Senate Bill 285

By: Senator Jones of the 10th

AS PASSED

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED

AN ACT

1 To amend an Act creating the Henry County Water Authority, approved March 28, 1961 (Ga.

2 L. 1961, p. 2588), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 12, 1982 (Ga. L. 1982,

3 p. 4081), so as to provide for a sixth member of the authority's board; to update quorums and

4 majorities of the board; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for

5 other purposes.

6   **BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:**

7   **SECTION 1.**

8 An Act creating the Henry County Water Authority, approved March 28, 1961 (Ga. L. 1961,

9 p. 2588), as amended, particularly by an Act approved April 12, 1982 (Ga. L. 1982, p.4081),

10 is amended by revising subsections (b) and (e) of Section 4 as follows:

11 ″(b) On July 1, 2021, the authority shall consist of six members. One member shall be

12   appointed by the chairperson of the board of commissioners of Henry County. Five

13   members shall be appointed by the board of commissioners of Henry County, with one

14   member appointed from each commission district in Henry County. The six members so

15   appointed shall serve for terms of office of two years and until their successors are

16   appointed and qualified. The members of the authority who are in office on the effective

17   date of this Act shall serve out the terms to which they were originally appointed and until

18   their successors are appointed and qualified as provided in this subsection."

19   "(e) Four members of the authority shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business,

20   and they shall have the right to meet whenever they shall deem it in the best interest of the

21   authority. Notice of such meeting shall be given each member in writing at least three days

22   before such meeting, and a majority of the authority or the chairman may call such meeting

23   upon giving the required notice. No action shall be taken by the authority unless approved

24   by four members of the authority."

25   **SECTION 2.**

26   All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.