

## Session 113 - (1999-2000)

**S\*0916 (Rat #0368, Act #0355 of 2000) General Bill, By Courson, Setzler, Giese, Hayes, J.V. Smith, Wilson, Branton and Reese**

**Summary:** Gamma Hydroxybutyric Acid, Methadone, Butorphanol included as controlled substances, Crimes, Narcotics and Drugs

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 16-3-652, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO ELEMENTS OF CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT IN THE FIRST DEGREE, SO AS TO CHANGE A REFERENCE TO A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE USED TO CAUSE ONE TO BE MENTALLY INCAPACITATED OR PHYSICALLY HELPLESS AS A VICTIM OF CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-110, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS PERTAINING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, SO AS TO DEFINE THE TERM "CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ANALOGUE"; TO AMEND SECTIONS 44-53-190 AND 44-53-230, RELATING TO SCHEDULE I AND III CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, RESPECTIVELY, SO AS TO ADD GAMMA HYDROXYBUTYRIC ACID AS A SCHEDULE I AND II CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE HAVING A DEPRESSANT EFFECT; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-370, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO UNLAWFUL ACTS CONCERNING CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, SO AS TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO, AMONG OTHER THINGS, MANUFACTURE OR DISTRIBUTE A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ANALOGUE AND TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO POSSESS A CERTAIN AMOUNT OF GAMMA HYDROXYBUTYRIC ACID OR A CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE ANALOGUE OF SUCH ACID AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR SUCH MANUFACTURE, DISTRIBUTION, OR POSSESSION AND FOR TRAFFICKING IN SUCH SUBSTANCES; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-250, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO SCHEDULE IV CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, SO AS TO ADD BUTORPHANOL AS A SCHEDULE IV CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-360, RELATING TO PRESCRIPTIONS, SO AS TO CORRECT A REFERENCE TO THE DEPARTMENT WHICH APPROVES FACILITIES AND PROGRAMS WHICH ADMINISTER CERTAIN CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, TO DELETE VARIOUS PROVISIONS PERTAINING TO FEDERAL LAW AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, AND TO INCREASE DOSAGE UNITS AUTHORIZED TO BE PRESCRIBED FOR CERTAIN CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-710, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL HAVING EXCLUSIVE CONTROL OVER METHADONE AND TO PROVIDE EXCEPTIONS, SO AS TO DELETE THE EXCEPTIONS; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-720, RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS ON THE USE OF METHADONE, SO AS TO CHANGE REFERENCES TO CONFORM TO THIS ACT AND TO AUTHORIZE THE DISPENSING OF METHADONE BY A RETAIL PHARMACY FOR ANALGESIA; TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-730, RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS ON THE SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF METHADONE, SO AS TO CHANGE REFERENCES TO CONFORM WITH THIS ACT; AND TO AMEND SECTION 44-53-740, RELATING TO THE PROMULGATION OF REGULATIONS, SO AS TO CHANGE REFERENCES TO CONFORM TO THIS ACT.-AMENDED TITLE

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