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**TO: ALL AGRICULTURE, NATURAL RESOURCES & ENVIRONMENTAL
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FROM: THE HONORABLE WILLIAM M. HIXON, CHAIRMAN

DATE: January 25, 2023

There will be a meeting of the Agriculture committee on Wednesday, January 25, 2023, immediately upon adjournment in Room 410 of the Blatt Building.

H. 3269. Rep. W. Newton

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY REPEALING SECTION 50-3-140 RELATING TO THE PUBLICATION OF DESCRIPTIONS OF UNIFORMS AND EMBLEMS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES.

Wildlife: Favorable

H. 3433. Reps. Hixon and W. Newton

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 50-5-2510 RELATING TO THE SUSPENSION OF SALTWATER PRIVILEGES FOR THE ACCUMULATION OF POINTS, SO AS TO CHANGE THE METHOD FOR THE NOTICE OF SUSPENSION; BY AMENDING SECTION 50-5-2515, RELATING TO THE NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF SALTWATER PRIVILEGES, SO AS TO MAKE A CONFORMING CHANGE; BY AMENDING SECTION 50-9-1140, RELATING TO THE SUSPENSION OF HUNTING AND FISHING PRIVILEGES, SO AS TO CHANGE THE METHOD FOR THE NOTICE OF SUSPENSION; BY AMENDING SECTION 50-9-1150,

RELATING TO THE NOTICE OF SUSPENSION OF HUNTING AND FISHING PRIVILEGES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON OR ENTITY MAY APPEAL THE DECISION UNDER THE ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES ACT; AND BY REPEALING SECTION 50-5-2545 RELATING TO POINTS FOR VIOLATIONS OF MARINE RESOURCES LAWS RECEIVED PRIOR TO THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THE MARINE RESOURCES ACT OF 2000; AND BY REPEALING SECTION 50-9-1160 RELATING TO JUDICIAL REVIEW OF A SUSPENSION OF HUNTING AND FISHING PRIVILEGES.

Wildlife: Favorable

H. 3505. Rep. J.E. Johnson

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 50-13-640, RELATING TO THE POSSESSION OF BLUE CATFISH, SO AS TO LIMIT THE APPLICABLE WATERWAYS.

Wildlife: Favorable

H. 3538. Reps. Hixon, Nutt and Haddon

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 50-11-546, RELATING TO ELECTRONIC HARVEST REPORTING, SO AS TO INCLUDE REFERENCES TO BIG GAME SPECIES; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 50-9-1120, RELATING TO THE POINT SYSTEM FOR VIOLATIONS, SO AS TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES.

Wildlife: Favorable

H. 3312. Reps. Haddon, Hixon, Forrest, Trantham and Chumley

A JOINT RESOLUTION TO CREATE THE “CHILD FOOD AND NUTRITION SERVICES STUDY COMMITTEE” TO DEVELOP RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TRANSFERRING ADMINISTRATION OF CERTAIN FEDERAL CHILD FOOD AND NUTRITION PROGRAMS IN THIS STATE TO THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, TO PROVIDE FOR THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE STUDY COMMITTEE, TO REQUIRE THE STUDY COMMITTEE PREPARE A REPORT WITH FINDINGS AND RECOMMENDATIONS FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE DISSOLUTION OF THE STUDY COMMITTEE.

H. 3431. Reps. Haddon, Hixon, Forrest, Trantham, Burns, Magnuson, Chumley, Pace, Kilmartin and Harris

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1895, BY ADDING SECTION 26 TO ARTICLE I SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ALL INDIVIDUAL CITIZENS IN THIS STATE HAVE THE UNALIENABLE RIGHT TO GROW, RAISE, HARVEST, PRODUCE, AND CONSUME FOOD OF THEIR OWN CHOOSING.

H. 3432. Reps. Haddon, Hixon, Forrest, Trantham, Burns, Magnuson, Chumley, Pace and Harris.

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING CHAPTER 57 TO TITLE 46 BY ENACTING THE “SOUTH CAROLINA RIGHT TO GROW ACT”, TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS, TO DEFINE THE APPLICABILITY OF A PUBLIC OR PRIVATE NUISANCE CLAIM AGAINST A FARM, FARM OPERATION, OR AGRICULTURAL COMPOSTING OPERATION, TO ESTABLISH THE RIGHTS AND OBLIGATIONS OF MUNICIPALITIES IN GOVERNING A FARM, FARM OPERATION, OR AGRICULTURAL COMPOSTING OPERATION, TO ENABLE THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE TO ESTABLISH BEST PRACTICES AND HANDLE COMPLAINTS AGAINST A FARM, FARM OPERATION, OR AGRICULTURAL COMPOSTING OPERATION, TO ESTABLISH THE AGRICULTURAL COMPLAINT RESPONSE FUND, THE SOUTH CAROLINA FARM AGRICULTURAL RESOURCE MANAGEMENT AND SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAM, AND THE SOUTH CAROLINA WORKING FARMLAND ACCESS AND PROTECTION PROGRAM.

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