



Senate Press Office

RELEASE

For Immediate Release:
January 12, 2011

RELEASE

For Information Contact:
Natalie Strong, Director
Matt Colvin, Broadcast Director
Matthew.colvin@senate.ga.gov
404.656.0028

Thompson named Chairman of Senate Special Judiciary Committee

ATLANTA (January 12, 2011) – State Sen. Curt Thompson (D-Norcross) has been named Chairman of the Senate Special Judiciary Committee for the 2011-2012 Term by the Senate Committee on Assignments. Thompson will also serve on the Senate Appropriations, Economic Development, and Higher Education Committees.

“I am very grateful for the opportunity to help lead the Senate on important legal matters vital to Georgia’s future on this committee,” said Thompson. “I look forward to doing all I can to ensure our state is moving in the right direction this legislative session and creating the jobs and economic development we desperately need right now.”

The 152nd Legislative Session of the Georgia General Assembly convened Monday at the State Capitol.

####

Sen. Curt Thompson represents the 5th Senate District which includes portions of DeKalb and Gwinnett counties. He serves as Chairman of the Senate Special Judiciary Committee. He may be reached by phone at 404.463.1318 or by e-mail at curt.thompson@senate.ga.gov.