

Session 119 - (2011-2012)

H 4583 General Bill, By Atwater and Quinn

Summary: Battered spouse syndrome

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 17-23-170, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ADMISSIBILITY OF EVIDENCE CONCERNING BATTERED SPOUSE SYNDROME, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A DEFENDANT WHO INTENDS TO OFFER EVIDENCE OF BATTERED SPOUSE SYNDROME MUST FILE A WRITTEN REPORT OF THE TESTIMONY TO BE OFFERED BY AN EXPERT IN ADDITION TO FILING THE WRITTEN NOTICE OF THE INTENT TO OFFER THIS EVIDENCE.

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