

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**H\*4413 (Rat #0261, Act #0228 of 2016) General Bill, By H.A. Crawford, Norrell, M.S. McLeod, Henegan, V.S. Moss, Hicks and King**

**Similar (H 3522)**

**Summary:** Posting notice that a location is a Safe Haven

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 63-7-40, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO LOCATIONS AT WHICH A PERSON MAY LEAVE AN INFANT UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES WITHOUT CRIMINAL PENALTY, SO AS TO REQUIRE SAFE HAVENS TO POST A NOTICE STATING THAT THE LOCATION IS A SAFE HAVEN, TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES TO PREPARE THE NOTICE FOR USE BY SAFE HAVENS, TO ALLOW THE PLACEMENT OF AN INFANT NOT MORE THAN SIXTY DAYS OLD AT A SAFE HAVEN, AND TO CHANGE THE DEFINITION OF "INFANT". - ratified title

<b>12/03/15</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Prefiled</b>
<b>12/03/15</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary</b>
<b>01/12/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 59)</b>
<b>01/12/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 59)</b>
<b>01/27/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hicks</b>
<b>02/25/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 3)</b>
<b>03/01/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: King</b>
<b>03/01/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Amended (House Journal-page 8)</b>
<b>03/01/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time (House Journal-page 8)</b>
<b>03/01/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-99 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 10)</b>
<b>03/02/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 17)</b>
<b>03/02/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 6)</b>
<b>03/02/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 6)</b>
<b>03/18/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Subcommittee: Shealy (ch), Bright, Sabb</b>
<b>05/11/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 15)</b>
<b>05/17/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 20)</b>
<b>05/17/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time (Senate Journal-page 20)</b>
<b>05/17/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 20)</b>
<b>05/18/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 43)</b>
<b>05/26/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 46)</b>
<b>05/26/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-91 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 47)</b>
<b>06/02/16</b>		<b>Ratified R 261</b>
<b>06/03/16</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>06/09/16</b>		<b>Effective date 06/03/16</b>
<b>06/09/16</b>		<b>Act No. 228</b>