

Session 126 - (2025-2026)

H 5114 General Bill, By Rankin, Long, Burns, Magnuson, Kilmartin, Chumley, Edgerton, McCabe, Frank, Huff, White, Lawson and Willis

Summary: Human Personhood at Conception Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ENACTING THE "HUMAN PERSONHOOD AT CONCEPTION ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 16-3-8 SO AS TO CHANGE THE DEFINITION OF "PERSON" FOR PURPOSES OF HOMICIDE OFFENSES TO INCLUDE EVERY HUMAN BEING BEGINNING AT CONCEPTION, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; AND BY REPEALING CHAPTER 41, TITLE 44 RELATING TO ABORTION.

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04/15/26	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Willis