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Indicates New Matter

The House assembled at noon.

Deliberations were opened with prayer by Rev. Charles E. Seastrunk, Jr., as follows:

Our thought for today is from Psalm 20:4: “May He grant you your heart’s desire, and fulfill all your plans.”

Let us pray. Healing God, give us the courage to share Your good news and bring healing to this World. God, You have transformed what was scary and threatening into something life sustaining and beautiful. Let the light of the morning star shine upon our lives to bring comfort to those in need. Grant courage to our people as we depend upon You, O Lord, for compassion and caring for our World, Nation, President, State, Governor, Speaker, Staff, and all who contribute to this great cause. Look in favor upon our men and women who give of themselves in service. Bless and keep our men and women 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 Friday, the SPEAKER ordered it confirmed.

**MOTION ADOPTED**

Rep. COBB-HUNTER moved that when the House adjourns, it adjourn in memory of the Honorable James Carlyle Williams, Jr., which was agreed to.

**COMMUNICATION**

The following was received:

State of South Carolina

Office of the Governor

Columbia, S.C., May 9, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

I am transmitting herewith an appointment for confirmation. This appointment is made with advice and consent of the House and Senate Members of the 4th Congressional Delegation and is therefore submitted for your consideration.

STATEWIDE APPOINTMENT

Department of Transportation Commission

Term Commencing: 2/15/2022

Term Expiring: 2/15/2026

Seat: 4th Congressional District

Vice: Woodrow Wilson Willard, Jr.

Mr. Maxson “Max” K. Metcalf

1128 Edwards Road

Greenville, South Carolina 29615-1638

Yours very truly,

Henry McMaster

Referred to the 4th Congressional Delegation

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following was received:

Columbia, S.C., Thursday, May 5, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House:

The Senate respectfully informs your Honorable Body that it concurs in the amendments proposed by the House to S. 1117:

S. 1117 -- Senator Climer: A BILL TO AMEND ARTICLE 2, CHAPTER 41, TITLE 46 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA GRAIN PRODUCERS GUARANTY FUND, TO EXPAND THE FUND TO INCLUDE COTTON PRODUCERS, TO ADD AN ASSESSMENT ON COTTON, TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT THE FUND MUST ACCUMULATE IN ORDER TO SUSPEND ASSESSMENTS, TO ESTABLISH THE SOUTH CAROLINA AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES COMMISSION AS A SUCCESSOR TO THE STATE AGRICULTURAL COMMISSION AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE MEMBERSHIP, POWERS, AND DUTIES OF THE NEW COMMISSION, AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS; TO AMEND SECTION 46-41-60 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATED TO SURETY BONDS FOR LICENSEES, TO PROVIDE THAT THE SURETY BOND VALUE IS BASED UPON A TIERED SYSTEM; AND TO AMEND SECTION 46-41-170 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATED TO PENALTIES, TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES.

and has ordered the Bill enrolled for ratification.

Very respectfully,

President

Received as information.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following was received:

Columbia, S.C., Thursday, May 5, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House:

The Senate respectfully informs your Honorable Body that it concurs in the amendments proposed by the House to S. 613:

S. 613 -- Senator Davis: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 40-33-42(C) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS ON THE DELEGATION OF TASKS TO UNLICENSED ASSISTIVE PERSONNEL UNDER THE NURSE PRACTICE ACT, TO PROVIDE AN EXCEPTION FOR CERTIFIED MEDICAL ASSISTANTS; TO AMEND ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 47, TITLE 40 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO PHYSICIANS AND MISCELLANEOUS HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONALS, BY ADDING SECTION 40-47-196, TO SPECIFY TASKS THAT CAN BE DELEGATED TO A CERTIFIED MEDICAL ASSISTANT; TO DELETE SECTION 40-47-30(A)(5) AND SECTION 40-47-935(C) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE RELEVANCE OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA PHYSICIAN ASSISTANTS PRACTICE ACT TO PROHIBITING A LICENSED PHYSICIAN FROM DELEGATING TASKS TO UNLICENSED PERSONNEL AND TO A PA DELEGATING CERTAIN TASKS TO UNLICENSED ASSISTIVE PERSONNEL; AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

and has ordered the Bill enrolled for ratification.

