**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 48‑39‑290, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS, EXCEPTIONS, AND SPECIAL PERMITS CONCERNING CONSTRUCTION AND RECONSTRUCTION SEAWARD OF THE BASELINE OR BETWEEN THE BASELINE AND THE SET BACK LINE, SO AS TO REVISE THE DESCRIPTION OF A PRIVATE ISLAND WITH AN ATLANTIC SHORELINE THAT IS EXEMPT FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION AND THE FORTY‑YEAR RETREAT POLICY.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 48‑39‑290(B)(2)(e) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(e) ~~Subitem (a) does~~ The provisions of this section and Section 48‑39‑280 do not apply to a private island with an Atlantic Ocean shoreline of twenty thousand, two hundred ten feet ~~of which twenty thousand, ninety feet of shoreline~~ which is entirely revetted with existing erosion control devices ~~and one hundred twenty feet of shoreline is not revetted with existing erosion control devices~~. Nothing contained in this subitem makes this island eligible for beach renourishment funds.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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