

## Session 111 - (1995-1996)

**H\*4431 (Rat #0516, Act #0429 of 1996) General Bill, By Townsend, H. Brown, Cooper, P.B. Harris, T.E. Huff and Stille**  
**Similar (S 1059)**

A Bill to amend Section 59-20-40, as amended, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to the determination of allocations to school districts under the Education Finance Act and weightings to establish cost differences between programs, so as to add a weighting for pupils with Autism under the handicapped classification; to amend Section 59-21-510, relating to definitions in regard to the education of physically and mentally handicapped children, so as to define "pupils with autism"; to provide that the Department of Education shall convene a task force to review programs to serve students with autism and to recommend an appropriate weight for the Education Finance Act; and to add Section 59-65-47 so as to further provide for the manner in which and conditions under which parents or guardians may teach their children at home.-amended title

<b>01/11/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time HJ-4</b>
<b>01/11/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works HJ-4</b>
<b>04/18/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Education and Public Works HJ-1</b>
<b>04/23/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time HJ-64</b>
<b>04/24/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-15</b>
<b>04/24/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-42</b>
<b>04/24/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Education SJ-42</b>
<b>05/16/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Education SJ-20</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended SJ-26</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-27</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day SJ-27</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Second reading and unanimous consent for third reading reconsidered SJ-45</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended SJ-45</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-45</b>
<b>05/21/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day SJ-47</b>
<b>05/22/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and returned to House with amendments SJ-16</b>
<b>05/23/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Non-concurrence in Senate amendment HJ-83</b>
<b>05/29/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Senate insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Sens. Short, Gregory, Fair SJ-8</b>
<b>05/29/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Conference committee appointed Littlejohn, Allison &amp; Townsend HJ-121</b>
<b>05/30/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Conference report received and adopted HJ-52</b>
<b>05/30/96</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Conference report received and adopted SJ-40</b>
<b>05/30/96</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Ordered enrolled for ratification HJ-147</b>
<b>06/13/96</b>		<b>Ratified R 516</b>
<b>06/20/96</b>		<b>Became law without Governor's signature</b>
<b>06/20/96</b>		<b>Effective date 06/20/96</b>
<b>07/03/96</b>		<b>Copies available</b>
<b>07/03/96</b>		<b>Act No. 429</b>