

House Bill 723 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative DeLoach of the 167th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

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

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

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

"SECTION 4.

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

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

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

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

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SECTION 2.

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