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**STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**



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**THURSDAY, JANUARY 17, 2019**  
**(STATEWIDE SESSION)**

**Thursday, January 17, 2019**  
**(Statewide Session)**

**Indicates Matter Stricken**

**Indicates New Matter**

The House assembled at 10:00 a.m.

Deliberations were opened with prayer by the SPEAKER, as follows:

Our thought for today is from Proverbs 9:6: "Lay aside immaturity, and live, and walk in the way of insight."

Let us pray. God of wisdom, help us to walk humbly in Your ways. Listen to the call of the Master and practice the wisdom and integrity that goes with our calling as people of God. Bless and protect these Representatives and staff as they strive to make laws for the benefit of all people. Protect our defenders of freedom and first responders as they protect us. Bless our Nation, President, President-elect, State, Governor, Speaker, staff, and all who serve in this Assembly. Heal the wounds, those seen and those hidden, of our brave warriors who suffer and sacrifice for our freedom. Lord, in Your mercy, hear our prayers. Amen.

Pursuant to Rule 6.3, the House of Representatives was led in the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag of the United States of America by the SPEAKER.

After corrections to the Journal of the proceedings of yesterday, the SPEAKER ordered it confirmed.

**MOTION ADOPTED**

Rep. TRANTHAM moved that when the House adjourns, it adjourn in memory of her grandmother, Louise Nanny Lawter, which was agreed to.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3645 -- Reps. Calhoon, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Bales, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brown, Bryant, Burns, Caskey, Chellis, Chumley, Clary, Clemons, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Forrester, Fry, Funderburk, Gagnon, Garvin, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers,

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Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, Johnson, Jordan, Kimmons, King, Kirby, Ligon, Loftis, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Mace, Mack, Magnuson, Martin, McCoy, McCravy, McDaniel, McGinnis, McKnight, Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, B. Newton, W. Newton, Norrell, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Ridgeway, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simmons, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, Sottile, Spires, Stavrinakis, Stringer, Tallon, Taylor, Thayer, Thigpen, Toole, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten, Young and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO REMEMBER AND CELEBRATE THE LIFE OF JOY HOLMAN, OF LEXINGTON COUNTY, COACH OF COLUMBIA'S DOUBLE DUTCH FORCES FOR MORE THAN THIRTY YEARS, AND TO HONOR HER, UPON HER PASSING, FOR HER REMARKABLE COMMITMENT TO YOUNG PEOPLE OF THE MIDLANDS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3646 -- Reps. Calhoon, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Bales, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brown, Bryant, Burns, Caskey, Chellis, Chumley, Clary, Clemons, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Forrester, Fry, Funderburk, Gagnon, Garvin, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, Johnson, Jordan, Kimmons, King, Kirby, Ligon, Loftis, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Mace, Mack, Magnuson, Martin, McCoy, McCravy, McDaniel, McGinnis, McKnight, Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, B. Newton, W. Newton, Norrell, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Ridgeway, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simmons, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, Sottile, Spires, Stavrinakis, Stringer, Tallon, Taylor, Thayer, Thigpen, Toole, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten, Young and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE PROFOUND SORROW OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES UPON THE PASSING OF ELLIS HOWARD DANTZLER OF LEXINGTON

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COUNTY AND TO EXTEND THEIR DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS LARGE AND LOVING FAMILY AND HIS MANY FRIENDS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3647 -- Rep. Mace: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE MAY 12, 2019, AS "MYALGIC ENCEPHALOMYELITIS AWARENESS DAY" AND THE MONTH OF MAY AS "MYALGIC ENCEPHALOMYELITIS AWARENESS MONTH" IN SOUTH CAROLINA IN ORDER TO HELP SPREAD AWARENESS OF THE DISEASE AND THE NEED FOR INCREASED RESEARCH FUNDING AND TO SUPPORT INDIVIDUALS LIVING WITH MYALGIC ENCEPHALOMYELITIS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3648 -- Rep. Gilliam: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE EXCEPTIONAL STANDARDS OF THE SOUTHSIDE FIRE DEPARTMENT IN THE CITY OF UNION AND TO CONGRATULATE THE CHIEF AND THE FIREFIGHTERS OF THE DEPARTMENT FOR FIFTY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE CITIZENS OF THE UNION COMMUNITY.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3649 -- Rep. Gilliam: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTIONS OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD LEADERSHIP COALITION TO FOSTER UNITY AMONG COMMUNITY MEMBERS AND LEADERS IN THE GREATER UNION AREA.

