

Session 111 - (1995-1996)

S 1034 General Bill, By Bryan

A Bill to amend Section 25-1-320, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to the State Adjutant General, so as to provide that upon the expiration of the term of the Adjutant General serving in office on the date of the 1998 General Election, the Adjutant General must be appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, for a term of four years coterminous with that of the Governor, and to provide that the above provisions are effective upon the ratification of an amendment to Section 7, Article VI and Section 4, Article XIII of the Constitution of this State deleting the requirement that the State Adjutant General be elected by the qualified electors of this State; to amend Section 46-3-40 of the 1976 Code, relating to the Commissioner of Agriculture, so as to provide that upon the expiration of the term of the Commissioner of Agriculture serving in office on the date of the 1998 General Election, the Commissioner of Agriculture must be appointed by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Senate, for a term of four years coterminous with that of the Governor, and to provide that the above provisions are effective upon the ratification of an amendment to Section 7, Article VI of the Constitution of this State deleting the requirement that the Commissioner of Agriculture be elected by the qualified electors of this State; and to amend Sections 59-3-10 and 59-3-20 of the 1976 Code, relating to the State Superintendent of Education, so as to provide that he or she must be appointed by the State Board of Education, to delete references to travel expenses, and to provide for filling a vacancy; to amend Section 59-5-60 of the 1976 Code, relating to the powers and duties of the State Board of Education, so as to provide that the Board shall appoint the State Superintendent of Education; and to provide that the above provisions relating to the Superintendent of Education take effect upon ratification of amendments to Section 7, Article VI, and Section 2, Article XI of the Constitution of this State, deleting the requirement that the State Superintendent of Education be elected by the qualified electors of this State and providing that he must be appointed by the State Board of Education.

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