

House Bill 1074 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Reeves of the 34th, Carson of the 46th, Dollar of the 45th, Setzler of the 35th, Evans of the 42nd, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the State Court of Cobb County, approved March 26, 1964 (Ga.
2 L. 1964, p. 3211), as amended, so as to change the compensation of the judges of the state
3 court; to authorize the governing authority of Cobb County to make payments to the Trial
4 Judges and Solicitors Retirement Fund; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting
5 laws; and for other purposes.

6 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 **SECTION 1.**

8 An Act creating the State Court of Cobb County, approved March 26, 1964 (Ga. L. 1964, p.
9 3211), as amended, is amended in Section 3 of Part 1 by replacing:

10 "The chief judge of the State Court of Cobb County shall receive as additional
11 compensation \$4,071.00 per annum."

12 with:

13 "The chief judge of the State Court of Cobb County shall receive as additional
14 compensation \$9,216.18 per annum."

15 **SECTION 2.**

16 Said Act is further amended in Section 23 of Part 1 by replacing:

17 "The salary of the judges of Division 1 of the State Court of Cobb County shall be
18 \$171,506.00 per annum."

19 with:

20 "The salary of the judges of Division 1 of the State Court of Cobb County shall be
21 \$176,651.18 per annum."

22 **SECTION 3.**

23 Said Act is further amended by revising Section 2-3 of Part 2 as follows:

24 "SECTION 2-3.

25 (a) The salary of each associate judge shall be \$22,500.00 per annum below the salary of
26 the judges of Division 1 of the State Court of Cobb County to be paid in equal monthly
27 installments from the funds of Cobb County. The associate judges are designated as
28 full-time judges and may not engage in the private practice of law.

29 (b) The governing authority of Cobb County is authorized to pay to the Trial Judges and
30 Solicitors Retirement Fund, on behalf of the associate judges, any employee contributions
31 required for the associate judges' participation in said retirement fund. Any employee
32 contributions so paid by the governing authority of Cobb County shall be in addition to any
33 other compensation to which the associate judges are entitled."

34 **SECTION 4.**

35 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.