**A** **JOINT RESOLUTION**

TO APPROVE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, RELATING TO PREPAID LEGAL SERVICES CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION, DESIGNATED AS REGULATION DOCUMENT NUMBER 4709, 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 Department of Consumer Affairs, relating to Prepaid Legal Services Certificate of Registration, designated as Regulation Document Number 4709, 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 department proposes to amend Regulation 28‑1100 to clarify regulatory language to provide for licensing applications to be filed using the Department’s new online filing system.

Notice of Drafting for the proposed regulation was published in the *State Register* on August 26, 2016. Comments were solicited for consideration in drafting the proposed regulation. Proposed regulation was published in the *State Register* on October 28, 2016.

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