

## Session 120 - (2013-2014)

**H 3854 General Bill, By Erickson, M.S. McLeod, Spires, Cobb-Hunter, Long, Munnerlyn, Jefferson, H.A. Crawford, Robinson-Simpson, Mitchell, King, Allison, Horne, Dillard, Felder, Henderson, Nanney, Powers Norrell and Wood**  
***Similar (S 0443, S 0915, H 4451)***

**Summary:** Admissibility of out-of-court statements by children

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 19-1-180, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ADMISSIBILITY OF OUT-OF-COURT STATEMENTS MADE BY CHILDREN UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, SO AS TO ALLOW THE ADMISSIBILITY OF HEARSAY STATEMENTS MADE TO FORENSIC INTERVIEWERS; TO DEFINE FORENSIC INTERVIEWER; AND TO PROVIDE FOR TRAINING AND CONTINUING EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS FOR FORENSIC INTERVIEWERS.

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