

Session 126 - (2025-2026)

H 4511 General Bill, By Wetmore

Summary: Probate, notice to creditors

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 15-9-720, RELATING TO SERVICE ON UNKNOWN PARTIES BY PUBLICATION FOR CERTAIN REAL PROPERTY ACTIONS, SO AS TO ALLOW SERVICE BY PUBLICATION TO BE PUBLISHED IN EITHER THE PRINT OR ONLINE VERSION OF A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 62-3-801, RELATING TO NOTICE TO CREDITORS, SO AS TO ALLOW PUBLICATION ONLINE ON A CENTRALIZED WEBSITE FOR THE SOUTH CAROLINA PROBATE COURT OR IN A NEWSPAPER OF GENERAL CIRCULATION IN THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY.

05/06/25 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 227)

05/06/25 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 227)

02/05/26 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 6)

02/10/26 House Amended (House Journal-page 26)

02/10/26 House Read second time (House Journal-page 26)

02/10/26 House Roll call Yeas-114 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 28)

02/11/26 House Read third time and sent to Senate