House Bill 723

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

To amend an Act providing a method of compensating the chairperson and members of the board of education of McIntosh County, approved March 14, 1980 (Ga. L. 1980, p. 3112), as amended, particularly by an Act approved March 29, 1984 (Ga. L. 1984, p. 5231), and by an Act approved April 10, 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 4442), so as to modify the compensation of the chairperson and members of the board of education of McIntosh County; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

An Act providing a method of compensating the chairperson and members of the board of education of McIntosh County, approved March 14, 1980 (Ga. L. 1980, p. 3112), as amended, particularly by an Act approved March 29, 1984 (Ga. L. 1984, p. 5231), and by an Act approved April 10, 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 4442), is amended by revising Section 4 as follows:

″SECTION 4.

(a) The chairperson of the board of education of McIntosh County shall receive a per diem of $375.00 for each day of attendance at meetings of the board and while meeting and traveling inside or outside the state as a member of a committee of the board on official business first authorized by a majority of the board, plus reimbursement for actual expenses necessarily incurred in connection therewith.

(b) The other members of the board of education of McIntosh County shall receive a per diem of $300.00 for each day of attendance at meetings of the board and while meeting and traveling inside or outside the state as a member of a committee of the board on official business first authorized by a majority of the board, plus reimbursement of actual expenses necessarily incurred in connection therewith.

(c) Whenever the state employees subject to compensation plans authorized and approved in accordance with Code Section 45-20-4 of the O.C.G.A. receive a cost-of-living increase or general performance based increase of a certain percentage or a certain amount, the compensation to which a member of the McIntosh County Board of Education is entitled under general or local law shall be increased by the same percentage or same amount applicable to such state employees. If the cost-of-living increase or general performance based increase received by state employees is in different percentages or different amounts as to certain categories of employees, the amount to which a member of the McIntosh County Board of Education is entitled under general or local law shall be increased by a percentage or an amount not to exceed the average percentage or average amount of the general increase in salary granted to state employees. The Office of Planning and Budget shall calculate the average percentage increase or average amount increase when necessary. The periodic changes in the amount to which a member of the McIntosh County Board of Education is entitled under this subsection shall become effective on the first day of January following the date that the cost-of-living increases or general performance based increases received by state employees become effective; provided, however, that if the cost-of-living increases received

by state employees become effective January 1, such periodic changes in the amount to which a member of the McIntosh County Board of Education is entitled under general or local law shall become effective on the same date that the cost-of-living increases or general performance based increases received by state employees become effective."

SECTION 2.

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