

House Bill 1098

By: Representative Efstration of the 104th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED
AN ACT

1 To amend Part 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 10 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia
2 Annotated, relating to general provisions relative to the State Road and Tollway Authority,
3 so as to prohibit the use of identifying information obtained from technology used to
4 determine toll enforcement violations for the issuance of traffic citations other than those
5 related to toll enforcement violations; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting
6 laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 Part 1 of Article 2 of Chapter 10 of Title 32 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated,
10 relating to general provisions relative to the State Road and Tollway Authority, is amended
11 by revising subsection (h) of Code Section 32-10-64, relating to toll powers and police
12 powers relative to tolls, as follows:

13 "(h) The authority may in its discretion use such technology, including but not limited to
14 automatic vehicle license tag identification photography and video surveillance, either by
15 electronic imaging or photographic copy, that it deems necessary to aid in the collection
16 of tolls and enforcement of toll violations. No traffic citation shall be issued other than for
17 a toll violation based upon the identifying information obtained from such technology.
18 Such technology shall not be used to produce any photograph, microphotograph, electronic
19 image, or videotape showing the identity of any person in a motor vehicle except that such
20 technology may be utilized for general surveillance of a toll collection facility for the
21 security of toll collection facility employees."

22 **SECTION 2.**

23 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.