

The House Committee on Natural Resources and Environment offers the following substitute to HB 381:

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend Code Section 12-2-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to  
2 authority of the Department of Natural Resources to arrange for and accept federal aid and  
3 cooperation, organize volunteer services, and cooperate with government entities and civic  
4 organizations, so as to revise provisions relative to department creation and operation of a  
5 nonprofit corporation; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 Code Section 12-2-6 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to authority of the  
9 Department of Natural Resources to arrange for and accept federal aid and cooperation,  
10 organize volunteer services, and cooperate with government entities and civic organizations,  
11 is amended by revising subparagraph (f)(2)(C) as follows:

12 "(C) The board of directors of any such nonprofit corporation shall always include  
13 three members of the Board of Natural Resources who shall serve as nonvoting  
14 members. Service by a member of the Board of Natural Resources as a nonvoting  
15 member of the board of directors of any such nonprofit corporation shall not constitute  
16 a conflict of interest. No member of the Board of Natural Resources shall be an officer  
17 or director a voting member of the board of directors of any such nonprofit  
18 corporation;"

19 **SECTION 2.**

20 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.