

House Bill 1703

By: Representatives Warren of the 99th, Brock of the 5th, Williams of the 128th, Jenkins of the 8th, Broome of the 141st, Post 2, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 27-3-4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to legal
2 weapons for hunting wildlife generally, so as to change certain provisions relating to
3 primitive weapons; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

4 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

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

6 Code Section 27-3-4 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to legal weapons
7 for hunting wildlife generally, is amended by striking paragraph (2) and inserting in lieu
8 thereof the following:

9 "(2) During primitive weapon hunts or primitive weapons seasons, longbows, recurve
10 bows, crossbows, compound bows, muzzleloading firearms of .44 caliber or larger with
11 iron sights ~~only and without telescopic sights~~ or not greater than 4x magnifying power
12 crosshair type telescopic sights or both, and muzzleloading shotguns of 20 gauge or larger
13 loaded with single shot may be used;"

14 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.