

House Bill 1040

By: Representative Hudson of the 124<sup>th</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act reconstituting the Board of Education of Glascock County, approved April  
2 1, 1996 (Ga. L. 1996, p. 3725), as amended, so as to revise the districts for the election of  
3 members of the board of education; to provide for definitions and inclusions; to provide for  
4 method of election; to provide for submission of this Act for preclearance pursuant to Section  
5 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to provide for related matters; to  
6 repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act reconstituting the Board of Education of Glascock County, approved April 1, 1996  
10 (Ga. L. 1996, p. 3725), as amended, is amended by striking subsection (b) of Section 2 and  
11 inserting in lieu thereof the following:

12 "(b) For the purpose of electing members of the board of education, the Glascock County  
13 School District shall be divided into five education districts. The districts shall be and  
14 correspond to those four numbered districts described in and attached to and made a part  
15 of this Act and further identified as 'Plan: glassb-2012 Plan Type: Local Administrator:  
16 Glascock SB User: SE'. Education District 5 shall include all of the territory in the  
17 Glascock County School District.

18 (c) For purposes of such plan:

19 (1) The term 'VTD' shall mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as  
20 provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census  
21 of 2010 for the State of Georgia. The separate numeric designations in a district  
22 description which are underneath a 'VTD' heading shall mean and describe individual  
23 Blocks within a VTD as provided in the report of the Bureau of the Census for the United  
24 States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

25 (2) Except as otherwise provided in the description of any district, whenever the  
26 description of such district refers to a named city, it shall mean the geographical

27 boundaries of that city as shown on the census map for the United States decennial census  
28 of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

29 (d) Any part of Glascock County which is not included in any such district described in  
30 subsection (b) of this section shall be included within that district contiguous to such part  
31 which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of 2010  
32 for the State of Georgia.

33 (e) Any part of Glascock County which is described in subsection (b) of this section as  
34 being in a particular district shall nevertheless not be included within such district if such  
35 part is not contiguous to such district. Such noncontiguous part shall instead be included  
36 within that district contiguous to such part which contains the least population according  
37 to the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of Georgia.

38 (f) The members of the board of education who were elected at the general election in  
39 November, 2010, shall continue in office for the terms to which they were elected and until  
40 successors are elected and qualified as provided in this Act. The members of the board of  
41 education who were elected at the general election in November, 2008, shall continue in  
42 office for the terms to which they were elected and until successors are elected and  
43 qualified as provided in this Act.

44 (g) Successors to the members of the Board of Education of Glascock County from  
45 Education Districts 1, 2, and 5 shall be elected at the state-wide general election in 2012.  
46 Such members shall take office on January 1 following their election for terms of four  
47 years and until their successors are elected and qualified.

48 (h) Successors to the members of the Board of Education of Glascock County from  
49 Education Districts 3 and 4 shall be elected at the state-wide general election in 2014. Such  
50 members shall take office on January 1 following their election for terms of four years and  
51 until their successors are elected and qualified.

52 (i) Successors to members elected under subsections (g) and (h) of this section shall be  
53 elected at the state-wide general election next preceding the expiration of such terms of  
54 office and shall take office on January 1 following their election for terms of four years and  
55 until their successors are elected and qualified.

56 (j) Education Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 as they existed on January 1, 2012, shall continue  
57 to be designated as Education Districts 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, respectively, but as newly  
58 described under this Act, and, on and after the effective date of this Act, such members of  
59 the board serving from those former education districts shall be deemed to be serving from  
60 and representing their respective districts as newly described under this section."

61 **SECTION 2.**

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

66 **SECTION 3.**

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

Plan: glassb-2012  
Plan Type: Local  
Administrator: Glascock SB  
User: SE

District 001  
Glascock County  
VTD: 125GIBS - GIBSON

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VTD: 125MILL - MILL

010100:  
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District 002  
Glascock County  
VTD: 125MILL - MILL

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District 003  
Glascock County  
VTD: 125GIBS - GIBSON

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VTD: 125MITC - MITCHELL

District 004  
Glascock County  
VTD: 125EDGH - EDGEHILL  
VTD: 125GIBS - GIBSON

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VTD: 125MILL - MILL

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