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H*4163 (Rat #0190, Act #0187 of 2026) General Bill, By Erickson, Bowers, Bradley, Crawford, Davis, Pedalino, Hartnett, Neese, M.M. Smith, Oremus, Lawson, Vaughan, Herbkersman, B.J. Cox, Collins, B.L. Cox, Forrest, Brewer, Burns, Gatch, Haddon, Hager, Hixon, Murphy, Taylor, Whitmire, Teeple, Guest, Alexander and Robbins

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ENACTING THE "SOUTH CAROLINA HIGH SCHOOL LEAGUE OVERSIGHT AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT" BY ADDING CHAPTER 9 TO TITLE 59 SO AS TO ESTABLISH REQUIREMENTS FOR INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATIONS, ORGANIZATIONS, OR ENTITIES AS A CONDITION FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS, CHARTER SCHOOLS, AND CHARTER SCHOOL AUTHORIZERS TO JOIN, AFFILIATE WITH, PAY DUES OR FEES TO, OR OTHERWISE PROVIDE FINANCIAL SUPPORT TO SUCH ASSOCIATIONS, ORGANIZATIONS, OR ENTITIES; BY AMENDING SECTION 2-2-10, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS CONCERNING LEGISLATIVE OVERSIGHT OF EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS, SO AS TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF "AGENCY" TO INCLUDE OTHER ENTITIES AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 2-15-50, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS CONCERNING THE LEGISLATIVE AUDIT COUNCIL, SO AS TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF "STATE AGENCIES" TO INCLUDE ANY INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, BODY, OR ENTITY AS PRESCRIBED BY LAW. - RATIFIED TITLE

03/06/25	**House**	**Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 8)**
03/06/25	**House**	**Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 8)**
03/11/25	**House**	**Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Teeple, Guest**
03/11/25	**House**	**Member(s) request name removed as sponsor: C.Mitchell, B.Newton**
03/27/25	**House**	**Member(s) request name removed as sponsor: McGinnis, Willis**
04/10/25	**House**	**Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Robbins**
04/22/25	**House**	**Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Alexander**
02/18/26	**House**	**Committee report: Favorable with amendment Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 43)**
02/19/26		**Scrivener's error corrected**
02/24/26	**House**	**Debate adjourned until Tues., 3-3-26 (House Journal-page 22)**
03/03/26	**House**	**Amended (House Journal-page 18)**
03/03/26	**House**	**Read second time (House Journal-page 18)**
03/03/26	**House**	**Roll call Yeas-112 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 18)**
03/04/26		**Scrivener's error corrected**
03/04/26	**House**	**Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 16)**
03/04/26	**Senate**	**Introduced (Senate Journal-page 26)**
03/04/26	**Senate**	**Referred to Committee on Education (Senate Journal-page 26)**
04/21/26	**Senate**	**Committee report: Favorable with amendment Education (Senate Journal-page 10)**
05/05/26	**Senate**	**Special order, set for May 5, 2026**
05/06/26	**Senate**	**Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 123)**
05/06/26	**Senate**	**Read second time (Senate Journal-page 123)**
05/06/26	**Senate**	**Roll call Ayes-28 Nays-12 (Senate Journal-page 123)**
05/07/26		**Scrivener's error corrected**
05/07/26	**Senate**	**Amended (Senate Journal-page 80)**
05/07/26	**Senate**	**Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 80)**
05/07/26	**Senate**	**Roll call Ayes-24 Nays-17 (Senate Journal-page 80)**
05/07/26		**Scrivener's error corrected**
05/13/26	**House**	**Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 172)**
05/13/26	**House**	**Roll call Yeas-112 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 173)**
05/14/26		**Ratified R 190**
05/18/26		**Signed By Governor**
06/02/26		**Effective date 05/18/26**
06/02/26		**Act No. 187**