**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 23‑3‑535, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO PLACES WHERE A SEX OFFENDER MAY RESIDE, SO AS TO EXPAND THE LIST OF OFFENSES COMMITTED BY A SEX OFFENDER THAT PRECLUDES HIM FROM RESIDING WITHIN THE PROXIMITY OF A SCHOOL, DAYCARE CENTER, RECREATIONAL FACILITY, PARK, OR PLAYGROUND.

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

SECTION 1. Section 23‑3‑535(B) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(B) It is unlawful for a sex offender who has been convicted of any ~~of the following offenses~~ sex offense to reside within one thousand feet of a school, daycare center, children’s recreational facility, park, or public playground~~:~~

~~(1)~~ ~~criminal sexual conduct with a minor, first degree;~~

~~(2)~~ ~~criminal sexual conduct with a minor, second degree;~~

~~(3)~~ ~~assault with intent to commit criminal sexual conduct with a minor; or~~

~~(4)~~ ~~kidnapping a person under eighteen years of age~~.”

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

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