The Resolution was adopted.

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**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3650 -- Reps. Daning, Jefferson, Brown, R. Williams, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Bales, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Bryant, Burns, Calhoon, Caskey, Chellis, Chumley, Clary, Clemons, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Forrester, Fry, Funderburk, Gagnon, Garvin, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Johnson, Jordan, Kimmons, King, Kirby, Ligon, Loftis, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Mace, Mack, Magnuson, Martin, McCoy, McCravy, McDaniel, McGinnis, McKnight, Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, B. Newton, W. Newton, Norrell, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Ridgeway, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simmons, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, Sottile, Spires, Stavrinakis, Stringer, Tallon, Taylor, Thayer, Thigpen, Toole, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten, Young and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE MEN AND WOMEN WHO DEVOTED THEMSELVES TO THE SUCCESS OF THE CHARLESTON NAVAL SHIPYARD FOR NINETY-FIVE YEARS AND TO DESIGNATE APRIL 6, 2019, AS "CHARLESTON NAVAL SHIPYARD DAY" IN THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 3651 -- Reps. Funderburk, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Bales, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brown, Bryant, Burns, Calhoon, Caskey, Chellis, Chumley, Clary, Clemons, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Forrester, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, Johnson, Jordan, Kimmons, King, Kirby, Ligon, Loftis, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Mace, Mack,

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Magnuson, Martin, McCoy, McCravy, McDaniel, McGinnis, McKnight, Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, B. Newton, W. Newton, Norrell, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Ridgeway, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simmons, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, Sottile, Spires, Stavrinakis, Stringer, Tallon, Taylor, Thayer, Thigpen, Toole, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten, Young and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE PROFOUND SORROW OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES UPON THE PASSING OF WILSON LLOYD CLYBURN OF CAMDEN AND TO EXTEND THE DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY AND MANY FRIENDS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

The Senate sent to the House the following:

S. 377 -- Senators Young, Setzler and Massey: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE PROFOUND SORROW OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA GENERAL ASSEMBLY UPON THE PASSING OF CHIEF J. CARROL BUSBEE, SR., FORMER DIRECTOR OF THE AIKEN DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY, AND TO EXTEND THE DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HIS FAMILY AND MANY FRIENDS.

The Concurrent Resolution was agreed to and ordered returned to the Senate with concurrence.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bills were introduced, read the first time, and referred to appropriate committees:

H. 3652 -- Reps. Pendarvis, Thigpen, Rivers and S. Williams: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 37-3-413, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO SHORT-TERM VEHICLE-SECURED LOANS, SO AS TO ALTER CERTAIN SHORT-TERM VEHICLE-SECURED LOAN REQUIREMENTS INCLUDING EXTENDING THE REPAYMENT TERM AND SETTING CERTAIN RENEWAL REQUIREMENTS, TO ESTABLISH CERTAIN REQUIREMENTS BEFORE A LENDER MAY MAKE A LOAN AND

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TO PROVIDE THAT FAILURE TO MEET THESE REQUIREMENTS RENDERS THE LOAN VOID, AND TO UPDATE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE LOAN AGREEMENT.

Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry

H. 3653 -- Reps. Pendarvis, Thigpen, Rivers and S. Williams: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 46-3-290 SO AS TO ESTABLISH THE SOUTH CAROLINA URBAN FARMING GRANT PROGRAM, AND PROVIDE FOR ITS OPERATION AND ADMINISTRATION.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

H. 3654 -- Reps. Pendarvis, Moore, Rivers and S. Williams: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 10-1-220 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE OR ANY OF ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS, INCLUDING A SCHOOL DISTRICT, THAT IS PLANNING TO BUILD A NEW, OR IMPROVE AN EXISTING, PUBLIC FACILITY SHALL INCLUDE IN ITS PLANNING A STUDY OF CERTAIN TRANSIT-RIDER ACCESS TO THE LOCATION FOR THE PURPOSE OF DETERMINING IF THE ACCESS IS SAFE AND PRACTICAL.

Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works

H. 3655 -- Reps. Pendarvis and Moore: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING CHAPTER 39 TO TITLE 6 ENTITLED "TRANSIT-ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT PROJECTS" SO AS TO SET FORTH A PROCESS BY WHICH A COUNTY OR MUNICIPALITY MAY CREATE A TRANSIT-ORIENTED REDEVELOPMENT AGENCY TO DEVELOP CERTAIN AREAS IN CONNECTION WITH PLANNED OR EXISTING TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES.

Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works

H. 3656 -- Reps. Pendarvis, Moore, S. Williams and Garvin: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 57-1-30, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE FUNCTIONS AND PURPOSES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT SHALL IMPLEMENT A "COMPLETE STREETS" POLICY TO PROVIDE SAFE AND

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**EFFICIENT ACCOMMODATIONS FOR PEDESTRIANS, CYCLISTS, AND TRANSIT RIDERS.**

Referred to Committee on Education and Public Works

**H. 3657 -- Reps. Pendarvis and S. Williams: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 16-13-490 SO AS TO PROVIDE ENHANCED PENALTIES FOR A PERSON WHO COMMITS A VIOLENT CRIME AGAINST CERTAIN PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION EMPLOYEES AND WORKERS.**

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

**H. 3658 -- Rep. Rutherford: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 17-23-168 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A COURTESY SUMMONS MUST BE ISSUED WHEN CHARGES ARE DISMISSED OR NOT PROSED AFTER A PRELIMINARY HEARING WHEN A DEFENDANT IS SUBSEQUENTLY INDICTED BY A LOCAL OR STATE GRAND JURY FOR THE ORIGINAL OR SUBSTANTIALLY SIMILAR CHARGE OR CHARGES.**

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

**H. 3659 -- Reps. McCoy, Rose, Ballentine, Wooten, W. Newton, Mack, Sottile, Clary, Erickson, Herbkersman, Pendarvis, Stavrinakis, Ott, Gilliard, Bennett, Caskey, Murphy and B. Newton: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "SOUTH CAROLINA ENERGY FREEDOM ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 58-27-845 SO AS TO ENUMERATE SPECIFIC RIGHTS OWED TO EVERY ELECTRICAL UTILITY CUSTOMER IN SOUTH CAROLINA; BY ADDING SECTION 58-27-2350 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR JUDICIAL REVIEW OF VIOLATIONS OF AN ELECTRICAL UTILITY CUSTOMER'S RIGHTS; BY ADDING CHAPTER 41 TO TITLE 58 SO AS TO DEFINE RELEVANT TERMS, TO REQUIRE PERIODIC HEARINGS TO REVIEW AND APPROVE ELECTRICAL UTILITIES' AVOIDED COST METHODOLOGIES, STANDARD OFFERS, FORM CONTRACTS, AND COMMITMENT TO SELL FORMS, AND TO ESTABLISH POLICIES AND PROCEDURES FOR THESE HEARINGS, TO REQUIRE EACH ELECTRICAL UTILITY TO FILE A VOLUNTARY RENEWABLE ENERGY PROGRAM FOR THE COMMISSION'S REVIEW AND APPROVAL AND TO**

