

Session 110 - (1993-1994)

S 0068 General Bill, By Passailaigue and M.T. Rose

A Bill to amend Articles 1, 3, 5, and 7, Chapter 3, Title 57, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to the establishment of the South Carolina Department of Highways and Public Transportation, the election and composition of the State Highway and Public Transportation Commission, and the appointment of the Executive Director and other Department personnel so as to provide for the reorganization of the Department, by changing the name of the South Carolina Department of Highways and Public Transportation to the Department of Transportation, by providing for definitions, by providing for the creation of certain divisions within the Department and the appointment of division directors, by providing for the method and manner for appointing highway commissioners and their term of office, by providing for the creation of administrative highway districts, and by providing for the appointment of other department personnel; to amend Section 2-63-10, relating to the Joint Legislative Committee to Review Intrabudgetary Transfer, so as to provide that the Committee shall review the budget of the Department; to amend Article 1, Chapter 11, Title 57, relating to finances of the Department so as to provide for the creation of a State Highway Bond Fund and a State Highway Bond Fund Debt Service Account; to amend Section 12-27-400, relating to the distribution and use of "C" Funds so as to provide that a county council of a county must approve the roads upon which all "C" Fund construction monies are expended within the county and to change the formula by which "C" Fund monies are apportioned among the counties; to provide that the Code Commissioner change certain references in the 1976 Code; to provide for the creation of an ombudsman within the Department; and to repeal Sections 12-27-1260, 12-27-1280, and 12-27-1300, relating to the Strategic Highway Plan for Improving Mobility and Safety.

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