Senate Bill 143

By: Senator Ray of the 48th

AS PASSED

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

To amend an Act creating the Recorder´s Court of Gwinnett County, approved March 27, 1972 (Ga. L. 1972, p. 3125), as amended, particularly an Act approved March 5, 1987 (Ga. L. 1987, p. 3765), so as to change the compensation of the judge pro hac vice; to provide an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

An Act creating the Recorder´s Court of Gwinnett County, approved March 27, 1972 (Ga. L. 1972, p. 3125), as amended, particularly by an Act approved March 5, 1987 (Ga. L. 1987, p. 3765), is amended by striking in its entirety Section 13 and inserting in its place a new Section 13 to read as follows:

"SECTION 13.

Recorder Pro Hac Vice. The chief judge of the Recorder´s Court of Gwinnett County shall have the authority to designate a practicing attorney holding the qualifications of a judge of the recorder´s court to serve as judge pro hac vice in the place of either judge during an absence, because of disability, or if a judge is disqualified. A judge pro hac vice while serving as judge shall have the same power and authority vested in the judges of said court and shall be paid at the rate of $250.00 per day by the governing authority of Gwinnett County."

SECTION 2.

This Act shall become effective January 1, 2002.

SECTION 3.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.