

Senate Bill 638

By: Senators Chance of the 16th, Douglas of the 17th, Stephens of the 27th and Carter of the 13th

AS PASSED SENATE

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 44-14-518 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 liens on aircraft for labor and materials and for contracts of indemnity, so as to provide for
3 filing a notice of intention to claim a lien with the clerk of the superior court; to provide for
4 related matters; to provide for an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other
5 purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 44-14-518 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to liens on
9 aircraft for labor and materials and for contracts of indemnity, is amended by striking it in
10 its entirety and inserting in its place the following:

11 "44-14-518.

12 Any person engaged in servicing or furnishing supplies or accessories for aircraft or
13 providing contracts of indemnity for aircraft shall have a lien on such aircraft for any
14 reasonable charges therefor, including charges for labor, for the use of tools, machinery,
15 and equipment, and for all accessories, materials, fuel, oils, lubricants, earned premiums,
16 and other supplies furnished in connection with the servicing or furnishing of supplies or
17 accessories or providing contracts of indemnity for such aircraft. ~~Such lien shall be~~
18 ~~dissolved unless the person claiming it~~ The person claiming such lien shall file, within 90
19 days after such service, supplies, accessories, or contracts of indemnity are furnished, in
20 the office of the clerk of superior court of the county within which the aircraft was located
21 at the time such service, supplies, accessories, or contracts of indemnity were furnished,
22 a statement; giving notice of his or her intention to claim a lien. Such statement shall be
23 subscribed and sworn to by such person or by some person in his or her behalf, giving a
24 just and true account of the demands claimed to be due, with all just credits and the name
25 of the person to whom the service, supplies, accessories, or contracts of indemnity were
26 furnished, the name of the owner of the aircraft, if known, and a description of the aircraft

1 sufficient for identification. Such statement shall be recorded by the clerk in a book kept
2 for that purpose, for which the clerk shall receive the same fees as provided in
3 subparagraph (f)(1)(A) of Code Section 15-6-77 for recording liens."

4 **SECTION 2.**

5 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
6 without such approval.

7 **SECTION 3.**

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