

ADOPTED

1 Senator Moody of the 56th offered the following amendment:

2 Amend the Senate Education and Youth Committee substitute to SB 35 (LC 33 0708-ECS)
3 by inserting after "flexibility;" on line 3 of page 1 "to provide for the development of rules
4 and regulations by the State Board of Education for specified information, including budget
5 and expenditure information and site average class size by grade, to be provided by local
6 boards of education to school councils and the general public;".

7 By inserting between lines 11 and 12 of page 1 the following:

8 **"SECTION 1.**

9 Chapter 2 of Title 20 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to elementary and
10 secondary education, is amended in Code Section 20-2-167, relating to funding for direct
11 instructional, media center, and staff development costs, by adding a new subsection to the
12 end of such Code section to read as follows:

13 '(e) No later than July 1, 2006, the State Board of Education shall develop rules and
14 regulations requiring that each local board of education provide information as specified
15 by the state board and which is not specifically made confidential by law, including school
16 site budget and expenditure information and site average class size by grade, to members
17 of the school council and the general public."

18 By redesignating Sections 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 as Sections 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6, respectively.