

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

### **S 0589 General Bill, By Lourie and Leatherman**

#### **Summary:** Music Therapy Practice Act

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING CHAPTER 85 TO TITLE 40 SO AS TO ENACT THE "MUSIC THERAPY PRACTICE ACT"; TO REGULATE THE PRACTICE OF MUSIC THERAPY; TO PROVIDE CERTAIN DEFINITIONS; TO CREATE THE SOUTH CAROLINA MUSIC THERAPY ADVISORY GROUP TO ASSIST THE DIRECTOR OF THE DEPARTMENT IN REGULATION OF THE PROFESSION OF MUSIC THERAPY; TO PROHIBIT THE PRACTICE OF MUSIC THERAPY WITHOUT A LICENSE; TO PROVIDE CRITERIA FOR LICENSURE; AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE USE OF A PROFESSIONAL DESIGNATION, AMONG OTHER THINGS.

<b>03/24/15</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 11)</b>
<b>03/24/15</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry (Senate Journal-page 11)</b>
<b>01/28/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Labor, Commerce and Industry (Senate Journal-page 14)</b>
<b>01/29/16</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>02/02/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 9)</b>
<b>02/02/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time (Senate Journal-page 9)</b>
<b>02/02/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Roll call Ayes-35 Nays-7 (Senate Journal-page 9)</b>
<b>02/03/16</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 37)</b>
<b>02/04/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 10)</b>
<b>02/04/16</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 10)</b>