

House Bill 865 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Camp of the 135th and Knight of the 134th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend an Act entitled an Act to provide a homestead exemption from Lamar County
2 school district ad valorem taxes for educational purposes in the amount of \$7,000.00 of the
3 assessed value of the homestead after a specified five-year phase-in period for residents of
4 that school district who are 70 years of age or older, approved April 24, 2013
5 (Ga. L. 2013, p. 3702), so as to increase such homestead exemption; to provide for
6 compliance with constitutional requirements; to provide for a referendum, effective dates,
7 and automatic repeal, mandatory execution of election, and judicial remedies regarding
8 failure to comply; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

9 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

10 **SECTION 1.**

11 An Act to provide a homestead exemption from Lamar County school district ad valorem
12 taxes for educational purposes in the amount of \$7,000.00 of the assessed value of the
13 homestead after a specified five-year phase-in period for residents of that school district who
14 are 70 years of age or older, approved April 24, 2013 (Ga. L. 2013, p. 3702), is amended by
15 revising subsection (b) of Section 1 as follows:

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SECTION 5.

66 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.