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House Bill 1449 (AS PASSED HOUSE AND SENATE)

By: Representatives Collins of the 71st, Smith of the 18th, Huddleston of the 72nd, Smith of the 70th, and New of the 64th

A BILL TO BE ENTITLED AN ACT

- 1 To amend an Act to provide a new charter for the City of Villa Rica, approved May 8, 2018
- 2 (Ga. L. 2018, p. 3869), so as to revise provisions regarding ineligibility of former elected
- 3 officials to hold offices or employment or transact certain business with the city within a year
- 4 of leaving office; to provide for related matters; to repeal conflicting laws; and for other
- 5 purposes.

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BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF GEORGIA:

7 SECTION 1.

- 8 An Act to provide a new charter for the City of Villa Rica, approved May 8, 2018
- 9 (Ga. L. 2018, p. 3869), is amended by revising Section 5 of Appendix A as follows:
- 10 "SECTION 5.
- 11 Ineligibility of elected officials.
- 12 (a) Except where authorized by law, neither the mayor nor any councilmember shall hold
- any other elective or appointive office in the city or otherwise be employed by said
- 14 government or any agency thereof during the term for which he or she was elected.

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- 15 (b) No former mayor and no former councilmember shall:
- 16 (1) Hold any compensated appointive office in the city;
- 17 (2) Otherwise be employed by the city or any agency thereof; or
- 18 (3) Engage in any business or have a financial or other personal interest, direct or
- indirect with the city or any agency thereof
- until one year after the expiration of the term for which he or she was elected."
- 21 SECTION 2.
- 22 All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this Act are repealed.