

Senate Bill 351

By: Senators Jeffares of the 17th, Jackson of the 24th and Bethel of the 54th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 2-6-23 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the  
2 State Soil and Water Conservation Commission, so as to assign the commission to the  
3 Department of Agriculture for administrative purposes; 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 Code Section 2-6-23 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to the State Soil and  
8 Water Conservation Commission, is amended by revising subsection (a) as follows:

9 "(a) There is established, to serve as an agency of the state and to perform the functions  
10 conferred upon it in this article, the State Soil and Water Conservation Commission. For  
11 administrative purposes, the commission shall be attached to the Department of  
12 Agriculture. The department shall provide staff support to the commission, utilizing  
13 personnel and funds available to the commission."

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2014.

16 **SECTION 3.**

17 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.