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S 0540 General Bill, By Cash, Kimbrell, Kennedy, Leber, Reichenbach, Zell, Chaplin, Fernandez, Goldfinch, Blackmon, Adams, Corbin, Verdin, Gambrell, Garrett, Grooms, Rice, Campsen, Stubbs and Climer

Summary: Definition of child abuse

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 63-7-20, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS, SO AS TO CLARIFY THAT RAISING A CHILD CONSISTENT WITH THE CHILD'S SEX DOES NOT CONSTITUTE CHILD ABUSE, NEGLECT, OR HARM.

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