

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**S 1087 General Bill, By Gregory, Rankin and Shealy**

***Similar (H 4029)***

**Summary:** Alimony

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 20-3-170, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO MODIFICATION, CONFIRMATION, OR TERMINATION OF ALIMONY, SO AS TO PROVIDE FACTORS FOR THE COURT TO CONSIDER WHEN DETERMINING THE EXISTENCE OF CHANGED CIRCUMSTANCES; TO CREATE A REBUTTABLE PRESUMPTION THAT ALIMONY TERMINATES UPON THE SUPPORTING SPOUSE ATTAINING FULL RETIREMENT AGE; AND TO PROVIDE THAT PAYMENT OF ALIMONY FOR A PERIOD THAT EXCEEDS THE DURATION OF MARRIAGE CONSTITUTES SUFFICIENT GROUNDS FOR THE COURT TO MODIFY, TERMINATE, OR ESTABLISH A FIXED DURATION OF TIME FOR ANY FURTHER PAYMENT OBLIGATION, IF SUPPORTED BY THE EVIDENCE PRESENTED.

**02/17/16 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 5)**

**02/17/16 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 5)**

**02/19/16 Senate Referred to Subcommittee: Gregory (ch), Hutto, Bennett**

**04/13/16 Senate Committee report: Majority favorable with amend., minority unfavorable Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 17)**

**04/14/16 Scrivener's error corrected**

**05/31/16 Senate Recommitted to Committee on Judiciary**