Very respectfully,

President

Received as information.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5352 -- Reps. T. Moore, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE DORMAN HIGH SCHOOL STRENGTH TEAM, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR AN OUTSTANDING SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM FOR CAPTURING THE 2022 SOUTH CAROLINA CLASS AAAAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5353 -- Reps. McCravy, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE NINETY SIX HIGH SCHOOL WRESTLING TEAM, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR A REMARKABLE SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM FOR WINNING THE 2022 SOUTH CAROLINA CLASS AA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5354 -- Reps. Forrest, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE WILLIE RAY FOX OF BATESBURG-LEESVILLE ON THE OCCASION OF HIS NINETY-NINTH BIRTHDAY AND TO WISH HIM MUCH HAPPINESS IN THE DAYS AHEAD.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5355 -- Reps. Sandifer and Whitmire: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS HEARTFELT GRATITUDE TO JERRY MIZE ON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE POSITION OF EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR AT THE TRIBBLE CENTER IN OCONEE AFTER FOUR DECADES DEDICATED TO IMPROVING THE LIVES OF SOUTH CAROLINIANS AND TO WISH HIM MUCH HAPPINESS AND SUCCESS IN ALL OF HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5356 -- Reps. Felder, Bryant, King, Ligon, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, B. Newton, Pope and Simrill: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE LIEUTENANT LONNIE "TERRY" VINESETT OF THE YORK COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT, TO COMMEND HIM FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE, AND TO WISH HIM MUCH HAPPINESS AND FULFILLMENT IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5357 -- Reps. T. Moore, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE DORMAN HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS VOLLEYBALL TEAM, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR AN OUTSTANDING SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM FOR WINNING THE 2021 CLASS AAAAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5358 -- Reps. T. Moore, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO HONOR THE DORMAN HIGH SCHOOL BOYS CROSS COUNTRY TEAM FOR A SUPERB SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THE TEAM MEMBERS AND THEIR COACHES ON WINNING THE 2020 CLASS AAAAA STATE CHAMPIONSHIP.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5359 -- Reps. Hyde, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE SPARTANBURG DAY SCHOOL BOYS GOLF TEAM FOR AN OUTSTANDING SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THE TEAM ON CAPTURING THE SCHOOL'S FIRST SOUTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL ASSOCIATION CLASS 2A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5361 -- Reps. Garvin, Atkinson, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS THE PROFOUND SORROW OF THE MEMBERS OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES UPON THE PASSING OF PEARL WILLIAMS MOODY, TO CELEBRATE HER LIFE, AND TO EXTEND THE DEEPEST SYMPATHY TO HER FAMILY AND MANY FRIENDS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5362 -- Rep. Wetmore: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND CHARLOTTE OVERTON MORAN OF SEABROOK ISLAND FOR HER LONGTIME EFFORTS, DEDICATION, AND WORK WITH HABITAT FOR HUMANITY AND TO CONGRATULATE HER UPON BEING AWARDED THE ANGEL OAK AWARD BY THE EXCHANGE CLUB OF KIAWAH-SEABROOK.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5363 -- Reps. McKnight, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO EXPRESS DEEP APPRECIATION FOR THE DEDICATED PUBLIC SERVICE OF ETHEL S. MCGILL, FORMER CLERK FOR THE WILLIAMSBURG COUNTY TAX COLLECTOR'S OFFICE, TO CONGRATULATE HER AT THE CELEBRATION OF HER RETIREMENT, AND TO WISH FOR HER A FUTURE BLESSED WITH GOOD HEALTH AND MUCH JOY.

The Resolution was adopted.

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5360 -- Rep. Forrest: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NAME THE PORTION OF SOUTH OAK STREET IN THE LEXINGTON COUNTY TOWN OF BATESBURG-LEESVILLE FROM ITS INTERSECTION WITH UNITED STATES HIGHWAY ONE TO ITS INTERSECTION WITH HOWARD STREET "REVEREND OSCAR 'O.C.' CAIN STREET" AND ERECT APPROPRIATE MARKERS OR SIGNS ALONG THIS PORTION OF HIGHWAY CONTAINING THESE WORDS.

