

**Session 120 - (2013-2014)**

**H\*3541 (Rat #0250, Act #0297 of 2014) Joint Resolution, By Harrell, J.E. Smith, Bales, Williams, Bannister, J.R. Smith, Patrick, Brannon, Erickson, Huggins, Kennedy, Ballentine, M.S. McLeod, Bernstein, Atwater, Cole, Funderburk, George, Hixon, Long, McCoy, W.J. McLeod, Pitts, Pope, G.R. Smith, Tallon, Taylor, Wood and Knight**  
**Similar (S 0052, S 0054, S 0132, S 0170, S 0173, S 0444, S 0467)**

**Summary:** Adjutant General

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7, ARTICLE VI OF THE CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1895, RELATING TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL OFFICERS OF THIS STATE, TO PROVIDE THAT UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THE TERM OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL SERVING IN OFFICE ON THE DATE OF THE RATIFICATION OF THIS PROVISION THE ADJUTANT GENERAL MUST BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR UPON THE ADVICE AND CONSENT OF THE SENATE FOR A TERM NOT COTERMINOUS WITH THE GOVERNOR, MAY BE REMOVED ONLY FOR CAUSE, AND THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL PROVIDE BY LAW FOR THE TERM, DUTIES, COMPENSATION, AND QUALIFICATIONS FOR OFFICE, THE PROCEDURES BY WHICH THE APPOINTMENT IS MADE, AND THE PROCEDURES BY WHICH THE ADJUTANT GENERAL MAY BE REMOVED FROM OFFICE; AND PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 4, ARTICLE XIII, RELATING TO THE ADJUTANT GENERAL AND HIS STAFF OFFICERS, TO UPDATE REFERENCES TO HIS TITLE AND PROVIDE THAT THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S MILITARY RANK IS MAJOR GENERAL AS OPPOSED TO BRIGADIER GENERAL, AND TO PROVIDE THAT UPON THE EXPIRATION OF THE TERM OF THE ADJUTANT GENERAL SERVING IN OFFICE ON THE DATE OF THE RATIFICATION OF THIS PROVISION, HE MUST BE APPOINTED BY THE GOVERNOR IN THE MANNER REQUIRED BY SECTION 7, ARTICLE VI. - ratified title

- 02/19/13 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 22)**
- 02/19/13 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 22)**
- 03/06/13 House Committee report: Favorable Judiciary (House Journal-page 40)**
- 03/07/13 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Knight**
- 03/18/13 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 03/19/13 House Requests for debate-Rep(s). Sandifer, GA Brown, Anthony, Bales, Barfield, K Crawford, Whitmire, Daning, JE Smith, Quinn, Bannister, Anderson, Bedingfield, JR Smith, Hardee, DC Moss, Atwater, GR Smith (House Journal-page 49)**
- 03/20/13 House Read second time (House Journal-page 38)**
- 03/20/13 House Roll call Yeas-108 Nays-4 (House Journal-page 40)**
- 03/21/13 House Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 35)**
- 03/21/13 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 14)**
- 03/21/13 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 14)**
- 04/10/13 Senate Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 24)**
- 04/11/13 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 05/20/14 Senate Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 20)**
- 05/20/14 Senate Read second time (Senate Journal-page 20)**
- 05/20/14 Senate Roll call Ayes-39 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 20)**
- 05/21/14 Scrivener's error corrected**
- 05/21/14 Senate Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 29)**
- 05/27/14 House Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 55)**
- 05/29/14 Ratified R 250**
- 05/29/14 No signature required**
- 05/29/14 Effective date 05/29/2014**
- 09/08/14 Act No. 297**