

GBI MethForce

Governor's 2006 Legislative Agenda



Talking Points

- ✓ Provide \$1,018,090 to fund a 15 agent Meth Force in GBI. This money will fund new agents for a Meth Force and backfill of experienced agents who will be assigned to the Meth Force.
- ✓ Enables the GBI to provide additional assistance to local law enforcement and the DEA in the areas of highest need for methamphetamine investigative work.

Georgia has experienced an unprecedented surge in the manufacturing, distribution, and use of the unpredictable and highly addictive drug methamphetamine.

Frequently Asked Questions

What will these agents do?

The agents will be assigned to respond to meth labs, to investigations targeting meth drug trafficking organizations, as undercover agents conducting investigations of meth dealers, and to investigations of meth-related crimes or crimes committed in support of meth financing and operations.

How will this help the locals?

Local law enforcement is overrun with street level meth dealers and must devote more resources toward enforcement. Additional resources will provide undercover operatives for street level enforcement, another level of investigative support to address large scale drug trafficking organizations, and provide personnel to safely respond to clandestine meth labs.

