

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

### S 0808 General Bill, By Rankin, Alexander and Zell

#### *Similar (H 5058)*

**Summary:** Interference with workers providing critical services

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 16-7-10, RELATING TO ILLEGAL ACTS DURING STATE OF EMERGENCY, SO AS TO INCLUDE THAT HARASSING OR THREATENING A WORKER RESTORING CRITICAL SERVICES IS A MISDEMEANOR, AND THAT ASSAULTING OR ENDANGERING A WORKER RESTORING OR DESTROYING OR TAMPERING WITH AN ELECTRIC UTILITY SYSTEM IS A FELONY, AND TO DEFINE CRITICAL SERVICES.

01/14/26	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 12)
01/14/26	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 12)
03/11/26	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 8)
03/17/26	Senate	Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 23)
03/17/26	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 23)
03/17/26	Senate	Roll call Ayes-27 Nays-10 (Senate Journal-page 23)
03/25/26	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 18)
03/25/26	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 18)
03/25/26	Senate	Roll call Ayes-37 Nays-6 (Senate Journal-page 18)
03/26/26	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 24)
03/26/26	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 24)