

## Session 119 - (2011-2012)

**H\*3287 (Rat #0041, Act #0021 of 2011) General Bill, By Hardwick and Hodges**

**Summary:** Watercraft

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 50-21-190, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ABANDONMENT OF WATERCRAFT AND OUTBOARD MOTORS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT AN ABANDONED WATERCRAFT AS IDENTIFIED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES MAY BE REMOVED AT THE RISK AND EXPENSE OF THE OWNER AND DISPOSED OF BY ANY GOVERNMENT AGENCY THAT HAS JURISDICTION OVER THE AREA WHERE THE ABANDONED WATERCRAFT IS LOCATED, TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT MUST CONDUCT AN INVESTIGATION OF A WATERCRAFT SUBJECT TO THIS PROVISION TO DETERMINE ITS STATUS AND ATTEMPT TO NOTIFY THE LAST KNOWN OWNER OF THE WATERCRAFT THAT IT HAS BEEN ABANDONED, AND TO PROVIDE THAT A WATERCRAFT ABANDONED FOR AT LEAST NINETY DAYS MAY BE CLAIMED BY ANY PERSON OR ENTITY AS ABANDONED PROPERTY. - ratified title

<b>01/12/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 19)</b>
<b>01/12/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 19)</b>
<b>02/03/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hodges</b>
<b>02/09/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 6)</b>
<b>02/10/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Amended (House Journal-page 24)</b>
<b>02/10/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time (House Journal-page 24)</b>
<b>02/10/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day (House Journal-page 25)</b>
<b>02/11/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 1)</b>
<b>02/15/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 8)</b>
<b>02/15/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Fish, Game and Forestry (Senate Journal-page 8)</b>
<b>03/17/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Fish, Game and Forestry (Senate Journal-page 10)</b>
<b>03/24/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 31)</b>
<b>03/30/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Second Reading Failed (Senate Journal-page 38)</b>
<b>03/30/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-3 Nays-31 (Senate Journal-page 38)</b>
<b>03/31/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Reconsider Vote Whereby Second Reading Failed (Senate Journal-page 22)</b>
<b>04/14/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended (Senate Journal-page 35)</b>
<b>04/27/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>04/27/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-33 Nays-3 (Senate Journal-page 27)</b>
<b>04/28/11</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 15)</b>
<b>05/04/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 39)</b>
<b>05/04/11</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-95 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 39)</b>
<b>05/05/11</b>		<b>Ratified R 41</b>
<b>05/09/11</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>05/13/11</b>		<b>Effective date 05/09/11</b>
<b>05/17/11</b>		<b>Act No. 21</b>