

Senate Bill 301

By: Senators Tate of the 38th, Henson of the 41st, Butler of the 55th, Orrock of the 36th and Fort of the 39th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Chapter 10 of Title 25 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 regulation of fireworks, so as to revise the days and times in which consumer fireworks may
3 be lawfully used or exploded; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and
4 for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

7 Chapter 10 of Title 25 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to regulation of
8 fireworks, is amended by revising subparagraph (b)(3)(B) of Code Section 25-10-2, relating
9 to prohibited fireworks activities, as follows:

10 "(B) Except as provided for in subparagraph (D) of this paragraph and subject to
11 paragraph (4) of this subsection, it shall be lawful for any person, firm, corporation,
12 association, or partnership to use or explode or cause to be exploded any consumer
13 fireworks on:

14 (i) Any any day between the hours times of 10:00 A.M. and 12:00 Midnight only;
15 provided, however, that it shall be lawful for any person, firm, corporation,
16 association, or partnership to use or explode or cause to be exploded any consumer
17 fireworks on January 1, July 3, July 4, and December 31 of each year between the
18 hours of 12:00 Midnight and 2:00 A.M. 10:00 P.M.;

19 (ii) On July 3, July 4, and December 31 of each year between the times of 10:01 P.M.
20 and 11:59 P.M.; and

21 (iii) On January 1 and July 4 of each year between the time of 12:00 Midnight and
22 12:15 A.M."

23 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

24 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.