade County

11 Tract: 401

12 BG: 2

13 2073 2074 2075 2079 2080 2081 2082 2083 2084 2085 2086 2087
 14 2089 2090 2091 2092 2093 2094 2095 2096 2097 2098 2099 2100
 15 2101 2102 2103 2104 2105 2106 2107 2108 2109 2110 2111 2112
 16 2113 2114 2115 2116 2117 2118 2119 2120 2121 2123 2142 2143
 17 2144 2145 2146 2147

18 That part of Block Group 3 which lies West of the brow of Lookout
 19 Mountain

20 District 004

21 Dade County

22 Tract: 401

23 BG: 2

24 2122 2124 2125 2126 2127 2128 2129 2130 2131 2135 2136 2137
 25 2138 2139 2140 2141 2148 2149 2150 2151

26 That part of Block Group 3 which lies East of the brow of Lookout
 27 Mountain

28 Tract: 403