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ENUMERATE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS, TO REQUIRE EACH ELECTRICAL UTILITY TO ESTABLISH A NEIGHBORHOOD COMMUNITY SOLAR PROGRAM PLAN WITH A GOAL TO EXPAND ACCESS TO SOLAR ENERGY TO LOW-INCOME COMMUNITIES AND CUSTOMERS, AND TO ENUMERATE PROGRAM REQUIREMENTS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-4-10, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF, SO AS TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF "PUBLIC INTEREST"; TO AMEND SECTION 58-27-460, RELATING TO THE PROMULGATION OF STANDARDS FOR INTERCONNECTION OF RENEWABLE ENERGY, SO AS TO, AMONG OTHER THINGS, INCREASE THE MAXIMUM GENERATION CAPACITY OF THOSE RENEWABLE ENERGY FACILITIES FOR WHICH THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION SHALL PROMULGATE INTERCONNECTION STANDARDS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-27-2610, RELATING TO LEASES OF RENEWABLE ELECTRIC GENERATION FACILITIES, SO AS TO, AMONG OTHER THINGS, REMOVE THE SOLAR LEASING CAP; TO AMEND SECTION 58-33-110, RELATING TO REQUIRED PRECONSTRUCTION CERTIFICATIONS FOR MAJOR UTILITY FACILITIES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON MAY NOT BEGIN CONSTRUCTION OF A MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY WITHOUT FIRST HAVING MADE A DEMONSTRATION THAT THE FACILITY HAS BEEN SELECTED THROUGH AN INDEPENDENTLY MONITORED, ALL-SOURCE, PROCUREMENT PROCESS OVERSEEN BY AN INDEPENDENT EVALUATOR CHOSEN BY THE OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF; TO AMEND SECTION 58-33-140, RELATING TO THE PARTIES TO CERTIFICATION PROCEEDINGS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE PARTIES SHALL INCLUDE ANY INDEPENDENT POWER PRODUCER THAT IS PROPOSING AN ALTERNATIVE TO THE MAJOR UTILITY FACILITY; TO AMEND SECTION 58-37-40, RELATING TO INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLANS, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE EVALUATION OF THE ADOPTION OF RENEWABLE ENERGY, ENERGY EFFICIENCY, AND DEMAND RESPONSE IN INTEGRATED RESOURCE PLANS AND TO PROVIDE FOR CERTAIN REPORTING REQUIREMENTS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-40-10, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS APPLICABLE TO NET ENERGY METERING, SO AS TO REVISE THE DEFINITION OF "CUSTOMER-GENERATOR"; AND TO AMEND SECTION 58-40-20, RELATING TO NET ENERGY METERING, SO AS TO

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REQUIRE ELECTRICAL UTILITIES TO MAKE NET ENERGY METERING AVAILABLE TO CUSTOMER-GENERATORS UNTIL THE TOTAL INSTALLED NAMEPLATE GENERATING CAPACITY OF NET ENERGY METERING SYSTEMS EQUALS AT LEAST TWO PERCENT OF THE PREVIOUS FIVE-YEAR AVERAGE OF THE ELECTRICAL UTILITY'S SOUTH CAROLINA RETAIL PEAK DEMAND AND TO PROVIDE FOR A SUCCESSOR NET ENERGY METERING TARIFF.

Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry

H. 3660 -- Reps. McCoy, Mace, Taylor, Bennett, Rose, Stavrinakis and Gilliard: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "SOUTH CAROLINA COMPASSIONATE CARE ACT" BY ADDING ARTICLE 20 TO CHAPTER 53, TITLE 44 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE SALE OF MEDICAL CANNABIS AND THE CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH A SALE CAN OCCUR; TO DEFINE CERTAIN TERMS; TO PROVIDE FOR FEES AND TO CREATE CRIMINAL PENALTIES; TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL TO PROMULGATE REGULATIONS AND SUBMIT REPORTS; TO ESTABLISH A MEDICAL CANNABIS PROGRAM FUND AND TO PROVIDE FOR ITS PURPOSES; TO ESTABLISH A MEDICAL CANNABIS ADVISORY BOARD AND TO PROVIDE FOR ITS MEMBERSHIP AND DUTIES; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES; TO AMEND SECTION 12-36-2120, RELATING TO EXEMPTIONS FROM THE SOUTH CAROLINA SALES AND USE TAX, SO AS TO EXEMPT FROM SALES TAX CANNABIS SOLD BY A DISPENSARY TO A CARDHOLDER; AND TO REPEAL ARTICLE 4, CHAPTER 53, TITLE 44 RELATING TO CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES THERAPEUTIC RESEARCH.

Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs

H. 3661 -- Rep. McCoy: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 5-3-320 SO AS TO CLARIFY THE MEANING OF THE TERM "CONTIGUOUS" WHEN A MUNICIPALITY THAT IS LOCATED ENTIRELY WITHIN THE BORDERS OF A SPECIAL PURPOSE DISTRICT ANNEXES UNINCORPORATED PROPERTY THAT IS ALSO

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LOCATED WITHIN THE SAME SPECIAL PURPOSE DISTRICT AS THE ANNEXING MUNICIPALITY.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

H. 3662 -- Rep. McCoy: A BILL TO ADOPT REVISED CODE VOLUMES 3 AND 4 OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO THE EXTENT OF THEIR CONTENTS, AS THE ONLY GENERAL PERMANENT STATUTORY LAW OF THE STATE AS OF JANUARY 1, 2019.