The Concurrent Resolution was ordered referred to the Committee on Invitations and Memorial Resolutions.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Bill and Joint Resolution were introduced, read the first time, and referred to appropriate committees:

S. 1314 -- Transportation Committee: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES, RELATING TO DRIVER TRAINING SCHOOLS, DESIGNATED AS REGULATION DOCUMENT NUMBER 5105, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 23, TITLE 1 OF THE 1976 CODE.

Referred to Committee on Regulations and Administrative Procedures

S. 1315 -- Senators Climer and M. Johnson: A BILL TO AMEND ACT 470 OF 2000, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE ELECTION DISTRICTS OF MEMBERS OF ROCK HILL SCHOOL DISTRICT 3 IN YORK COUNTY, SO AS TO REAPPORTION THESE ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO UPDATE THE MAP NUMBER ON WHICH THESE SINGLE-MEMBER ELECTION DISTRICTS ARE DELINEATED, TO PROVIDE DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION REGARDING THESE REVISED ELECTION DISTRICTS, AND TO REMOVE ARCHAIC LANGUAGE.

Referred to York Delegation

**ROLL CALL**

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

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gatch |
| Gilliam | Gilliard | Govan |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Herbkersman |
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| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | King |
| Kirby | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| Matthews | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| McKnight | J. Moore | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | Murray | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total Present--114**

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. B. COX a leave of absence for the day due to a military commitment.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

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

**DOCTOR OF THE DAY**

Announcement was made that Dr. Chris Yeakel of Columbia was the Doctor of the Day for the General Assembly.

**CO-SPONSOR ADDED**

In accordance with House Rule 5.2 below:

**“**5.2Every 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**

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| Bill Number: | H. 4555 |
| Date: | ADD: |
| 05/10/22 | MAGNUSON |

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. GATCH a leave of absence for the remainder of the day.

**S. 1270--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1270 -- Senators Peeler, Fanning, Climer and M. Johnson: A BILL TO AMEND ACT 473 OF 2002, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE ELECTION DISTRICTS OF MEMBERS OF CLOVER SCHOOL DISTRICT 2 IN YORK COUNTY, SO AS TO REAPPORTION THESE ELECTION DISTRICTS, TO UPDATE THE MAP NUMBER ON WHICH THESE SINGLE-MEMBER ELECTION DISTRICTS ARE DELINEATED, TO PROVIDE DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION REGARDING THESE REVISED ELECTION DISTRICTS, AND TO REMOVE ARCHAIC LANGUAGE.

Rep. POPE proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1270 (COUNCIL\ZW\1270C001.AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting clause and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Section 1(A) of Act 473 of 2002, as last amended by Act 311 of 2014, is further amended to read:

“(A)(1) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, beginning with the elections conducted in ~~2014~~ 2022, the five election districts in which five of the seven members of the Board of Trustees of Clover School District No. 2 of York County are required to reside are established and delineated on map number ~~S‑91‑02‑14~~ S‑91‑02‑22 created and maintained by the ~~Office of Research and Statistics of the State Budget and Control Board~~ Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office.

(2) The demographic information shown on this map is as follows:

