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Senator Millar of the 40th offered the following amendment:

1 Amend the House amendment to SB 430 (AM 28 1648) by deleting it in its entirety and 2 substituting in lieu thereof:

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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

4 AN ACT

To amend Chapter 5 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to organization of county government, so as to update the compensation of local government officials; to revise when any increase in salary, compensation, expenses, or expenses in the nature of compensation for members of a county governing authority shall take effect; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

SECTION 1.

Chapter 5 of Title 36 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated, relating to organization of county government, is amended by revising paragraph (1) of subsection (b) of Code Section 36-5-24, relating to definitions and compensation of members of county governing authorities, as follows:

"(1) Any increase in salary, compensation, expenses, or expenses in the nature of compensation for members of a county governing authority with an elective chief executive officer, in existence now or hereafter, shall not be effective until the first day of January of the year following the next general election held after the date on which the action to increase the compensation was taken for any individual member during his or her term of office in which the action to increase the compensation was taken or for any person fulfilling an unexpired term of such term of office. This paragraph shall apply to all actions to increase salary, compensation, expenses, or expenses in the nature of compensation which occurred on or after January 1, 2018. Any increase pursuant to this paragraph shall be no more than \$4,000.00;"

26 SECTION 2.

All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.