

## Session 112 - (1997-1998)

### H 5017 General Bill, By J. Smith

A BILL TO AMEND TITLE 44, CHAPTER 6, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES BY ADDING ARTICLE 9 SO AS TO ENACT THE CHILDREN FIRST! INITIATIVE ACT FOR THE PURPOSE OF DEVELOPING AND IMPLEMENTING A COMPREHENSIVE, LONG-RANGE PLAN TO IMPROVE EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT BY PROVIDING EDUCATION AND DEVELOPMENT SERVICES FOR YOUNG CHILDREN AND THEIR FAMILIES THROUGH GRANTS TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.

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