

House Bill 725 (COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE)

By: Representatives Fludd of the 66th, Bruce of the 64th, Holmes of the 61st, Stanley-Turner of the 53rd, Lindsey of the 54th, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing for the incorporation of the City of South Fulton in Fulton
2 County, approved April 28, 2006 (Ga. L. 2006, p. 3856), so as to change provisions relating
3 to the description of the territory to be included in the city; to correct a language error in the
4 description; to change provisions relative to exclusion of territory within other municipal
5 corporations; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting
6 laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act providing for the incorporation of the City of South Fulton in Fulton County,
10 approved April 28, 2006 (Ga. L. 2006, p. 3856), is amended by striking from Appendix A,
11 near the beginning thereof, the following:

12 "All that territory lying in Fulton County south of the municipal limits of the City of
13 Atlanta, exclusive of the following territory:",

14 and inserting in place thereof the following:

15 "Except as otherwise provided in the last sentence of this Appendix A, all that territory
16 lying in Fulton County south of the municipal limits of the City of Atlanta, inclusive of the
17 following territory:".

18 **SECTION 2.**

19 Said Act is further amended by striking the last sentence of Appendix A which reads as
20 follows:

21 "The corporate limits shall not include any such territory which, on the date of approval of
22 this Act by the voters, was a part of any other municipal corporation.",

23 and inserting in place thereof the following:

24 "The corporate limits shall not include any such territory which as of April 2, 2007, was a
25 part of any other municipal corporation and for this purpose any otherwise valid annexation

1 shall be considered as effective on the first day of the month following the month during
2 which the requirements of Article 2, 3, or 4 of Chapter 36 of Title 36 of the O.C.G.A. were
3 met."

4 **SECTION 3.**

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

7 **SECTION 4.**

8 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.