

Senate Bill 482

By: Senators Hill of the 32nd and Meyer von Bremen of the 12th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to state government,
2 so as to repeal Chapter 11, relating to the State Law Library; to amend Code Section 20-5-2
3 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the powers and duties of the board of
4 regents and the director of University of Georgia Libraries relative to state public libraries;
5 Code Section 36-80-19 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the
6 codification of ordinances and resolutions of local governments; and Code Section 45-13-22
7 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the distribution of the Georgia Laws
8 and the journals of the House of Representatives and the Senate, so as to delete references
9 to the State Law Library; to provide for other related matters; to provide an effective date;
10 to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

11 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

12 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

13 Code Section 20-5-2 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the powers and
14 duties of the board of regents and the director of University of Georgia Libraries relative to
15 state public libraries, is amended by revising subsection (k) as follows:
16 "(k) The director of the University of Georgia Libraries may transfer books and other
17 library holdings to the Division of Archives and History, the Board of Regents of the
18 University System of Georgia, ~~the State Law Library~~, or other public libraries. Books and
19 other library holdings which are obsolete, defective, worn out, or surplus, or otherwise in
20 the discretion of the director of the University of Georgia Libraries are not required, may
21 be sold, destroyed, or otherwise disposed of by the director of the University of Georgia
22 Libraries, without the need to comply with the provisions of Article 5 of Chapter 13 of
23 Title 45 relating to the disposition of surplus state books."

- 1 (8) Court of Appeals of Georgia — 13 sets, which number may be increased by written
 2 order of the Chief Judge;
- 3 (9) Administrative Office of the Courts — one set;
- 4 (10) Each superior court judge — one set;
- 5 (11) Each clerk of superior court — one set;
- 6 (12) District Attorney of the Atlanta Judicial Circuit — two sets;
- 7 (13) Each other district attorney — one set;
- 8 (14) Each judge of probate court — three sets, of which one set may be retained for the
 9 judge's own use, one set may be issued to the county attorney, and one set shall be placed
 10 in the county law library or retained in the judge's office for use by the general public;
- 11 (15) Each state court — one set;
- 12 (16) Each magistrate court — one set;
- 13 (17) United States Supreme Court — one set;
- 14 (18) United States Court of Appeals for the Eleventh Circuit — one set;
- 15 (19) United States District Courts for the State of Georgia — six sets;
- 16 (20) Clerk of the House of Representatives — five sets;
- 17 (21) Each member of the General Assembly — one set;
- 18 (22) House Judiciary Committee — one set;
- 19 (23) House Majority Leader — one set;
- 20 (24) House Minority Leader — one set;
- 21 (25) House Budget Office and Senate Budget Office — one set each;
- 22 (26) Legislative counsel — 15 sets, which number may be increased by written order of
 23 the legislative counsel;
- 24 (27) Legislative fiscal officer — one set;
- 25 (28) President of the Senate — one set;
- 26 (29) President pro tempore of the Senate — one set;
- 27 (30) Secretary of the Senate — three sets;
- 28 (31) Speaker of the House — one set; and
- 29 (32) Senate Judiciary Committee — one set."

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SECTION 4.

31 Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to state government, is amended
 32 by repealing Chapter 11, relating to the State Law Library, and designating said chapter as
 33 reserved.

1 **SECTION 5.**

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

4 **SECTION 6.**

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