

Session 124 - (2021-2022)

H*4608 (Rat #0218, Act #0193 of 2022) General Bill, By Trantham, Oremus, Burns, McCravy, G.R. Smith, M.M. Smith, B. Cox, Bennett, McGarry, Taylor, Jones, Gilliam, Yow, Hixon, Hill, Gagnon, Whitmire, Haddon, Bannister, Magnuson, May, Dabney, Long, Willis, McCabe, Morgan, Bryant, V.S. Moss, Nutt, T. Moore, Forrest, Bailey, West, Thayer, White, McKnight, Atkinson, Fry, Caskey, Blackwell, Ballentine, Wooten, Huggins, Chumley and Hiott

Similar (S 0531, H 3477, H 4153)

Summary: Save Women's Sports Act

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "SAVE WOMEN'S SPORTS ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 59-1-500 SO AS TO EXPRESS LEGISLATIVE INTENT AND MAKE CERTAIN FINDINGS, TO PROVIDE ASSUMPTIONS CONCERNING THE CORRECTNESS OF BIOLOGICAL GENDER STATEMENTS ON OFFICIAL BIRTH CERTIFICATES OF STUDENTS, TO REQUIRE GENDER-BASED OR COEDUCATIONAL DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SCHOOL SPORTS TEAMS, TO PROVIDE SUCH SPORTS TEAMS DESIGNATED FOR MALES SHALL NOT BE OPEN TO STUDENTS OF THE FEMALE SEX UNLESS NO TEAM DESIGNATED FOR FEMALES IN THAT SPORT IS OFFERED AT THE SCHOOL IN WHICH THE STUDENT IS ENROLLED, TO PROVIDE SUCH SPORTS TEAMS DESIGNATED FOR FEMALES SHALL NOT BE OPEN TO STUDENTS OF THE MALE SEX, TO PROVIDE PRIVATE SCHOOLS OR PRIVATE INSTITUTIONS SPONSORING A SPORTS TEAM IN WHICH ITS STUDENTS OR TEAMS COMPETE AGAINST A PUBLIC SCHOOL OR INSTITUTION ALSO SHALL COMPLY WITH THESE PROVISIONS FOR THE APPLICABLE TEAM OR SPORT, AND TO PROVIDE REMEDIES FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT; AND BY ADDING SECTION 59-63-72 SO AS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS SUPPORTED BY STATE FUNDS SHALL NOT USE ANY FUNDS OR PERMIT ANY SCHOOL WITHIN THE DISTRICT TO USE ANY FUNDS TO JOIN, AFFILIATE WITH, PAY DUES OR FEES TO, OR IN ANY WAY FINANCIALLY SUPPORT ANY INTERSCHOLASTIC ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION, BODY, OR ENTITY UNLESS THE CONSTITUTION, RULES OR POLICIES OF THE ASSOCIATION, BODY, OR ENTITY RECOGNIZES, SANCTIONS, AND REGULATES INTERSCHOLASTIC COMPETITION OF WRESTLING TEAMS COMPOSED EXCLUSIVELY OF FEMALE STUDENTS. - ratified title

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| 11/17/21 | House | Prefiled |
| 11/17/21 | House | Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works |
| 01/11/22 | House | Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 68) |
| 01/11/22 | House | Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 68) |
| 01/12/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Gilliam, Yow, Hixon |
| 01/25/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Hill, Gagnon |
| 01/27/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Whitmire |
| 02/08/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Haddon, Bannister, Magnuson, May, Dabney, Long, Willis, McCabe, Morgan, Bryant, V.S.Moss, Nutt, T.Moore |
| 02/09/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Forrest, Bailey |
| 02/15/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: West |
| 02/16/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Thayer, White |
| 03/01/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: McKnight |
| 03/29/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Atkinson |
| 03/31/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Fry |
| 03/31/22 | House | Committee report: Favorable Education and Public Works (House Journal-page 22) |
| 04/01/22 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 04/05/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Caskey, Blackwell |
| 04/05/22 | House | Special order, set for Immediatley after the reading of H. 5216 |
| 04/05/22 | House | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Ballentine, Wooten, Huggins, Chumley, Hiott |
| 04/05/22 | House | Amended (House Journal-page 42) |
| 04/05/22 | House | Read second time (House Journal-page 42) |
| 04/05/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-82 Nays-28 (House Journal-page 135) |
| 04/06/22 | House | Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 6) |
| 04/06/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-80 Nays-24 (House Journal-page 7) |
| 04/06/22 | Senate | Introduced and read first time |
| 04/06/22 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Education |
| 04/28/22 | Senate | Polled out of committee Education (Senate Journal-page 8) |
| 04/28/22 | Senate | Committee report: Favorable Education (Senate Journal-page 8) |

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| 04/28/22 | Senate | Special order, set for April 28, 2022 (Senate Journal-page 112) |
| 04/29/22 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 05/03/22 | Senate | Read second time (Senate Journal-page 69) |
| 05/04/22 | Senate | Amended (Senate Journal-page 59) |
| 05/04/22 | Senate | Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 59) |
| 05/04/22 | Senate | Roll call Ayes-30 Nays-10 (Senate Journal-page 59) |
| 05/10/22 | House | Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 606) |
| 05/10/22 | House | Roll call Yeas-70 Nays-33 (House Journal-page 607) |
| 05/12/22 | | Ratified R 218 |
| 05/16/22 | | Signed By Governor |
| 05/31/22 | | Effective date 05/16/22 |
| 05/31/22 | | Act No. 193 |