

House Bill 749

By: Representatives Werkheiser of the 157th, Greene of the 151st, Harrell of the 106th,
Dudgeon of the 25th, Teasley of the 37th, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 50-8-34 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 councils of regional commissions, membership, terms of membership, voting, officers, and
3 powers, so as to authorize such councils to meet by teleconference or similar means; to
4 provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for
5 other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 50-8-34 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to councils of
9 regional commissions, membership, terms of membership, voting, officers, and powers, is
10 amended by adding a new subsection to read as follows:

11 "(g) The council of each regional commission is authorized to meet by teleconference or
12 similar means in the same manner as boards, bodies, and committees of state government
13 pursuant to Code Section 50-1-5."

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law
16 without such approval.

17 **SECTION 3.**

18 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.