

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**H\*3323 (Rat #0029, Act #0015 of 2015) General Bill, By V.S. Moss, Ott, Hiott, Hixon and Jefferson**

**Summary:** SC Noxious Weed Act

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER 23, TITLE 46, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE "SOUTH CAROLINA NOXIOUS WEED ACT" SO AS TO DELETE THE TERM "COMMISSIONER" AND REPLACE IT WITH THE TERM "COMMISSION", TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF THE TERMS "COMMISSION", "AUTHORIZED INSPECTOR", AND "NOXIOUS WEED", TO PROVIDE A DEFINITION FOR THE TERM "DIRECTOR", TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES, AND TO DELETE THE TERM "SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE" AND REPLACE IT WITH THE TERM "DIVISION OF REGULATORY AND PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAMS, CLEMSON UNIVERSITY", AND TO ESTABLISH THE POWERS AND DUTIES OF THE STATE CROP PEST COMMISSION AND THE DIRECTOR OF THE REGULATORY AND PUBLIC SERVICE PROGRAMS, CLEMSON UNIVERSITY. - ratified title

01/15/15	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 324)
01/15/15	House	Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 324)
01/29/15	House	Committee report: Favorable Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 4)
02/03/15	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Jefferson
02/04/15	House	Requests for debate-Rep(s). Hill, Toole, Finlay, Thayer, Putnam, Gambrell, Whitmire (House Journal-page 26)
02/04/15	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 41)
02/04/15	House	Roll call Yeas-111 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 41)
02/05/15	House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 28)
02/10/15	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 8)
02/10/15	Senate	Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources (Senate Journal-page 8)
03/17/15	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Agriculture and Natural Resources (Senate Journal-page 13)
03/18/15		Scrivener's error corrected
03/18/15	Senate	Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 26)
03/18/15	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 26)
03/18/15	Senate	Roll call Ayes-36 Nays-9 (Senate Journal-page 26)
03/19/15	Senate	Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 6)
03/19/15		Scrivener's error corrected
03/25/15	House	Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 36)
03/25/15	House	Roll call Yeas-101 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 36)
05/07/15		Ratified R 29
05/07/15		Signed By Governor (Senate Journal-page 5)
05/14/15		Effective date 05/07/15
05/18/15		Act No. 15