House Bill 623 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Millar of the 59th, Jennings of the 63rd, Turnquest of the 73rd, Mobley of the 69th, Watson of the 70th and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

To provide that the tax commissioner of DeKalb County shall retain a specified percentage of educational funds collected by said officer and remit the same to the governing authority of DeKalb County to reimburse the county for the cost of collecting school taxes; to provide for a statement of intention and the authority for this Act; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

The tax commissioner of DeKalb County shall remit all educational funds collected by said officer to the Board of Education of DeKalb County, except that 1.9 percent of the funds collected shall be retained by the tax commissioner and remitted to the governing authority of DeKalb County to reimburse the county for the cost of collecting school taxes.

SECTION 2.

It is the intention of this Act to reduce the amount authorized by subsection (a) of Code Section 48-5-404 of the O.C.G.A. as reimbursement to counties for the collection of school taxes, and this Act is pursuant to the specific authority of Paragraph III of Section VI of Article VIII of the Constitution of the State of Georgia.

SECTION 3.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.