

House Bill 669

By: Representatives Jones of the 91st, Mitchell of the 88th, and Carter of the 92nd

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Article 5 of Chapter 3 of Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
2 relating to Honoring Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., so as to provide for placement of a
3 statute in honor of the Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., on Stone Mountain; to provide for
4 related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 SECTION 1.

7 Article 5 of Chapter 3 of Title 50 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
8 Honoring Reverend Martin Luther King, Jr., is amended by adding a new Code section to
9 read as follows:

10 "50-3-106.

11 (a) There shall be placed upon the top of Stone Mountain or in another prominent place
12 upon the grounds surrounding Stone Mountain a statute in honor of the Reverend Martin
13 Luther King, Jr., subject to the availability of private funds for such purpose.

14 (b) Unless public safety concerns warrant postponement, such statute shall be procured
15 and placed as soon as practicable but not before the state has been granted any intellectual
16 property license necessary for purposes of this Code section."

17 SECTION 2.

18 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.