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S 0197 General Bill, By Alexander and J.V. Smith

A BILL TO AMEND SECTIONS 41-7-30, 41-7-40, 41-7-80, AND 41-7-90, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO LABOR AND EMPLOYMENT AND THE SOUTH CAROLINA RIGHT-TO-WORK LAW, AND TO AMEND THE 1976 CODE BY ADDING SECTIONS 41-7-75 AND 41-7-85 SO AS TO, AMONG OTHER THINGS, CREATE ADDITIONAL CRIMINAL OFFENSES, GRANT CERTAIN POWERS TO THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION OR HIS DESIGNEE TO INSURE COMPLIANCE WITH THE RIGHT-TO-WORK LAW, CHANGE THE PENALTIES FOR CRIMINAL VIOLATIONS OF THE RIGHT-TO-WORK LAW, PROVIDE FOR CIVIL PENALTIES AND FOR THE PROMULGATION OF REGULATIONS ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURE FOR ADMINISTRATIVE REVIEW OF THE ASSESSMENT OF A CIVIL PENALTY, AND ALLOW AN EMPLOYEE, OR PROSPECTIVE EMPLOYEE, TO RECOVER BOTH ACTUAL AND PUNITIVE DAMAGES RESULTING FROM CERTAIN ACTIVITY.

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