

Session 106 - (1985-1986)

S 0895 General Bill, By Leatherman, Courson, W.W. Doar, Drummond and W.R. Lee

Similar (H 3359)

A Bill to amend the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Sections 15-33-130 through 15-33-170, 15-51-15, 19-1-170, and 15-1-300 so as to define licensed health care providers, provide a statute of limitations in malpractice actions, provide that the granting of a new trial against a health care provider must include the issues of liability and damages, allow evidence of any cost or expenses a plaintiff may have received from insurance, except life insurance, or from sources other than the defendant, limit noneconomic damages for injury to or death of a person to one hundred thousand dollars and to disallow punitive damages, to provide that an advance payment by or on behalf of a health care provider for any cost incurred by the plaintiff is not admissible until liability is established and to reduce a judgment in favor of the plaintiff by the amount of insurance received by the plaintiff, and to limit attorney fees.

01/23/86	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-232
01/23/86	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-232
03/25/86	Senate	Committee report: Majority favorable with amend., minority unfavorable Judiciary SJ-1163
03/26/86	Senate	Special order SJ-1316
04/30/86	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-2384
05/01/86	Senate	Deb. adjourned until Wed., May 7 at 12:00 SJ-2432
05/07/86	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-2501
05/08/86	Senate	Amended SJ-2510
05/08/86	Senate	Read second time SJ-2510
05/08/86	Senate	Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-2510