

House Bill 711 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

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

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED  
AN ACT

1 To provide that future elections for the office of coroner of Clay County shall be nonpartisan  
2 elections; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other purposes.

3 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

4 **SECTION 1.**

5 All elections for the office of coroner of Clay County conducted after January 1, 2015, shall  
6 be nonpartisan elections as provided for in Code Section 21-2-139 of the O.C.G.A. Such  
7 nonpartisan elections shall be held in conjunction with the November general election  
8 immediately preceding expiration of the term of office and conducted as provided in  
9 Chapter 2 of Title 21 of the O.C.G.A., the "Georgia Election Code."

10 **SECTION 2.**

11 Nothing in this Act shall affect the term of office of the coroner of Clay County in office on  
12 January 1, 2015. The sitting coroner shall serve out the term of office for which he or she  
13 was elected and shall be eligible to succeed himself or herself as provided in this Act.

14 **SECTION 3.**

15 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.