

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

**H 5073 General Bill, By Pedalino, Erickson, Montgomery, McCravy, Pace, Bradley, D. Mitchell, Terribile, Robbins, T. Moore, Sessions, Neese, Brittain, Crawford, Lawson, Edgerton, Chumley, Brewer, Chapman, Vaughan, Guest, Guffey, Cox, W. Newton, McGinnis, B. Newton, McCabe, Rankin, Gagnon, Gibson, J.E. Johnson, Long, Moss, Schuessler, G.M. Smith, White, Oremus, Teeple, Lastinger, Burns, Hewitt, Haddon, Cromer, Gilreath, Hartnett and Ballentine**

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING SECTION 59-29-250 SO AS TO PROVIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR PUBLIC SCHOOL GRADING PRACTICES, TO CONDITION ELIGIBILITY FOR CREDIT RECOVERY AND CONTENT RECOVERY ON COMPLETION OF REQUIRED ASSIGNMENTS, TO LIMIT THE USE OF CERTAIN ASSESSMENTS IN CALCULATING FINAL COURSE GRADES, TO PROVIDE ENFORCEMENT THROUGH WITHHOLDING OF STATE AID TO CLASSROOM FUNDS, TO DIRECT THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO ESTABLISH A TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE AND RECOMMEND REVISIONS TO THE UNIFORM GRADING POLICY, AND TO REQUIRE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS TO ADOPT THE RECOMMENDED REVISIONS.

<b>01/29/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 36)</b>
<b>01/29/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 36)</b>
<b>02/10/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Oremus, Teeple</b>
<b>02/17/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Lastinger</b>
<b>02/19/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Burns</b>
<b>02/26/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 4)</b>
<b>03/03/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hewitt, Haddon, Cromer, Gilreath, Hartnett</b>
<b>03/03/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Amended (House Journal-page 38)</b>
<b>03/03/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Requests for debate-Rep(s). McDaniel, King, JL Johnson, Reese Gilliard, Waters, Rivers, Anderson, Dillard, and Jones (House Journal-page 38)</b>
<b>03/04/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Ballentine</b>
<b>03/04/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time (House Journal-page 73)</b>
<b>03/04/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-110 Nays-2 (House Journal-page 79)</b>
<b>03/05/26</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 13)</b>
<b>03/10/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 14)</b>
<b>03/10/26</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Education (Senate Journal-page 14)</b>