

Session 121 - (2015-2016)

S*0183 (Rat #0103, Act #0074 of 2015) General Bill, By Hayes and Bryant

Similar (S 0196, H 3125, H 3930)

Summary: Human trafficking

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 16-3-2020, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OFFENSES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON IS CONSIDERED A TRAFFICKER IF THE PERSON GIVES OR OFFERS ANYTHING OF VALUE TO ANOTHER PERSON TO ENGAGE IN COMMERCIAL SEXUAL ACTIVITY KNOWING THAT THE OTHER PERSON IS A VICTIM OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, TO PROVIDE THAT A VICTIM CONVICTED OF A TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS VIOLATION OR PROSTITUTION MAY MOTION THE COURT TO VACATE THE CONVICTION, AND TO PROVIDE THAT A VICTIM IS NOT SUBJECT TO PROSECUTION FOR TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS OR PROSTITUTION IF THE VICTIM WAS A MINOR AT THE TIME OF THE OFFENSE UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; TO AMEND SECTION 16-3-2030, RELATING TO BUSINESSES AND TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A COURT MAY CONSIDER DISGORGEMENT OF PROFIT FROM A BUSINESS INVOLVED IN TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS AND DISBARMENT FROM GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS; TO AMEND SECTION 16-3-2040, RELATING TO RESTITUTION FOR VICTIMS OF TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE COURT MAY ORDER RESTITUTION IN AN AMOUNT REPRESENTING THE VALUE OF THE VICTIM'S LABOR OR SERVICES AND INCLUDE ATTORNEY'S FEES; TO AMEND SECTION 16-3-2050, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE TASK FORCE ON TRAFFICKING IN PERSONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE TASK FORCE MAY MAKE GRANTS OR CONTRACTS TO DEVELOP OR EXPAND VICTIMS' SERVICE PROGRAMS. - ratified title

- 12/10/14 Senate Prefiled**
- 12/10/14 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary**
- 01/13/15 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 119)**
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- 03/26/15 Senate Recalled from Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 3)**
- 03/27/15 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 03/31/15 Senate Amended (Senate Journal-page 24)**
- 03/31/15 Senate Read second time (Senate Journal-page 24)**
- 03/31/15 Senate Roll call Ayes-42 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 24)**
- 04/01/15 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 04/01/15 Senate Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 16)**
- 04/14/15 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 30)**
- 04/14/15 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 30)**
- 05/06/15 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 36)**
- 05/07/15 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 05/12/15 House Amended (House Journal-page 13)**
- 05/12/15 House Read second time (House Journal-page 13)**
- 05/12/15 House Roll call Yeas-83 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 17)**
- 05/13/15 House Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 11)**
- 05/13/15 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 05/14/15 Senate House amendment amended**
- 05/14/15 Senate Returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 29)**
- 05/21/15 House Debate adjourned until Tues., 5-26-15 (House Journal-page 25)**
- 05/26/15 House Non-concurrence in Senate amendment (House Journal-page 54)**
- 05/26/15 House Roll call Yeas-0 Nays-97 (House Journal-page 55)**
- 05/27/15 Senate Senate insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Hayes, Hutto, Young (Senate Journal-page 41)**
- 05/28/15 House Conference committee appointed Brannon, Murphy, Weeks (House Journal-page 2)**
- 06/02/15 House Conference report received and adopted (House Journal-page 55)**
- 06/02/15 House Roll call Yeas-107 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 59)**
- 06/03/15 Senate Conference report adopted (Senate Journal-page 56)**
- 06/03/15 House Ordered enrolled for ratification (House Journal-page 207)**
- 06/04/15 Ratified R 103**
- 06/08/15 Signed By Governor**

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