On motion of Rep. MCCOY, with unanimous consent, the Bill was ordered placed on the Calendar without reference.

H. 3663 -- Reps. Pope and Tallon: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTIONS 16-3-100 AND 16-3-110 SO AS TO CREATE THE OFFENSES OF HOMICIDE AND GREAT BODILY INJURY BY FENTANYL, MORPHINE, METHAMPHETAMINE, OR HEROIN, RESPECTIVELY, TO PROVIDE PENALTIES, AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

H. 3664 -- Reps. Pope, McCoy, Rose, Simrill, Davis and McCravy: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 42-1-160, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE DEFINITIONS OF "INJURY" AND "PERSONAL INJURY" IN WORKERS' COMPENSATION, SO AS TO EXEMPT INJURIES SUSTAINED BY LAW ENFORCEMENT IN THE LINE OF DUTY FROM CERTAIN LIMITATIONS ON CLAIMS FOR INJURY CAUSED BY STRESS, MENTAL INJURY, OR MENTAL ILLNESS.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

H. 3665 -- Reps. Jefferson, Hosey, Willis, Brawley, Howard and R. Williams: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 12-21-625, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE CIGARETTE SURTAX, SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR AN ADDITIONAL CIGARETTE SURTAX EQUAL TO FIVE CENTS ON EACH CIGARETTE AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE SURTAX MUST BE CREDITED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION TO BE USED FOR EQUAL PAY RAISES FOR ALL K-12 PUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHERS.

Referred to Committee on Ways and Means

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**ROLL CALL**

The roll call of the House of Representatives was taken resulting as follows:

Alexander	Allison	Anderson
Atkinson	Bailey	Bales
Ballentine	Bamberg	Bannister
Bennett	Bernstein	Blackwell
Bradley	Brawley	Brown
Bryant	Burns	Calhoon
Caskey	Chellis	Chumley
Clary	Clemmons	Cobb-Hunter
Cogswell	Collins	B. Cox
W. Cox	Crawford	Daning
Davis	Dillard	Elliott
Erickson	Felder	Finlay
Forrest	Forrester	Fry
Funderburk	Gagnon	Garvin
Gilliam	Gilliard	Govan
Hart	Hayes	Henderson-Myers
Herbkersman	Hewitt	Hill
Hiott	Hixon	Hosey
Howard	Huggins	Hyde
Jefferson	Johnson	Jordan
Kimmons	King	Kirby
Ligon	Loftis	Long
Lowe	Lucas	Mace
Mack	Magnuson	Martin
McCoy	McCravy	McDaniel
McGinnis	Moore	Morgan
D. C. Moss	V. S. Moss	B. Newton
Norrell	Ott	Pendarvis
Pope	Ridgeway	Rivers
Rose	Rutherford	Simmons
Simrill	G. M. Smith	G. R. Smith
Sottile	Spires	Stavrinakis
Stringer	Tallon	Taylor
Thayer	Toole	Trantham
Weeks	West	Wheeler
White	Whitmire	R. Williams

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S. Williams  
Young

Willis  
Yow

Wooten

**Total Present--113**

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. MURPHY a leave of absence for the day due to business reasons.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. PARKS a leave of absence for the day due to medical reasons.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. CLYBURN a leave of absence for the day due to a death in the family.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. SANDIFER a leave of absence for the day due to a death in the family.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. HENEGAN a leave of absence for the day due to family medical reasons.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. W. NEWTON a leave of absence for the day due to a family commitment.

**DOCTOR OF THE DAY**

Announcement was made that Dr. H. Fritz Butehorn III of Spartanburg was the Doctor of the Day for the General Assembly.

**SPECIAL PRESENTATION**

Rep. COLLINS presented to the House the Easley High School Marching Band, directors, and other school officials.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. GOVAN a temporary leave of absence.

