

House Bill 1269 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative Smith of the 168th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act to revise and reenact the law creating a Board of Commissioners of Bacon
2 County, approved April 4, 1991 (Ga. L. 1991, p. 4436), as amended, particularly by an Act
3 approved May 16, 2007 (Ga. L. 2007, p. 3718), so as to change the description of the
4 commissioner districts; to define certain terms and provide for certain inclusions; to provide
5 for continuation in office of current members; to provide for the submission of this Act for
6 preclearance under Section 5 of the federal Voting Rights Act of 1965, as amended; to
7 provide for related matters; to provide effective dates; to repeal conflicting laws; and for
8 other purposes.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

10 **SECTION 1.**

11 An Act to revise and reenact the law creating a Board of Commissioners of Bacon County,
12 approved April 4, 1991 (Ga. L. 1991, p. 4436), as amended, particularly by an Act approved
13 May 16, 2007 (Ga. L. 2007, p. 3718), is amended by revising subsections (b) and (c) of
14 Section 1 as follows:

15 "(b) For purposes of electing members of the board other than the chairperson, each of
16 whom must reside in the district from which the person is to be elected, Bacon County is
17 divided into six commissioner districts. District 1 shall consist of all that territory
18 embraced within the boundaries of Bacon County. Districts 2 through 6 shall be and
19 correspond to those five districts described in and attached to and made a part of this Act
20 and further identified as 'Plan: baconccsb-2012 Plan Type: local Administrator: bacon
21 User: bak'.

22 (c)(1) When used in such attachment, the term 'VTD' (voting tabulation district) shall
23 mean and describe the same geographical boundaries as provided in the report of the
24 Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2010 for the State of
25 Georgia.

26 (2) The separate numeric designations in a district description which are underneath a
27 VTD heading shall mean and describe individual Blocks within a VTD as provided in the
28 report of the Bureau of the Census for the United States decennial census of 2010 for the
29 State of Georgia. Any part of Bacon County which is not included in any such district
30 described in that attachment shall be included within that district contiguous to such part
31 which contains the least population according to the United States decennial census of
32 2010 for the State of Georgia.

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

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

42 **SECTION 2.**

43 The Board of Commissioners of Bacon County which exists on December 31, 2012, is
44 continued in existence but on and after January 1, 2013, shall be constituted as provided in
45 this Act. The Board of Commissioners of Bacon County so continued and constituted,
46 sometimes referred to in this Act as the "board," shall continue to have the powers, duties,
47 rights, obligations, and liabilities of that board as existed immediately prior to January 1,
48 2013.

49 **SECTION 3.**

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

54 **SECTION 4.**

55 The provisions of this Act relating to and necessary for the regular election in 2012 of
56 members of the Board of Commissioners of Bacon County shall become effective upon its
57 approval by the Governor or upon its becoming effective without such approval; and this Act
58 shall otherwise become effective January 1, 2013.

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SECTION 5.

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

Plan: baconcsb-2012
Plan Type:local
Administrator:bacon
User: bak

District 002
Bacon County
VTD: 005DOUGL - DOUGLAS

970100:
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970201:
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District 003
Bacon County
VTD: 005DOUGL - DOUGLAS

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District 004
Bacon County
VTD: 0005NEWL - NEW LACY
VTD: 005DOUGL - DOUGLAS

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District 005
Bacon County
VTD: 005DOUGL - DOUGLAS

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VTD: 005WARE - WARE

District 006
Bacon County
VTD: 005DOUGL - DOUGLAS
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VTD: 005WARNO - WARNOCK