

## Session 113 - (1999-2000)

### S\*1163 (Rat #0411, Act #0380 of 2000) General Bill, By McConnell

**Summary:** Insurance; public adjusters, licensing of; Medical, Health Carrier External Review Act, contracts to provide subrogation

A BILL TO AMEND TITLE 38, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING CHAPTER 48 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE LICENSING OF A PUBLIC INSURANCE ADJUSTER BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF INSURANCE; TO AMEND SECTION 38-33-50, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE POWERS OF HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION MAY INCLUDE A PROVISION FOR SUBROGATION IN A CONTRACT ISSUED AFTER JANUARY 1, 1988 TO THE ENROLLEE'S RIGHT OF RECOVERY AGAINST A THIRD PARTY FOR NOT MORE THAN THE AMOUNT OF INSURANCE BENEFITS THAT THE HEALTH MAINTENANCE ORGANIZATION HAS PAID PREVIOUSLY IN RELATION TO THE ENROLLEE'S INJURY BY THE LIABLE THIRD PARTY; TO AMEND CHAPTER 71 OF TITLE 38, RELATING TO ACCIDENT AND HEALTH INSURANCE, BY ADDING ARTICLE 19 SO AS TO ENACT THE "HEALTH CARRIER EXTERNAL REVIEW ACT" BY PROVIDING STANDARDS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT AND MAINTENANCE OF EXTERNAL REVIEW PROCEDURES TO ASSURE THAT COVERED PERSONS HAVE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR AN INDEPENDENT REVIEW OF ADVERSE AND FINAL ADVERSE DETERMINATIONS.-AMENDED TITLE

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| 02/17/00 | Senate | Introduced and read first time SJ-16  |
| 02/17/00 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Banking and Insurance SJ-16  |
| 03/23/00 | Senate | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Banking and Insurance SJ-9                                   |
| 04/19/00 | Senate | Amended SJ-27   |
| 04/19/00 | Senate | Read second time SJ-27  |
| 04/19/00 | Senate | Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-27  |
| 04/20/00 | Senate | Amended SJ-24   |
| 04/20/00 | Senate | Read third time and sent to House SJ-24   |
| 04/25/00 | House  | Introduced and read first time HJ-12  |
| 04/25/00 | House  | Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry HJ-12   |
| 05/24/00 | House  | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Labor, Commerce and Industry HJ-103                          |
| 05/30/00 | House  | Amended HJ-27   |
| 05/30/00 | House  | Read second time HJ-31  |
| 05/31/00 | House  | Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments HJ-9   |
| 05/31/00 | Senate | House amendment amended SJ-106  |
| 05/31/00 | Senate | Returned to House with amendments SJ-106  |
| 06/01/00 | House  | Non-concurrence in Senate amendment HJ-30   |
| 06/01/00 | Senate | Senate insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Sens. Saleeby, McConnell, Reese SJ-101 |
| 06/01/00 | House  | Conference committee appointed Reps. Cato, Tripp and Hawkins HJ-62                                      |
| 06/01/00 | Senate | Conference report received and adopted SJ-102   |
| 06/01/00 | House  | Conference report received and adopted HJ-84  |
| 06/01/00 | House  | Ordered enrolled for ratification HJ-113  |
| 06/08/00 |        | Ratified R 411  |
| 06/14/00 |        | Signed By Governor  |
| 07/07/00 |        | Effective date Ninety days after approval by Governor- See act for exceptions                           |
| 07/07/00 |        | Copies available  |
| 07/07/00 |        | Act No. 380   |