**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 4‑9‑635 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IN A COUNTY WHICH HAS A COUNCIL‑ADMINISTRATOR FORM OF GOVERNMENT, BEGINNING JULY 1, 2014, ANY ELECTED COUNTY OFFICIAL, NOT INCLUDING MEMBERS OF THE COUNTY GOVERNING BODY, MUST RECEIVE A SALARY WHICH IS AT LEAST EQUAL TO NINETY PERCENT OF THAT PAID TO THE COUNTY ADMINISTRATOR.

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

SECTION 1. Article 7, Chapter 9, Title 4 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 4‑9‑635. In a county which has a council‑administrator form of government, beginning July 1, 2014, any elected county official, not including members of the county governing body, must receive a salary which is at least equal to ninety percent of that paid to the county administrator.”

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

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