

House Bill 633

By: Representatives Bazemore of the 69th, Olaleye of the 59th, Roberts of the 52nd, and Oliver of the 84th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
2 elections and primaries generally, so as to add caregivers to the list of persons who may
3 make absentee ballot applications for certain electors; to provide for related matters; to repeal
4 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.**

7 Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to elections and
8 primaries generally, is amended in Code Section 21-2-381, relating to making of application
9 for absentee ballot, determination of eligibility by ballot clerk, furnishing of applications to
10 colleges and universities, and persons entitled to make application, by revising
11 subparagraph (a)(1)(B) as follows:

12 "(B) In the case of an elector residing temporarily out of the county or municipality or
13 a physically disabled elector residing within the county or municipality, the application
14 for the elector's absentee ballot may, upon satisfactory proof of relationship, be made
15 by such elector's mother, father, grandparent, aunt, uncle, sister, brother, spouse, son,

16 daughter, niece, nephew, grandchild, son-in-law, daughter-in-law, mother-in-law,
17 father-in-law, brother-in-law, ~~or~~ sister-in-law, or caregiver of the age of 18 or over."

18 **SECTION 2.**

19 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.