

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**H\*3443 (Rat #0032, Act #0043 of 2015) General Bill, By Long, Erickson, Daning, Atwater, Bradley, Hixon, Newton, Ridgeway, Simrill, Spires, G.M. Smith, Weeks and Johnson**

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**Summary:** Optometrists

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 40-37-290, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE PURCHASING, POSSESSING, ADMINISTERING, SUPPLYING, AND PRESCRIBING OF CERTAIN PHARMACEUTICAL AGENTS BY OPTOMETRISTS AND THE PROHIBITION ON SCHEDULE I AND II CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, SO AS TO CLARIFY THAT SCHEDULE II CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES THAT HAVE BEEN RECLASSIFIED FROM SCHEDULE III TO SCHEDULE II ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 6, 2014, MAY CONTINUE TO BE PURCHASED, POSSESSED, ADMINISTERED, SUPPLIED, AND PRESCRIBED BY AN OPTOMETRIST. - ratified title

01/28/15	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 12)
01/28/15	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 12)
02/04/15	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: G.M.Smith, Weeks
03/19/15	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Johnson
03/25/15	House	Committee report: Favorable Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 64)
03/26/15	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 29)
03/26/15	House	Roll call Yeas-99 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 29)
03/26/15	House	Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day (House Journal-page 30)
03/27/15	House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 2)
03/31/15	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 8)
03/31/15	Senate	Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 8)
04/01/15	Senate	Recalled from Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 3)
04/23/15	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 22)
04/23/15	Senate	Roll call Ayes-41 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 22)
04/28/15	Senate	Read third time and enrolled (Senate Journal-page 13)
05/07/15		Ratified R 32
05/07/15		Signed By Governor
05/14/15		Effective date 05/07/15
06/09/15		Act No. 43