

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

**H 3535 General Bill, By Wooten, Pope, Hixon, Robbins, Bailey, Lawson, Chapman, Pedalino, Forrest, Calhoon, Martin, Haddon, Moss, Hayes, Sanders, Yow, C. Mitchell, Kilmartin, Hardee, M.M. Smith, Taylor and Teeple**

**Similar (S 0175, H 4763)**

**Summary:** Helping Alleviate Lawful Obstruction (HALO) Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ENACTING THE "HELPING ALLEVIATE LAWFUL OBSTRUCTION (HALO) ACT"; AND BY ADDING SECTION 16-3-1092 SO AS TO CREATE THE OFFENSE OF IMPEDING, INTERFERING, THREATENING, OR HARASSING A FIRST RESPONDER ENGAGED IN THE LAWFUL PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTIES, AND TO PROVIDE A PENALTY.

<b>12/05/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Prefiled</b>
<b>12/05/24</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary</b>
<b>01/14/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time</b>
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<b>02/12/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Calhoon</b>
<b>02/13/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Martin</b>
<b>02/20/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Haddon, Moss</b>
<b>02/25/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hayes</b>
<b>03/26/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Sanders</b>
<b>04/09/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Yow, C.Mitchell</b>
<b>04/10/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Kilmartin, Hardee</b>
<b>04/22/25</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: M.M.Smith</b>
<b>01/13/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Taylor</b>
<b>01/20/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Teeple</b>