

House Bill 1093

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing that the tax commissioner of Carroll County shall retain  
2 1 percent of educational funds collected by said officer and remit the same to the governing  
3 authority of Carroll County to reimburse the county for the cost of collecting school taxes,  
4 approved March 27, 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 3698), so as to increase the percentage of  
5 educational funds retained and remitted by said officer for said purpose to the governing  
6 authority of Carroll County; to provide a statement of intention and authority; to provide for  
7 related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

8 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

9 **SECTION 1.**

10 An Act providing that the tax commissioner of Carroll County shall retain 1 percent of  
11 educational funds collected by said officer and remit the same to the governing authority of  
12 Carroll County to reimburse the county for the cost of collecting school taxes, approved  
13 March 27, 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 3698), is amended by revising Section 1 as follows:

14 "SECTION 1.

15 The tax commissioner of Carroll County shall remit all educational funds collected by said  
16 officer to the board of education of Carroll County and the board of education of the  
17 Carrollton Independent School System, except that 2.5 percent of the funds collected shall  
18 be retained by the tax commissioner and remitted to the governing authority of Carroll  
19 County to reimburse the county for the cost of collecting school taxes."

20 **SECTION 2.**

21 Said Act is further amended by revising Section 2 as follows:

22 "SECTION 2.

23 It is the intention of this Act to authorize the tax commissioner of Carroll County to collect  
24 the full commission amount authorized by subsection (a) of Code Section 48-5-404 of the  
25 Official Code of Georgia Annotated."

26 **SECTION 3.**

27 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.