

Session 126 - (2025-2026)

H 5200 General Bill, By Martin and Guest

Summary: Child Custody

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ADDING SECTION 63-15-215 SO AS TO ESTABLISH THAT JOINT PHYSICAL CUSTODY IS PRESUMED TO BE IN THE BEST INTEREST OF A MINOR CHILD, WITH EXCEPTIONS; TO DEFINE "JOINT PHYSICAL CUSTODY"; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

02/18/26 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 47)

02/18/26 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 47)

02/19/26 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Guest