

Session 126 - (2025-2026)

H 4698 General Bill, By C. Mitchell, B.L. Cox, Gilliam, Yow, Pope, Govan, Wooten and Chapman

Summary: Veteran preference

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING SECTION 8-1-200 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR A VETERANS' PREFERENCE IN STATE AGENCY HIRING PRACTICES, TO REQUIRE THE CREATION OF A VETERANS' RECRUITMENT PLAN, AND TO PROVIDE REPORTING REQUIREMENTS.

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01/20/26 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Govan, Wooten, Chapman