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S 0659 General Bill, By Mescher

Summary: Office of Inspector General created

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING CHAPTER 8 TO TITLE 1 SO AS TO CREATE THE OFFICE OF STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL WITHIN THE EXECUTIVE BRANCH OF GOVERNMENT, PROVIDE THAT THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL IS A MEMBER OF THE GOVERNOR'S EXECUTIVE CABINET AND MUST BE HEADED BY A STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL, PROVIDE FOR THE APPOINTMENT, TERM, AND REMOVAL OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL, PROVIDE FOR THE PURPOSE, DUTIES, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND AUTHORITY OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL, PROVIDE A DEFINITION OF "EXECUTIVE AGENCIES" FOR PURPOSES OF THIS CHAPTER, AND PROVIDE FOR THE RECEIPT AND INVESTIGATION OF COMPLAINTS RELATING TO IMPROPER OR UNLAWFUL ACTIVITY WITHIN EXECUTIVE AGENCIES OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT.

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