

## Session 118 - (2009-2010)

### **S 0156 General Bill, By Campsen, Rose, Elliott, Davis, Bright, Ford, Knotts and S. Martin**

#### **Summary:** Judicial Elections Reform Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE 1976 CODE TO ENACT THE "JUDICIAL ELECTIONS REFORM ACT" BY AMENDING SECTION 2-19-70, RELATING TO PLEDGING, TO PROHIBIT A PERSON OR JUDICIAL CANDIDATE FROM DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY SEEKING THE PLEDGE OF A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY REGARDING SCREENING FOR ANY JUDICIAL OFFICE UNTIL THE QUALIFICATIONS OF ALL THE CANDIDATES HAVE BEEN DETERMINED BY THE JUDICIAL MERIT SELECTION COMMISSION AND THE COMMISSION HAS FORMALLY RELEASED ITS REPORT.

<b>12/10/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Prefiled</b>
<b>12/10/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary</b>
<b>01/13/09</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-145</b>
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<b>01/28/09</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Judiciary SJ-15</b>
<b>01/29/09</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>