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## Session 123 - (2019-2020)

S\*0181 (Rat #0150, Act #0144 of 2020) General Bill, By McElveen, Johnson, McLeod, Climer and Shealy Summary: Adoption

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 63-9-80, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE REQUIRED DISCLOSURE OF INFORMATION TO A PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENT, SO AS TO ALLOW A BIOLOGICAL PARENT TO PROVIDE PERSONAL MEDICAL HISTORY AT THE TIME OF ADOPTION CONSENT OR RELINQUISHMENT, AND TO REQUIRE THAT SUCH INFORMATION BE DISCLOSED TO THE PROSPECTIVE ADOPTIVE PARENT AND TO THE ADOPTEE UPON REACHING THE AGE OF MAJORITY OR PRIOR TO THE AGE OF MAJORITY FOR GOOD CAUSE SHOWN. - ratified title 12/12/18 Senate Prefiled 12/12/18 Senate **Referred to Committee on General** 01/08/19 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 124) 01/08/19 Senate Referred to Committee on Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 124) 02/13/19 Senate Committee report: Favorable with amendment Family and Veterans' Services (Senate Journal-page 12) Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 17) 02/19/19 Senate 02/19/19 Read second time (Senate Journal-page 17) Senate 02/19/19 Senate Roll call Ayes-44 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 17) 02/20/19 Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 16) Senate Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 131) 02/21/19 House 02/21/19 Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 131) House 05/02/19 Committee report: Favorable Judiciary (House Journal-page 15) House 05/08/19 House Requests for debate-Rep(s). Rutherford, S. Williams, Garvin, Bales, McCravy, Simmons, Gilliard (House Journal-page 131) Debate adjourned until Tues., 3-17-20 (House Journal-page 41) 02/19/20 House 09/22/20 House Debate adjourned until Wed., 9-23-20 (House Journal-page 103) Requests for debate removed-Rep(s). Matthews, Rutherford and Garvin (House Journal-page 09/23/20 House 119) 09/23/20 House Read second time (House Journal-page 119) Roll call Yeas-100 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 119) 09/23/20 House 09/24/20 House Read third time and enrolled 09/25/20 Ratified R 150 09/28/20 Signed By Governor 10/02/20 Effective date 09/28/20 10/02/20 Act No. 144