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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 7‑13‑360, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO WRITE‑IN BALLOTS, SO AS TO DELETE THE PROHIBITION AGAINST WRITE‑IN VOTING FOR PRESIDENT AND VICE PRESIDENT.

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

SECTION 2. Section 7‑13‑360 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 419 of 1982, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑360. The ballots also shall ~~also~~ contain a place for voters to write in the name of ~~any other~~ another person for whom they wish to vote ~~except on ballots for the election of the President and Vice President~~.”

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

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