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**CO-SPONSORS ADDED AND REMOVED**

In accordance with House Rule 5.2 below:

“5.2 Every bill before presentation shall have its title endorsed; every report, its title at length; every petition, memorial, or other paper, its prayer or substance; and, in every instance, the name of the member presenting any paper shall be endorsed and the papers shall be presented by the member to the Speaker at the desk. A member may add his name to a bill or resolution or a co-sponsor of a bill or resolution may remove his name at any time prior to the bill or resolution receiving passage on second reading. The member or co-sponsor shall notify the Clerk of the House in writing of his desire to have his name added or removed from the bill or resolution. The Clerk of the House shall print the member's or co-sponsor's written notification in the House Journal. The removal or addition of a name does not apply to a bill or resolution sponsored by a committee.”

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3012  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 BRAWLEY

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3012  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 MOORE

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3020  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 CRAWFORD

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3109  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SIMMONS

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**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3114  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SIMMONS

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3116  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SIMMONS

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3151  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 FELDER

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3174  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 DANING and HIXON

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3210  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 COLLINS

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3257  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 KING and RIDGEWAY

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3258  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 KING

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3279  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 CLARY

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**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3315  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SIMMONS

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3332  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 JEFFERSON, R. WILLIAMS and GILLIARD

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3355  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 STRINGER

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3370  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 KIRBY

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3378  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 KIRBY and FORREST

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3396  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 STRINGER

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3399  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SIMMONS

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3449  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 ATKINSON and LIGON

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**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3578  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 STRINGER

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3579  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 STRINGER

**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3590  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 CLARY and BAMBERG

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3616  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 FUNDERBURK

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3622  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 SPIRES, W. COX, BALLENTINE, MACE, CLARY,  
POPE, FINLAY, WOOTEN, CASKEY,  
R. WILLIAMS, B. COX, BRAWLEY,  
FUNDERBURK, PENDARVIS, BANNISTER,  
KIRBY, COLLINS, BRYANT, WEST,  
STAVRINAKIS, HYDE, TALLON, CHELLIS,  
GARVIN, BERNSTEIN, HUGGINS, SIMRILL,  
OTT, McDANIEL, MOORE, KING, SIMMONS,  
BALES, BROWN, WEEKS, BAMBERG, ELLIOTT,  
DANING, COBB-HUNTER, ATKINSON,  
BRADLEY, MORGAN, MAGNUSON, WHEELER,  
S. WILLIAMS, NORRELL, CLEMMONS,  
CHUMLEY, LIGON and HART

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**CO-SPONSORS ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3630  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 CLARY, BROWN, GILLIARD, FUNDERBURK,  
NORRELL, KING, MACK, ERICKSON,  
BRADLEY, McDANIEL, MOORE and SIMMONS

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

Bill Number: H. 3639  
Date: ADD:  
01/17/19 FELDER

**CO-SPONSOR REMOVED**

Bill Number: H. 3352  
Date: REMOVE:  
01/17/19 JOHNSON and MCCRAVY

**S. 2--ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 2 -- Senators Campsen, Massey, Malloy and Setzler: A BILL TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE 1976 CODE, ALL RELATING TO APPOINTMENTS AND REPORTS RECEIVED BY THE PRESIDENT *PRO TEMPORE*, TO SUBSTITUTE THE "PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE" FOR THE "PRESIDENT *PRO TEMPORE* OF THE SENATE", "PRESIDENT *PRO TEMPORE*", OR "PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE *PRO TEMPORE*" IN ORDER TO CONFORM THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS WITH AMENDMENTS TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONSTITUTION ACT 214 OF 2014; AND TO MAKE TECHNICAL AND CONFORMING CHANGES TO THE 1976 CODE, ALL RELATING TO APPOINTMENTS AND REPORTS RECEIVED BY THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, TO SUBSTITUTE "PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE" FOR "LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR" OR TO STRIKE REFERENCES TO THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR IN ORDER TO CONFORM THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS RELATED TO THE DUTIES OF THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR WITH AMENDMENTS TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONSTITUTION ACT 214 OF 2014.

