

## Session 112 - (1997-1998)

**S\*0850 (Rat #0412, Act #0400 of 1998) General Bill, By Setzler, Branton, Bryan, Courson, Giese, Hayes, Lander, Mescher, Rankin, Reese, Russell, Short, Waldrep, Washington and Wilson**

A BILL TO AMEND CHAPTER 18, TITLE 59, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO QUALITY CONTROLS AND PRODUCTIVITY REWARDS, SO AS TO ENACT THE SOUTH CAROLINA EDUCATION ACCOUNTABILITY ACT OF 1998 TO ESTABLISH STATEWIDE ACADEMIC ACHIEVEMENT STANDARDS AND ASSESSMENTS OF THOSE STANDARDS FOR SCHOOLS, TO PROVIDE ANNUAL REPORT CARDS FOR SCHOOLS WITH A PERFORMANCE INDICATOR SYSTEM, TO REQUIRE DISTRICTS TO ESTABLISH LOCAL ACCOUNTABILITY SYSTEMS, TO PROVIDE SPECIFIED RESOURCES TO IMPROVE STUDENT PERFORMANCE AND TEACHER AND STAFF DEVELOPMENT AND ASSISTANCE, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPLEMENTATION AND OVERSIGHT OF THE ABOVE PROVISIONS.-AMENDED SHORT TITLE

11/17/97	Senate	Prefiled
11/17/97	Senate	Referred to Committee on Education
01/14/98	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-10
01/14/98	Senate	Referred to Committee on Education SJ-10
01/21/98	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Education SJ-8
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02/05/98	Senate	Special order SJ-50
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02/11/98	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-12
02/12/98	Senate	Read second time SJ-31
02/12/98	Senate	Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-31
02/12/98	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-31
02/17/98	Senate	Amended SJ-88
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02/18/98	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-26
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02/19/98	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-15
02/19/98	Senate	Roll call Yeas-43 Nays-2 SJ-23
02/24/98	House	Introduced and read first time HJ-21
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03/31/98	House	Amended HJ-18
03/31/98	House	Read second time HJ-33
04/01/98	House	Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments HJ-24
04/08/98	Senate	Non-concurrence in House amendment SJ-24
04/14/98	House	House insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Reps. Townsend, Harrell & Walker HJ-4
04/16/98	Senate	Conference committee appointed Sens. Setzler, Bryan, Hayes SJ-1
06/02/98	Senate	Free conference powers granted SJ-56
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06/02/98	Senate	Free conference report received and adopted SJ-56
06/03/98	House	Free conference powers granted HJ-35
06/03/98	House	Free conference committee appointed Reps. Harrell, Townsend & Walker HJ-37
06/03/98	House	Free conference report received and adopted HJ-37
06/03/98	Senate	Ordered enrolled for ratification
06/04/98		Ratified R 412
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