

SENATE SUBSTITUTE TO HB 1112:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the board of commissioners of Jones County, approved March 5,
2 1974 (Ga. L. 1974, p. 2162), as amended, so as to provide for the duties and responsibilities
3 of the chairperson of the board; to provide for the full-time status and the compensation of
4 the chairperson; to provide for related matters; to provide for the election of the chairperson
5 by special election rather than regular election in 2004 only; to provide for a referendum
6 election to determine whether such change in duties and status shall become effective; to
7 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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

9 **SECTION 1.**

10 An Act creating the board of commissioners of Jones County, approved March 5, 1974 (Ga.
11 L. 1974, p. 2162), as amended, is amended by striking Section 8 and inserting in its place a
12 new Section 8 to read as follows:

13 **"SECTION 8.**

14 The chairperson of the board shall receive as compensation the sum of \$65,000.00 per year
15 for his or her full-time service. The remaining members of the board shall receive as
16 compensation \$550.00 per month. Said members, including the chairperson, when traveling
17 outside the county on county business shall also receive travel expenses when traveling by
18 personal motor vehicle at the legal mileage rate authorized under Code Section 50-19-7 of
19 the O.C.G.A., as now or hereafter amended, and actual expenses for lodging and meals
20 upon submitting an itemized, verified account to the board and upon approval by a majority
21 of the members of the board. In addition, each member of the board, including the
22 chairperson, shall receive a monthly expense allowance of \$150.00. All such amounts shall
23 be paid from funds of Jones County."

