**A** **JOINT RESOLUTION**

TO APPROVE REGULATIONS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMY, RELATING TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER AND E-911 OFFICER TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION, DESIGNATED AS REGULATION DOCUMENT NUMBER 4347, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 23, TITLE 1 OF THE 1976 CODE.

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

SECTION 1. The regulations of the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy, relating to Law Enforcement Officer and E-911 Officer Training and Certification, designated as Regulation Document Number 4347, and submitted to the General Assembly pursuant to the provisions of Article 1, Chapter 23, Title 1 of the 1976 Code, are approved.

SECTION 2. This joint resolution takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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SUMMARY AS SUBMITTED

BY PROMULGATING AGENCY.

The General Assembly passed Act 317 and Act 335 (South Carolina Code §23‑23‑10, et seq.) separating the South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy from the Department of Public Safety. S.C. Code §23‑23‑10, et seq. requires the Criminal Justice Academy to train, certify, and evaluate eligibility for certification of candidates for law enforcement certification in the state of South Carolina. S.C. Code 23‑47‑20(C)(15) requires telecommunication operators or dispatchers to be trained and certified by the Law Enforcement Training Council (Criminal Justice Academy). The Act allows the Criminal Justice Academy to promulgate regulations as are necessary for the administration of Act 317. The proposed changes to the regulations will address inconsistencies between S.C. Code §23‑23‑10, et seq., S.C. Code §23‑47‑20(C)(15), and the current regulations.

Notice of Drafting for the proposed amendments was published in the *State Register* on January 25, 2013.

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