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The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:  
Yea 94; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Alexander	Allison	Anderson
Atkinson	Bailey	Bales
Ballentine	Bamberg	Bannister
Bennett	Bernstein	Blackwell
Bradley	Brawley	Brown
Bryant	Burns	Calhoon
Caskey	Chellis	Chumley
Clary	B. Cox	W. Cox
Davis	Dillard	Elliott
Erickson	Felder	Finlay
Forrest	Forrester	Fry
Funderburk	Gagnon	Garvin
Gilliam	Gilliard	Hayes
Henderson-Myers	Herbkersman	Hewitt
Hill	Hiott	Hixon
Hosey	Huggins	Hyde
Jefferson	Johnson	Jordan
Kimmons	Kirby	Ligon
Loftis	Long	Lowe
Lucas	Mace	Mack
Magnuson	Martin	McCrary
McDaniel	Moore	Morgan
D. C. Moss	V. S. Moss	B. Newton
Ott	Pendarvis	Pope
Ridgeway	Rivers	Simrill
G. R. Smith	Sottile	Spires
Stavrinakis	Stringer	Tallon
Taylor	Thayer	Toole
Weeks	West	Wheeler
White	Whitmire	R. Williams
S. Williams	Willis	Young
Yow		

**Total--94**

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Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

So, the Bill was read the second time and ordered to third reading.

**S. 2--ORDERED TO BE READ THIRD TIME TOMORROW**

On motion of Rep. SIMRILL, with unanimous consent, it was ordered that S. 2 be read the third time tomorrow.

**H. 3630--ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Joint Resolution was taken up:

H. 3630 -- Reps. Stavrinakis, McCoy, Collins, W. Newton, Mace, Clary, Brown, Gilliard, King, Mack, Erickson, Bradley, McDaniel, Moore, Simmons, Funderburk and Norrell: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO DELAY THE PROPERTY TAX PENALTY SCHEDULE BY THREE MONTHS ON REAL PROPERTY OWNED BY CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS AFFECTED BY THE SHUTDOWN OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.

Rep. STAVRINAKIS explained the Joint Resolution.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yea 109; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Alexander	Allison	Anderson
Atkinson	Bailey	Bales
Ballentine	Bamberg	Bannister
Bennett	Bernstein	Blackwell
Bradley	Brawley	Brown
Bryant	Burns	Calhoon
Caskey	Chellis	Chumley
Clary	Clemmons	Cobb-Hunter
Collins	B. Cox	W. Cox
Crawford	Daning	Davis
Dillard	Elliott	Erickson
Felder	Finlay	Forrest
Forrester	Fry	Funderburk
Gagnon	Garvin	Gilliam

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Gilliard	Hayes	Henderson-Myers
Herbkersman	Hewitt	Hill
Hiott	Hixon	Hosey
Howard	Huggins	Hyde
Jefferson	Johnson	Jordan
Kimmons	King	Kirby
Ligon	Loftis	Long
Lowe	Lucas	Mace
Mack	Magnuson	Martin
McCoy	McCrary	McDaniel
McGinnis	Moore	Morgan
D. C. Moss	V. S. Moss	B. Newton
Norrell	Ott	Pendarvis
Pope	Ridgeway	Rivers
Rose	Rutherford	Simmons
Simrill	G. R. Smith	Sottile
Spires	Stavrinakis	Stringer
Tallon	Taylor	Thayer
Toole	Trantham	Weeks
West	Wheeler	White
Whitmire	R. Williams	S. Williams
Willis	Wooten	Young
Yow		

**Total--109**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

So, the Joint Resolution was read the second time and ordered to third reading.

**RECORD FOR VOTING**

As I am attending a school function for my child today, I was unable to be in the House chamber this morning. As co-sponsor of H.3630, I would have voted to give the bill second reading.

Rep. Wm. Weston Newton

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**H. 3630--ORDERED TO BE READ THIRD TIME  
TOMORROW**

On motion of Rep. STAVRINAKIS, with unanimous consent, it was ordered that H. 3630 be read the third time tomorrow.

Rep. BALES moved that the House do now adjourn, which was agreed to.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 11:09 a.m. the House, in accordance with the motion of Rep. TRANTHAM, adjourned in memory of her grandmother, Louise Nanny Lawter, to meet at 10:00 a.m. tomorrow.

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