**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 24‑3‑980 SO AS TO PROVIDE RESTRICTIONS ON THE PLACEMENT, RELEASE, AND RIGHTS OF AN INMATE WHO IS MOVED FROM A FEDERAL GOVERNMENT FACILITY LOCATED IN GUANTANAMO BAY CUBA AND PLACED IN A FACILITY LOCATED IN THIS STATE.

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

SECTION 1. Article 9, Chapter 3, Title 24 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 24‑3‑980. Notwithstanding another provision of law, an inmate who is moved from the federal government’s installation located in Guantanamo Bay Cuba and placed in a facility located in this State must not be kept in a facility located within two thousand feet of a school, daycare facility, hospital, church, or residential neighborhood.”

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

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