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COMMITTEE REPORT

March 27, 2019

**H. 4239**

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**THE COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE, NATURAL**

**RESOURCES AND ENVIRONMENTAL AFFAIRS**

To whom was referred a Bill (H. 4239) to amend Section 50‑5‑715, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to trawling restriction areas within the general trawling zone, so as to provide, etc., respectfully

**REPORT:**

That they have duly and carefully considered the same and recommend that the same do pass:

DAVID R. HIOTT for Committee.

**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 50‑5‑715, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO TRAWLING RESTRICTION AREAS WITHIN THE GENERAL TRAWLING ZONE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A CERTAIN AREA IS CLOSED TO TRAWLING FROM MAY FIRST THROUGH SEPTEMBER FIFTEENTH AND TO REMOVE LANGUAGE CONCERNING THIS AREA.

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

SECTION 1. Section 50‑5‑715(B) and (C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(B) Those areas described in subsections (A)(1) through ~~(A)(10)~~ (A)(11) are closed to trawling from May 1 through September 15, inclusive.

(C) ~~That area described in subsection (A)(11) is closed to trawling year round.~~ Reserved.”

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

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