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S*0996 (Rat #0243, Act #0232 of 2026) General Bill, By Young, Sutton, Reichenbach, Devine, Zell, Elliott and Tedder

Summary: Fingerprint Background Checks Update

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 63-13-190, RELATING TO FINGERPRINT-BASED BACKGROUND CHECKS OF DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES PERSONNEL IN CHILDCARE FACILITIES, SO AS TO MAKE CERTAIN CHANGES TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR A FINGERPRINT-BASED BACKGROUND CHECK. - RATIFIED TITLE

03/10/26	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 9)
03/10/26	Senate	Referred to Committee on Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 9)
03/12/26	Senate	Polled out of committee Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 9)
03/12/26	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 9)
03/25/26	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 29)
03/25/26	Senate	Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 29)
03/26/26	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 18)
03/31/26	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 245)
03/31/26	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 245)
05/06/26	House	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 17)
05/12/26	House	Debate adjourned (House Journal-page 88)
05/13/26	House	Amended (House Journal-page 60)
05/13/26	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 60)
05/13/26	House	Roll call Yeas-115 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 61)
05/14/26	House	Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments (House Journal-page 10)
05/14/26	Senate	Concurred in House amendment and enrolled (Senate Journal-page 14)
05/15/26		Ratified R 243
05/19/26		Signed By Governor
06/05/26		Effective date 05/19/26
06/03/26		Act No. 232