

House Bill 656 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Jackson of the 64th, Beasley-Teague of the 65th, Gardner of the 57th, Dreyer of the 59th, McLaurin of the 51st, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act to create a board of elections and registration for Fulton County, Georgia,
2 approved March 30, 1989 (Ga. L. 1989, p. 4577), as amended, so as to revise the manner of
3 appointment of the chairperson of the board; 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 An Act to create a board of elections and registration for Fulton County, Georgia, approved
8 March 30, 1989 (Ga. L. 1989, p. 4577), is amended by revising Section 2 as follows:

9 "SECTION 2.

10 The board shall be composed of five members, each of whom shall be an elector and
11 resident of Fulton County, who shall be appointed in the following manner:

12 (1) Two members shall be appointed by the governing authority of Fulton County from
13 nominations made by the chairperson of the county executive committee of the political
14 party whose candidates at the last preceding regular general election held for the election
15 of all members of the General Assembly received the largest number of votes in this state
16 for members of the General Assembly;

17 (2) Two members shall be appointed by the governing authority of Fulton County from
18 nominations made by the chairperson of the county executive committee of the political
19 party whose candidates at the election described in paragraph (1) of this section received
20 the second largest number of such votes; and

21 (3) One member shall be appointed by the governing authority of Fulton County, which
22 member shall be designated permanent chairperson of the board."

23 **SECTION 2.**

24 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.