

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**H 4049 General Bill, By Chumley, Burns, Williams, Yow, Henegan, Mitchell, Toole, Brannon, Jefferson, Robinson-Simpson, Duckworth, Hardee, Hiott, Hardwick, Ott, H.A. Crawford, Gambrell, Hill, Willis, Parks, Neal, Allison, Bedingfield, Delleney, Dillard, Forrester, Gagnon, Long, D.C. Moss, Pitts, Pope, Riley, Loftis and Hicks**  
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**Summary:** Academic freedom

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 59-1-444 SO AS TO PROMOTE ACADEMIC FREEDOM FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS BY PROVIDING PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS MAY CONDUCT OR PARTICIPATE IN ANY STUDENT-LED PRAYER, STUDENT-ORGANIZED PRAYER GROUPS, RELIGIOUS CLUBS, AND OTHER SIMILAR ACTIVITIES.

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**04/28/15 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Loftis**

**05/07/15 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hicks**