

House Bill 195

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 5 of Chapter 12 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,  
2 relating to trial juries, so as to provide that members of an electric membership corporation  
3 shall be qualified to serve as a juror or grand juror in cases in which the electric membership  
4 corporation is a party or is interested; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting  
5 laws; for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Article 5 of Chapter 12 of Title 15 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to trial  
9 juries, is amended by adding a new Code section to read as follows:

10 "15-12-137.1.

11 Being a member of an electric membership corporation shall not render a person incompetent  
12 to serve as a juror in cases in which the electric membership corporation is a party or is  
13 interested."

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.