**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 40-22-280 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM THE APPLICATION OF THE CHAPTER CONCERNING ENGINEERS AND SURVEYORS, TO ADD AN EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN ENGINEERS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 40-22-280(A) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered new item to read:

“( ) the work of a person rendering engineering or land surveying services to a corporation engaged in textiles, metal manufacturing, chemical manufacturing, automobile manufacturing, tire manufacturing, or commercial airline manufacturing, as an employee of the corporation, or as an employee of one of the corporation’s affiliates, when the services are rendered in carrying on the general business of the corporation and the general business does not consist, either wholly or in part, of the rendering of engineering services to the general public, provided that the corporation employs at least one person holding a certificate of registration under this chapter or practicing lawfully under the provisions of this chapter.”

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

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