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(A141, R159, H4295)

**AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 7‑7‑300, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF VOTING PRECINCTS IN HAMPTON COUNTY, SO AS TO DELETE POLLING PLACE LOCATIONS IN THE VOTING PRECINCTS OF HAMPTON COUNTY, TO DESIGNATE A MAP NUMBER FOR THE MAP ON WHICH LINES OF THESE PRECINCTS ARE DELINEATED AND MAINTAINED BY THE DIVISION OF RESEARCH AND STATISTICS OF THE STATE BUDGET AND CONTROL BOARD, AND TO AUTHORIZE THE HAMPTON COUNTY BOARD OF ELECTIONS AND VOTER REGISTRATION, WITH THE APPROVAL OF A MAJORITY OF THE HAMPTON COUNTY LEGISLATIVE DELEGATION, TO DETERMINE THE POLLING PLACES FOR THE PRECINCTS IN HAMPTON COUNTY.**

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

**Designation of Hampton County voting precincts**

SECTION 1. Section 7‑7‑300 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 191 of 2004, is further amended to read:

 “Section 7‑7‑300. (A) In Hampton County there are the following voting precincts:

Black Creek

Bonnett

Brunson

Crocketville‑Miley

Cummings

Early Branch

Estill

Furman

Garnett

Gifford

Hampton No. 1

Hampton No. 2

Hopewell

Horse Gall

Rivers Mill

Scotia

Varnville

Yemassee.

 (B) The precinct lines defining the precincts provided in subsection (A) are as shown on the map prepared by and on file with the Division of Research and Statistics of the State Budget and Control Board designated as document P‑49‑12 and as shown on copies provided to the Hampton County Board of Elections and Voter Registration.

 (C) The polling places for the precincts provided in this section must be established by the Hampton County Board of Elections and Voter Registration subject to the approval of a majority of the Hampton County Legislative Delegation.”

**Time effective**

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

Ratified the 29th day of March, 2012.

Approved the 2nd day of April, 2012.

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