

## Senate Resolution 833

By: Senators Fort of the 39th, Henson of the 41st, Butler of the 55th, Tate of the 38th, Seay of the 34th and others

## A RESOLUTION

1 Amending the Rules of the Senate; and for other purposes.

2 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the Rules of the Senate are amended by  
3 designating the current text of Rule 2-6.1, relating to committee testimony, recording, and  
4 transcripts, as subsection (a) and by adding a new subsection (b) to read as follows:

5 "(b)(1) Each standing committee of the Senate listed in Senate Rule 2-1.3(a) is authorized  
6 to place persons who are registered as lobbyists under Code Section 21-5-71 of the  
7 Official Code of Georgia Annotated under oath or affirmation when testifying before the  
8 committee in regard to legislation which is then in the possession of the committee.

9 (2) The oath or affirmation to be administered by a person authorized by law to  
10 administer oaths shall be as follows:

11 'Do you solemnly swear or affirm that the testimony you shall give to the committee in  
12 the matter now pending before the committee shall be the truth, the whole truth, and  
13 nothing but the truth?'

14 (3) Such sworn or affirmed testimony shall be subject to the provisions of Code  
15 Section 16-10-71 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated."