

## Session 117 - (2007-2008)

### **S 0328 General Bill, By Alexander, Ford and Knotts**

**Summary:** College degree

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 16-13-15, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO FALSIFYING OR ALTERING A TRANSCRIPT OR DIPLOMA AND FRAUDULENT USE OF FALSIFIED OR ALTERED TRANSCRIPT OR DIPLOMA, SO AS TO INCLUDE FALSIFYING OR ALTERING A DEGREE AND FRAUDULENT USE OF A FALSIFIED OR ALTERED DEGREE, AND TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO KNOWINGLY ISSUE, MANUFACTURE, OR USE A FALSE POST-SECONDARY DEGREE, CERTIFICATE, DIPLOMA, TRANSCRIPT, OR OTHER ACADEMIC CREDENTIAL FOR GENERAL ACADEMIC OR PROFESSIONAL PURPOSES FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES INCLUDING TO OBTAIN EMPLOYMENT.

**01/24/07 Senate Introduced and read first time SJ-8**

**01/24/07 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-8**

**01/26/07 Senate Referred to Subcommittee: Hawkins (ch), Sheheen, Lourie, Vaughn**

**05/02/07 Senate Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-13**

**05/03/07 Scrivener's error corrected**