

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

### H 3308 General Bill, By Beach, Magnuson and Edgerton

**Summary:** Defend the Guard Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ENACTING THE "DEFEND THE GUARD ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 25-1-1930 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE SOUTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD MAY NOT BE RELEASED FROM THE STATE INTO ACTIVE-DUTY COMBAT UNLESS THE UNITED STATES CONGRESS HAS TAKEN CERTAIN ACTIONS.

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**12/05/24 House Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs**

**01/14/25 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 161)**

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**02/12/25 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Edgerton**