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Act No. 259

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H*4921 (Rat #0334, Act #0259 of 2008) General Bill, By D.C. Moss, M.A. Pitts, Lowe, Phillips and Pinson

Summary: Animal cruelty

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 47-1-10, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS IN REGARD TO CRUELTY TO ANIMALS, SO AS TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF "ANIMAL"; TO AMEND SECTION 47-1-40, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO ILL-TREATMENT OF ANIMALS, SO AS TO FURTHER PROVIDE FOR EXCEPTIONS TO THE SECTION; AND TO AMEND SECTION 47-3-630, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO PENALTIES IN REGARD TO TEASING, MALTREATING, OR INJURING POLICE DOGS OR HORSES, SO AS TO REVISE THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS INCLUDING MAKING A PARTICULAR OFFENSE A FELONY. - ratified title

| 04/01/08 | House | Introduced and read first time HJ-8 |
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| 04/01/08 | House | Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-8 |
| 04/09/08 | House | Recalled from Committee on Judiciary HJ-37 |
| 04/09/08 | House | Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs HJ-37 |
| 04/17/08 | House | Committee report: Favorable Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs HJ-3 |
| 04/23/08 | House | Debate adjourned until Wednesday, April 30, 2008 HJ-13 |
| 04/30/08 | House | Debate adjourned HJ-26 |
| 04/30/08 | House | Amended HJ-52 |
| 04/30/08 | House | Read second time HJ-53 |
| 05/01/08 | House | Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-126 |
| 05/01/08 | Senate | Introduced and read first time SJ-12 |
| 05/01/08 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Agriculture and Natural Resources SJ-12 |
| 05/21/08 | Senate | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Agriculture and Natural Resources SJ-12 |
| 05/22/08 | | Scrivener's error corrected |
| 05/22/08 | Senate | Committee Amendment Adopted SJ-38 |
| 05/22/08 | Senate | Amended SJ-38 |
| 05/22/08 | Senate | Read second time SJ-38 |
| 05/22/08 | Senate | Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day SJ-38 |
| 05/23/08 | Senate | Read third time and returned to House with amendments SJ-4 |
| 05/28/08 | House | Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled HJ-199 |
| 05/29/08 | | Ratified R 334 |
| 06/05/08 | | Became law without Governor's signature |
| 06/10/08 | | Copies available |
| 06/10/08 | | Effective date 06/05/08 |
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