

## Session 117 - (2007-2008)

### **S\*1085 (Rat #0285, Act #0245 of 2008) General Bill, By McConnell and Hayes**

**Summary:** Legislative staff

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 8-13-1331 SO AS TO PROVIDE A CORPORATION OR COMMITTEE OF A CORPORATION MAY SOLICIT CONTRIBUTIONS FROM ITS SHAREHOLDERS AND EXECUTIVE OR ADMINISTRATIVE PERSONNEL AND FAMILY MEMBERS OF PERSONNEL OF THE CORPORATION OR ITS SUBSIDIARIES, BRANCHES, AND DIVISIONS, AMONG OTHER THINGS; TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-100, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO CERTAIN DEFINITIONS RELATED TO ETHICS AND GOVERNMENT ACCOUNTABILITY, SO AS TO PROVIDE THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY OFFICE FOR THE FILING OF CERTAIN ETHICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORTS BY SENATE STAFF MEMBERS IS THE SENATE ETHICS COMMITTEE AND THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY OFFICE FOR THE FILING OF CERTAIN ETHICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORTS BY HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STAFF MEMBERS IS THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ETHICS COMMITTEE; TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-320, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO DUTIES AND POWERS OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION, SO AS TO PROVIDE EXEMPT SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STAFF MEMBERS FROM CERTAIN INVESTIGATORY POWERS OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION; TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-1300, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO CERTAIN DEFINITIONS RELATED TO CAMPAIGN PRACTICES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY OFFICE FOR THE FILING OF CERTAIN ETHICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORTS BY SENATE STAFF MEMBERS IS THE SENATE ETHICS COMMITTEE AND THE APPROPRIATE SUPERVISORY OFFICE FOR THE FILING OF CERTAIN ETHICS AND ACCOUNTABILITY REPORTS BY HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES STAFF MEMBERS IS THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ETHICS COMMITTEE; TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-530, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO ADDITIONAL POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION, SO AS TO INCLUDE LEGISLATIVE STAFF; TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-1306, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF A STATEMENT OF ORGANIZATION OF A COMMITTEE OR BALLOT MEASURE COMMITTEE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THESE STATEMENTS MUST INCLUDE THE NAME AND ADDRESS OF SPECIFIC AFFILIATED COMMITTEES; AND TO AMEND SECTION 8-13-1308, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE FILING OF CERTIFIED CAMPAIGN REPORTS BY CANDIDATES AND COMMITTEES, SO AS TO PROVIDE A COMMITTEE OF A CORPORATION THAT SOLICITS CONTRIBUTIONS PURSUANT TO SECTION 8-13-1331 MUST CERTIFY COMPLIANCE WITH THAT SECTION ON A FORM PROVIDED BY THE STATE ETHICS COMMISSION. - ratified title

<b>02/07/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-4</b>
<b>02/07/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-4</b>
<b>02/11/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Subcommittee: Ritchie (ch), Rankin, Lourie, Scott, Ceips</b>
<b>03/26/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-14</b>
<b>03/27/08</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>04/01/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Adopted SJ-27</b>
<b>04/02/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended SJ-18</b>
<b>04/02/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-18</b>
<b>04/03/08</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>04/09/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to House SJ-80</b>
<b>04/10/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time HJ-21</b>
<b>04/10/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-22</b>
<b>05/07/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Judiciary HJ-29</b>
<b>05/13/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time HJ-18</b>
<b>05/14/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and enrolled HJ-12</b>
<b>05/22/08</b>		<b>Ratified R 285</b>
<b>05/28/08</b>		<b>Vetoed by Governor</b>
<b>05/29/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Veto overridden by originating body Yeas-43 Nays-0</b>
<b>05/29/08</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Veto overridden Yeas-107 Nays-0 HJ-107</b>
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