

## Session 124 - (2021-2022)

**H\*3957 (Rat #0111, Act #0091 of 2021) General Bill, By Hewitt, Kirby, Bailey and G.M. Smith**

**Summary:** Flounder- catch size and limits

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTIONS 50-5-1705 AND 50-5-1710, BOTH AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO CATCH AND SIZE LIMITS FOR THE TAKING, POSSESSING, LANDING, SELLING, OR PURCHASING OF CERTAIN FISH FROM THE STATE'S WATERS, SO AS TO DECREASE THE CATCH LIMIT AND INCREASE THE SIZE LIMIT FOR FLOUNDER; TO AMEND SECTION 50-9-540, RELATING TO RECREATIONAL SALTWATER FISHING LICENSES AND CHARTER FISHING VESSELS, SO AS TO INCREASE CERTAIN FEES AND TO CREATE AND ELIMINATE CERTAIN LICENSES; TO AMEND SECTION 50-9-920, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO REVENUES GENERATED BY CERTAIN LICENSES, SO AS TO REQUIRE THAT A PORTION BE USED FOR THE DEVELOPMENT AND IMPLEMENTATION OF A FLOUNDER STOCKING PROGRAM; AND TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES PROVIDE A REPORT ON SOUTH CAROLINA'S STOCK OF FLOUNDER. -

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| 02/23/21 | House  | Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 40)   |
| 02/23/21 | House  | Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 40)                  |
| 03/11/21 | House  | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 3) |
| 03/16/21 | House  | Amended (House Journal-page 18)  |
| 03/16/21 | House  | Read second time (House Journal-page 20)   |
| 03/16/21 | House  | Roll call Yeas-106 Nays-3 (House Journal-page 21)  |
| 03/17/21 | House  | Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 22)   |
| 03/17/21 | Senate | Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 8)   |
| 03/17/21 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Fish, Game and Forestry (Senate Journal-page 8)   |
| 04/22/21 | Senate | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Fish, Game and Forestry (Senate Journal-page 9)                                 |
| 05/04/21 | Senate | Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 22)   |
| 05/04/21 | Senate | Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-1 (Senate Journal-page 22)  |
| 05/06/21 | Senate | Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 19)   |
| 05/12/21 | House  | Senate amendment amended (House Journal-page 29)   |
| 05/12/21 | House  | Returned to Senate with amendments (House Journal-page 29)   |
| 05/12/21 | House  | Roll call Yeas-109 Nays-4 (House Journal-page 30)  |
| 05/13/21 | Senate | Non-concurrence in House amendment (Senate Journal-page 27)  |
| 05/13/21 | House  | House insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Reps. Lowe, Hewitt, Pendarvis (House Journal-page 47)      |
| 05/13/21 | Senate | Conference committee appointed Campsen, Goldfinch, McElveen (Senate Journal-page 28)                                       |
| 06/08/21 | Senate | Free conference powers granted (Senate Journal-page 46)  |
| 06/08/21 | Senate | Free conference committee appointed Campsen, Goldfinch, McElveen (Senate Journal-page 46)                                  |
| 06/08/21 | Senate | Free conference report received and adopted (Senate Journal-page 46)   |
| 06/08/21 | Senate | Roll call Ayes-42 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 46)  |
| 06/08/21 | House  | Free conference powers granted (House Journal-page 71)   |
| 06/08/21 | House  | Roll call Yeas-111 Nays-1 (House Journal-page 72)  |
| 06/08/21 | House  | Free conference committee appointed Lowe, Hewitt, Pendarvis (House Journal-page 73)  |
| 06/08/21 | House  | Free conference report adopted (House Journal-page 73)   |
| 06/08/21 | Senate | Ordered enrolled for ratification  |
| 06/09/21 |        | Ratified R 111   |
| 06/15/21 |        | Signed By Governor   |
| 06/22/21 |        | Effective date 07/01/21  |
| 06/22/21 |        | Act No. 91   |