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H 3637 General Bill, By T.M. Burriss, Alexander, Harvin and Martin

A Bill to amend Section 49-1-50, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to sale of drifted objects, so as to delete provisions relating to watercraft; to amend Sections 50-23-10, 50-23-30, 50-23-60, 50-23-120, 50-23-170, 50-23-200, 50-23-205, 50-23-270, and 50-23-280, relating to titling of watercraft and outboard motors, so as to delete boats and other watercraft from provisions regulating materials found drifting, to change and add definitions, to exempt commercial barges, windsurfers, and watercraft propelled exclusively by human power or with oars, paddles, or similar devices from titling requirements, to change procedures for applying for a title certificate, to provide for application for duplicate certificates, to provide a late fee, to provide for the form of the manufacturer's or importer's certificate, to define "homemade watercraft or outboard motor", to change provisions relating to serial numbers and identification numbers, to establish acts which prohibit the lawful operation of watercraft or outboard motors, to provide that it is unlawful to deal with a watercraft or outboard motor by a person who has reason to believe it is stolen, to provide for disposal of stolen, abandoned, junked, adrift, destroyed, or salvaged watercraft or outboard motors, and to increase penalties for violations; to amend the 1976 Code by adding Sections 50-23-135, 50-23-185, 50-23-275, and 50-23-290 so as to provide for titling abandoned, junked, adrift, and salvaged watercraft or outboard motors, to provide for the inspection of facilities involved with watercraft and outboard motors, to require titling of watercraft or outboard motors not previously titled, and to provide for conditional titles.

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