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H 4739 General Bill, By M.A. Hyatt and Meacham

A Bill to amend the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 16-25-25 so as to create the crime of criminal domestic violence of a high and aggravated nature and to provide a penalty for violation; and to add Section 16-25-35 so as to provide that when a person who violates the provisions of Section 16-25-20 (criminal domestic violence) for a first or second offense, the court may suspend execution of all or part of the sentence and place the offender on probation conditioned upon the participation of the offender in a program designed to treat battering spouses or other appropriate psychiatric or therapeutic treatment or counseling.

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