

House Bill 789

By: Representative Spencer of the 180th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act to amend, restate, revise, reorganize, and modernize the law relating to the
2 board of commissioners of Camden County and certain officers of Camden County,
3 approved March 25, 2002 (Ga. L. 2002, p. 3609), so as to change the description of the
4 commissioner districts; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for continuation
5 in office of current members; to provide for election and terms of office of subsequent
6 members; to provide for submission of this Act for approval under Section 5 of the federal
7 Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

9 **SECTION 1.**

10 An Act to amend, restate, revise, reorganize, and modernize the law relating to the board of
11 commissioners of Camden County and certain officers of Camden County, approved
12 March 25, 2002 (Ga. L. 2002, p. 3609), is amended by revising Section 1 as follows:

13 "SECTION 1.

14 There is created the board of commissioners of Camden County, hereinafter referred to in
15 this Act as the 'board.' The board shall be composed of five members, one from each
16 district as defined in this Act, elected by the qualified voters voting within each respective
17 district. The members of the board who are serving as such immediately prior to the
18 effective date of this section and any person selected to fill a vacancy in any such office
19 shall continue to serve as such members until the regular expiration of their respective
20 terms of office and upon the election and qualification of their respective successors. On
21 and after the effective date of this section, the Board of Commissioners of Camden County
22 shall consist of five members all of whom shall be elected from commissioner districts
23 described in Section 2 of this Act."

24 **SECTION 2.**

25 Said Act is further amended by revising Section 2 as follows:

26 "SECTION 2.

27 (a) For purposes of electing members of the board of commissioners, Camden County is
 28 divided into five commissioner districts. One member of the board shall be elected from
 29 each such district. The five commissioner districts shall be and correspond to those five
 30 numbered districts described in and attached to and made a part of this Act and further
 31 identified as Plan: camdenccsb-2012 Plan Type: Local Administrator: Camden User: bak.

32 (b)(1) For the purposes of such plan:

33 (A) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as
 34 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial
 35 census of 2010 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district
 36 description which are underneath a 'VTD' heading shall mean and describe individual
 37 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the
 38 United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia; and

39 (B) Except as otherwise provided in the description of any district, whenever the
 40 description of any district refers to a named city, it shall mean the geographical
 41 boundaries of that city as shown on the census maps for the United States decennial
 42 census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

43 (2) Any part of Camden County which is not included in any district described in
 44 subsection (a) of this section shall be included within that district contiguous to such part
 45 which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of
 46 2010 for the State of Georgia.

47 (3) Any part of Camden County which is described in subsection (a) of this section as
 48 being included in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included within such
 49 district if such part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall
 50 instead be included within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least
 51 population according to the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of
 52 Georgia.

53 (c) Commissioner Districts 1 through 5, as they exist immediately prior to the effective
 54 date of this Act, shall continue to be designated as Commissioner Districts 1 through 5,
 55 respectively, but as newly described under this Act; and, on and after the effective date of
 56 this Act, such members of the board serving from those former commissioner districts shall
 57 be deemed to be serving from and representing their respective districts as newly described
 58 under this Act."

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SECTION 3.

60 The Board of Commissioners of Camden County shall through its legal counsel cause this
61 Act to be submitted for preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of
62 1965, as amended, no later than 45 days after the date on which this Act is approved by the
63 Governor or otherwise becomes law without such approval.

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SECTION 4.

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

Plan: camdenccsb-2012
Plan Type: Local
Administrator: Camden
User: bak

District 001

Camden County

VTD: 03901 - TARBORO

VTD: 03902 - WAVERLY

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VTD: 03908 - KINGSLAND

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VTD: 03909 - GROSS ROAD

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District 002

Camden County

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VTD: 03903 - WOODBINE

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VTD: 03909 - GROSS ROAD

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VTD: 03913 - MUSH BLUFF

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District 003

Camden County

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VTD: 03910 - NORTH SAINT MARY

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District 004

Camden County

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District 005

Camden County

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VTD: 03906 - WEST KINGSLAND

VTD: 03907 - NORTH KINGSLAND

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