

Session 115 - (2003-2004)

H*3163 (Rat #0045, Act #0019 of 2003) General Bill, By Delleney and Simrill

Summary: Judge or court official prohibited from appointing attorney in civil action case, provisions

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 14-1-235 SO AS TO PROHIBIT A JUDGE, COURT, OR COURT OFFICIAL FROM APPOINTING AN ATTORNEY TO REPRESENT A PARTY IN A CIVIL ACTION UNLESS THE AUTHORITY TO MAKE THE APPOINTMENT IS PROVIDED SPECIFICALLY BY STATUTE; AND TO AUTHORIZE THE COMMISSION ON INDIGENT DEFENSE TO TRANSFER UNSPENT FUNDS FROM THE PREVIOUS FISCAL YEAR TO THE OFFICE OF APPELLATE DEFENSE TO HELP THE OFFICE OFFSET BUDGET REDUCTIONS. - ratified title

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| 12/04/02 | House | Prefiled |
| 12/04/02 | House | Referred to Committee on Judiciary |
| 01/14/03 | House | Introduced and read first time HJ-67 |
| 01/14/03 | House | Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-67 |
| 02/12/03 | House | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary HJ-3 |
| 02/13/03 | House | Amended HJ-20 |
| 02/13/03 | House | Read second time HJ-20 |
| 02/13/03 | House | Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day HJ-20 |
| 02/14/03 | House | Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-3 |
| 02/18/03 | Senate | Introduced and read first time SJ-7 |
| 02/18/03 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-7 |
| 03/12/03 | Senate | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-13 |
| 03/13/03 | Senate | Amended SJ-22 |
| 03/13/03 | Senate | Read second time SJ-22 |
| 03/18/03 | Senate | Read third time and returned to House with amendments SJ-12 |
| 03/18/03 | Senate | Reconsidered SJ-12 |
| 03/26/03 | Senate | Amended SJ-45 |
| 03/26/03 | Senate | Read third time and returned to House with amendments SJ-45 |
| 03/27/03 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 04/01/03 | House | Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled HJ-33 |
| 04/16/03 | | Ratified R 45 |
| 04/23/03 | | Became law without Governor's signature |
| 05/01/03 | | Copies available |
| 05/01/03 | | Effective date 04/23/03 |
| 05/12/03 | | Act No. 19 |