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House Bill 1109

By: Representatives Bridges of the 10th and Smith of the 168th

## 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 change the address of one such tribe; to provide an effective date; to repeal
- 4 conflicting 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
- Address as registered with the Secretary of State's office;
- 16 (2) The Lower Muscogee Creek Tribe
- 17 Route 2, Box 370
- Whigham, Georgia 31797; and
- 19 (3) The Cherokee of Georgia Tribal Council
- 20 Saint George, Georgia 31646."
- 21 SECTION 2.
- 22 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
- 23 without such approval.

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1 SECTION 3.

2 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.