

House Bill 442 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To provide for the administration of the budget of the State Court of Fulton County; to  
2 provide that the court administrator shall have oversight of the budget; to provide that the  
3 court administrator, with the approval of the chief judge, is authorized to make changes to  
4 line item appropriations; to provide that any unexpended funds at the end of the fiscal year  
5 shall lapse to the general fund of Fulton County; to provide an effective date; to repeal  
6 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 The court administrator of the State Court of Fulton County shall have oversight of the  
10 court's budget. After county funds have been appropriated for the operation of the court, the  
11 court administrator, with the approval of the chief judge, shall have the authority to make  
12 changes to line item appropriations.

13 **SECTION 2.**

14 The Fulton County Finance Department shall make all payroll adjustments related to  
15 appointment, transfer, termination, or other personnel action requiring payroll adjustment  
16 upon written notification by the court administrator.

17 **SECTION 3.**

18 Any unexpended county appropriated funds remaining with the court at the end of a fiscal  
19 year shall lapse to the general fund of Fulton County.

20 **SECTION 4.**

21 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law  
22 without such approval.

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**SECTION 5.**

24 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.