

Senate Bill 570

By: Senator Bulloch of the 11th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 44-12-300 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 tribes, bands, groups, or communities recognized by the state as legitimate American Indian
3 Tribes, so as to recognize the Southeastern Cherokee Council, Inc.; to repeal conflicting
4 laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Code Section 44-12-300 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to tribes, bands,
8 groups, or communities recognized by the state as legitimate American Indian Tribes, is
9 amended by striking subsection (a) and inserting in its place the following:

10 "(a) The State of Georgia officially recognizes as legitimate American Indian tribes of
11 Georgia the following tribes, bands, groups, or communities:

12 (1) The Georgia Tribe of Eastern Cherokee

13 P.O. Box 1993

14 Dahlonega, Georgia 30533;

15 (2) The Lower Muscogee Creek Tribe

16 Route 2, Box 370

17 Whigham, Georgia 31797; ~~and~~

18 (3) The Cherokee of Georgia Tribal Council

19 Saint George, Georgia 31646; and

20 (4) The Southeastern Cherokee Council, Inc.

21 P.O. Box 367

22 Ochlocknee, Georgia 31773."

23 **SECTION 2.**

24 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed