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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 50‑5‑15 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF PUBLIC FISHING PIERS, TO INCLUDE ANY PIER EXTENDING INTO THE ATLANTIC OCEAN FROM WHICH OWNERS OF THE PIER AND THEIR GUEST ARE ALLOWED TO FISH.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 50‑5‑15(40) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(40) ‘Public fishing pier’ means piers open to the public which charge a fee to fish or any pier extending into the Atlantic Ocean from which owners of the pier and their guest are allowed to fish.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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