

## Session 125 - (2023-2024)

**S 0423 General Bill, By Davis, Hutto, Grooms, Kimpson, Malloy, McLeod, Verdin, Fanning, Goldfinch, Gustafson, Shealy and Tedder**

***Similar (H 3226, H 3486)***

**Summary:** Compassionate Care Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS SO AS TO ENACT THE "SOUTH CAROLINA COMPASSIONATE CARE ACT"; BY AMENDING CHAPTER 53, TITLE 44 OF THE S.C. CODE, RELATING TO POISONS, DRUGS, AND OTHER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, BY ADDING ARTICLE 20 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF MEDICAL CANNABIS PRODUCTS AND THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A SALE CAN OCCUR; BY ADDING SECTION 56-5-3910 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR A DRIVER OF A MOTOR VEHICLE TO VAPORIZE CANNABIS PRODUCTS AS DEFINED IN SECTION 44-53-2010 WHILE OPERATING THE MOTOR VEHICLE AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES; BY REPEALING ARTICLE 4, CHAPTER 53, TITLE 44 RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES THERAPEUTIC RESEARCH; AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

01/19/23	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 5)
01/19/23	Senate	Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 5)
02/10/23		Scrivener's error corrected
02/21/23	Senate	Polled out of committee Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 17)
02/21/23	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 17)
02/27/23		Scrivener's error corrected
02/01/24	Senate	Motion For Special Order Failed (Senate Journal-page 21)
02/01/24	Senate	Roll call Ayes-25 Nays-16 (Senate Journal-page 21)
02/06/24	Senate	Special order, set for February 6, 2024 (Senate Journal-page 14)
02/06/24	Senate	Roll call Ayes-26 Nays-13 (Senate Journal-page 14)
02/07/24		Scrivener's error corrected
02/07/24	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 25)
02/07/24	Senate	Debate interrupted (Senate Journal-page 25)
02/08/24		Scrivener's error corrected
02/08/24	Senate	Debate interrupted (Senate Journal-page 6)
02/12/24		Scrivener's error corrected
02/13/24	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 18)
02/13/24	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 18)
02/13/24	Senate	Roll call Ayes-26 Nays-17 (Senate Journal-page 18)
02/14/24	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 31)
02/14/24	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 31)
02/14/24	Senate	Roll call Ayes-24 Nays-19 (Senate Journal-page 31)
02/15/24		Scrivener's error corrected
02/20/24		Scrivener's error corrected
02/27/24	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 29)
02/27/24	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 29)