A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

To amend Chapter 42 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to
downtown development authorities, so as to provide for the priority of certain liens regarding
assessments for downtown development authorities; to provide for related matters; to provide
an effective date; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

6 **SECTION 1.** 7 Chapter 42 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to downtown 8 development authorities, is amended by adding a new Code section to read as follows: 9 "36-42-17. 10 A lien for any assessment under Code Section 36-42-16 that relates to any project under 11 subparagraph (B) of paragraph (6) of Code Section 36-42-3 shall have the same priority as municipal liens under paragraph (4) of subsection (b) and subparagraph (g)(2)(B) of Code 12 Section 48-2-56." 13 14 **SECTION 2.** 15 This Act shall become effective upon its approval by the Governor or upon its becoming law 16 without such approval.

SECTION 3.

18 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.