

House Bill 51 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representative Greene of the 151<sup>st</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the Quitman County Water and Sewerage Authority, approved  
2 March 27, 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 3702), so as to change the number of members serving on  
3 the authority; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other  
4 purposes.

5 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 1.**

7 An Act creating the Quitman County Water and Sewerage Authority, approved March 27,  
8 1998 (Ga. L. 1998, p. 3702), is amended by revising subsection (b) of Section 2 as follows:  
9 "(b) The authority shall consist of five members who shall be selected so as to provide  
10 representation throughout Quitman County and shall be appointed by and serve at the  
11 pleasure of the Board of Commissioners of Quitman County. To be eligible for  
12 appointment as a member of the authority, a person shall be at least 21 years of age, shall  
13 have been a resident of Quitman County for at least two years prior to the date of his or her  
14 appointment, and shall not have been convicted of a felony. Any member of the authority  
15 may be selected and appointed to succeed himself or herself for a maximum of two  
16 consecutive three-year terms. Each appointed member shall serve until his or her  
17 respective successor is appointed and qualified. Successors shall be appointed by the  
18 governing authority of Quitman County. Any vacancy on the authority shall be filled in  
19 the same manner as was the original appointment of the member whose termination of  
20 membership resulted in the vacancy, and the person so selected and appointed shall serve  
21 for the remainder of the unexpired term."

22 style="text-align:center">**SECTION 2.**

23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.