

House Bill 157

By: Representatives Coleman of the 97th, Bridges of the 10th, Golick of the 34th, Brooks of the 63rd, Benton of the 31st, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 47-3-127.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 employment of a retired teacher as a full-time teacher or in other capacities, so as to provide
3 that a teacher who retired on or before December 31, 2007, may return to full-time
4 employment and continue to collect his or her full retirement benefit; to repeal conflicting
5 laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 47-3-127.1 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to employment
9 of a retired teacher as a full-time teacher or in other capacities, is amended by revising
10 paragraph (2) of subsection (a) as follows:

11 "(2) 'Retired teacher' means a beneficiary of this retirement system who was retired on
12 a service retirement on December 31, ~~2003~~ 2007."

13 **SECTION 2.**

14 This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2008, only if it is determined to have been
15 concurrently funded as provided in Chapter 20 of Title 47 of the Official Code of Georgia
16 Annotated, the "Public Retirement Systems Standards Law"; otherwise, this Act shall not
17 become effective and shall be automatically repealed in its entirety on July 1, 2008, as
18 required by subsection (a) of Code Section 47-20-50.

19 **SECTION 3.**

20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.