

## Session 125 - (2023-2024)

**H 5022 General Bill, By Erickson, Bernstein, West, Haddon, Elliott, Hager, M.M. Smith, McGinnis, Caskey, Trantham, Crawford, Calhoon, Guest, Collins, B.J. Cox, Davis, Hartnett, Brittain, Gagnon, Hayes, Herbkersman, Felder, B. Newton, Bauer, Ott, G.M. Smith, Carter and Rose**

***Similar (S 0148, H 4982)***

**Summary:** Free School Meals

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING SECTION 59-63-810 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ELIGIBLE SCHOOLS THAT PARTICIPATE IN THE SCHOOL BREAKFAST PROGRAM SHALL PROVIDE BREAKFAST AND LUNCH WITHOUT CHARGE TO ALL STUDENTS AND TO PROVIDE GUIDELINES; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 59-10-350, RELATING TO THE LENGTH OF LUNCH PERIODS, SO AS TO REQUIRE SCHOOLS TO PROVIDE THIRTY MINUTE LUNCH PERIODS TO ALL STUDENTS.

<b>02/01/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 13)</b>
<b>02/01/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Ways and Means (House Journal-page 13)</b>
<b>02/06/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Felder</b>
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<b>03/27/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Carter, Rose</b>