

House Bill 1117

By: Representative Greene of the 151<sup>st</sup>

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend an Act relating to the Board of Education of Stewart County and providing for the  
 2 election of the members thereof, approved March 21, 1969 (Ga. L. 1969, p. 2264), as  
 3 amended, particularly by an Act approved May 13, 2008 (Ga. L. 2008, p. 4171), so as to  
 4 provide for the compensation and expenses of the members of the Board of Education of  
 5 Stewart County; to provide for related matters; to provide an effective date; to repeal  
 6 conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

7 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

8 **SECTION 1.**

9 An Act relating to the Board of Education of Stewart County and providing for the election  
 10 of the members thereof, approved March 21, 1969 (Ga. L. 1969, p. 2264), as amended,  
 11 particularly by an Act approved May 13, 2008 (Ga. L. 2008, p. 4171), is amended by revising  
 12 Section 1.1 as follows:

13 "SECTION 1.1.

14 (a) Members of the Board of Education of Stewart County, excluding the chairperson,  
 15 shall each receive \$300.00 per month as compensation for their service on the board. The  
 16 chairperson shall receive \$350.00 per month as compensation for his or her service.

17 (b) In addition to the compensation provided for in subsection (a) of this section, members  
 18 of the board and the chairperson shall be reimbursed for actual expenses necessarily  
 19 incurred in connection with meeting and traveling within or outside the state on official  
 20 business of the board. Any such travel must be authorized by a majority of the board prior  
 21 to the board member or chairperson undertaking such travel. All accounts for such actual  
 22 expenses shall be approved and verified prior to reimbursement in such manner as shall be  
 23 specified by the board.

24 (c) The compensation of members of the board and the chairperson shall be paid only from  
25 the local tax funds for educational purposes available to such local board.

26 (d) As a further compensation of such office, each member of the board and the  
27 chairperson shall be entitled to participate in any school district group insurance plan to the  
28 extent authorized in Code Section 20-2-55 of the Official Code of Georgia Annotated."

29 **SECTION 2.**

30 This Act shall become effective on July 1, 2020.

31 **SECTION 3.**

32 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.