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House Bill 723

By: Representatives Anderson of the 117th, Harbin of the 118th, and Sims of the 119th

## A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend an Act to create a board of elections for Columbia County and provide for its
- 2 powers and duties, approved March 23, 1993 (Ga. L. 1993, p. 4180), as amended, so as to
- 3 revise certain term limitations on members of the board; to provide for related matters; to
- 4 provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

## 5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

- 7 An Act to create a board of elections for Columbia County and provide for its powers and
- 8 duties, approved March 23, 1993 (Ga. L. 1993, p. 4180), as amended, is amended by revising
- 9 Section 5 of the Act as follows:
- 10 "SECTION 5.
- 11 Each member of the board of elections shall:
- 12 (1) Be eligible to succeed himself or herself, and such member shall have no limit of
- terms he or she shall be allowed to serve;
- 14 (2) Have the right to resign at any time by giving written notice of his or her resignation
- to the appointing authority and to the clerk of superior court; and
- 16 (3) Be subject to removal from the board of elections at any time for cause after notice
- and hearing in the same manner and by the same authority as provided for removal of
- 18 registrars."
- 19 SECTION 2.
- 20 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
- 21 without such approval.
- SECTION 3.
- 23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.