

House Bill 1065

By: Representatives Jacobs of the 80th, Taylor of the 79th, Oliver of the 82nd, Mitchell of the 88th, Mayo of the 84th, and others

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend an Act providing for a homestead exemption from certain DeKalb County ad
2 valorem taxes for county purposes in an amount equal to the amount by which the current
3 year assessed value of a homestead exceeds the base year assessed value of such homestead,
4 approved May 5, 2006 (Ga. L. 2006, p. 4636), as amended, so as to eliminate the time
5 limitation on such exemption; to provide for a referendum, effective dates, and automatic
6 repeal; 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 for a homestead exemption from certain DeKalb County ad valorem taxes
10 for county purposes in an amount equal to the amount by which the current year assessed
11 value of a homestead exceeds the base year assessed value of such homestead, approved
12 May 5, 2006 (Ga. L. 2006, p. 4636), as amended, is amended by repealing and reserving
13 subsection (f) of Section 1.

14 **SECTION 2.**

15 The election superintendent of DeKalb County shall call and conduct an election as provided
16 in this section for the purpose of submitting this Act to the electors of DeKalb County for
17 approval or rejection. The election superintendent shall conduct such election on the date
18 of the November, 2014, state-wide general election. The election superintendent shall issue
19 the call and conduct such election as provided by general law. The election superintendent
20 shall cause the date and purpose of the election to be published once a week for two weeks
21 immediately preceding the date thereof in the official organ of DeKalb County. The ballot
22 shall have written or printed thereon the words:

