

## Session 117 - (2007-2008)

**H 4592 General Bill, By Littlejohn, Cobb-Hunter, Leach, Mahaffey, M.A. Pitts, Scarborough, Umphlett, Cott and Neilson**

**Summary:** Cell phones

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 56-1-55 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL FOR A PERSON WHO HOLDS A BEGINNER'S PERMIT, CONDITIONAL DRIVER'S LICENSE, OR A SPECIAL RESTRICTED DRIVER'S LICENSE TO OPERATE A MOTOR VEHICLE WHILE USING A CELLULAR TELEPHONE OR ANOTHER WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS DEVICE, AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THIS PROVISION.

**01/29/08 House Introduced and read first time HJ-36**  
**01/29/08 House Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works HJ-36**  
**04/02/08 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Cott**  
**04/22/08 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Education and Public Works HJ-5**  
**04/24/08 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Neilson, Bedingfield**  
**04/24/08 House Requests for debate-Rep(s). Simrill, Kirsh, GR Smith, Mulvaney, Skelton, Williams, Umphlett, Ott, Whitmire, Hosey, Weeks, Weeks, JH Neal, Thompson, Alexander, Witherspoon, Bedingfield, Knight, and Cobb-Hunter HJ-66**  
**04/24/08 Scrivener's error corrected**  
**04/29/08 House Member(s) request name removed as sponsor: Bedingfield**  
**04/29/08 House Debate adjourned HJ-62**  
**04/30/08 House Recommitted to Committee on Education and Public Works HJ-69**