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H 3045 General Bill, By Harrison, McGee, Jennings, Altman and Whipper

**Summary:** Criminal cases, courts may reduce sentence when defendant aids in prosecution of another; Crimes and Offenses

A BILL TO AMEND ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 25, TITLE 17, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE CONVICTION AND SENTENCING OF CRIMINAL CASES, BY ADDING SECTION 17-25-65 SO AS TO PROVIDE, UPON THE STATE'S MOTION, THAT A COURT MAY REDUCE THE SENTENCE IMPOSED TO REFLECT A DEFENDANT'S SUBSEQUENT SUBSTANTIAL ASSISTANCE IN THE INVESTIGATION OR PROSECUTION OF ANOTHER PERSON AND TO PROVIDE THE COURT MAY REDUCE THE SENTENCE BELOW THE MINIMUM SENTENCE SET BY STATUTE.

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