~~District~~ ~~Pop.~~ ~~Dev.~~ ~~% Dev.~~ ~~NH WHT %NHWHT~~

~~1~~ ~~6,906~~ ~~32~~ ~~0.47%~~ ~~5,258~~ ~~76.14%~~

~~2~~ ~~6,741~~ ~~‑133~~ ~~‑1.93%~~ ~~5,774~~ ~~85.65%~~

~~3~~ ~~6,850~~ ~~‑24~~ ~~‑0.35%~~ ~~6,128~~ ~~89.46%~~

~~4~~  ~~6,827~~ ~~‑47~~ ~~‑0.68%~~  ~~6,170~~ ~~90.38%~~

~~5~~ ~~7,044~~ ~~170~~ ~~2.47%~~ ~~6,102~~ ~~86.63%~~

~~Totals~~ ~~34,368~~ ~~29,432~~

~~District~~ ~~NHBLK~~ ~~%NHBLK~~ ~~VAP~~ ~~%NH DOJBLK~~ ~~VAP~~ ~~NHWVAP~~

~~1~~ ~~1,231~~ ~~17.83%~~ ~~5,004~~ ~~15.19%~~ ~~6,863~~ ~~3,936~~

~~2~~ ~~615~~ ~~9.12%~~ ~~5,055~~ ~~8. 55%~~ ~~7,348~~ ~~4,377~~

~~3~~ ~~392~~ ~~5.72%~~ ~~5,212~~ ~~6.14%~~ ~~7,087~~ ~~4,738~~

~~4~~  ~~393~~ ~~5.76%~~ ~~5,167~~ ~~9.66%~~ ~~6,847~~ ~~4,711~~

~~5~~ ~~486~~ ~~6.90%~~ ~~5,179~~ ~~9.83%~~ ~~6,708~~ ~~4,582~~

~~Totals~~ ~~3,117~~  ~~25,617~~ ~~9.91%~~ ~~22,344~~

~~District %NHWVAP~~  ~~NHBVAP~~ ~~%NHBVAP~~ ~~AllOth~~ ~~AllOthVAP~~

~~1~~ ~~78.66%~~ ~~832~~ ~~16.63%~~ ~~417~~ ~~236~~

~~2~~ ~~86.59%~~ ~~455~~ ~~9%~~ ~~352~~ ~~223~~

~~3~~ ~~90.91%~~ ~~268~~ ~~5.14%~~ ~~330~~ ~~206~~

~~4~~  ~~91.17%~~ ~~278~~ ~~5.38%~~ ~~264~~ ~~178~~

~~5~~ ~~88.47%~~ ~~324~~ ~~6.26%~~ ~~456~~ ~~273~~

~~Totals~~ ~~2,157~~ ~~8.42%~~ ~~1819~~ ~~1,116~~

District Pop. Dev. % Dev. Hisp. %Hisp.

1 9,448 266 2.90% 602 6.37%

2 9,285 103 1.12% 493 5.31%

3 9,060 ‑122 ‑1.33% 271 2.99%

4 8,951 ‑231 ‑2.52% 501 5.60%

5 9,164 ‑18 ‑0.20% 513 5.60%

Totals 45,908 2,380 5.18%

District NHWhite %NHWhite NH DOJ Blk %NH DOJ Blk VAP %VAP

1 7,221 76.43% 1,037 10.98% 6,867 72.68%

2 7,436 80.09% 794 8.55% 7,348 79.14%

3 7,354 81.17% 951 10.50% 7,083 78.18%

4 7,071 79.00% 865 9.66% 6,847 76.49%

5 7,140 77.91% 901 9.83% 6,708 73.20%

Totals 36,222 78.90% 4,548 9.91% 34,853

%NH DOJ

District HVAP %HVAP WVAP %NH WVAP NH DOJ BVAP BVAP

1 339 4.94% 5,424 78.99% 704 10.25%

2 324 4.41% 6,047 82.29% 595 8.10%

3 169 2.39% 5,830 82.31% 723 10.21%

4 340 4.97% 5,503 80.37% 641 9.36%

5 310 4.62% 5,415 80.72% 602 8.97%

Totals 1,482 4.25% 28,219 80.97% 3,265 9.37%”

SECTION 2. The exterior boundaries of Clover School District 2 in York County are not altered by the provisions of this act. These school district lines are as defined by law and any census blocks which may be divided are done so only for statistical purposes and to establish a population base.

SECTION 3. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. POPE explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 84; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Bannister |
| Bennett | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Bryant | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Collins | W. Cox |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henegan | Hewitt | Hiott |
| Hixon | Hosey | Howard |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| King | Kirby | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McDaniel |
| McGarry | McKnight | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Pope | Rivers | Rose |
| Rutherford | Sandifer | Simrill |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | White | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--84**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**RETURNED TO THE SENATE WITH AMENDMENTS**

The following Bill and Joint Resolution were taken up, read the third time, and ordered returned to the Senate with amendments:

S. 460 -- Senator Alexander: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-10 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE TRANSFER OF THE OFFICE OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL TO THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION AND THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL'S DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES, TO DELETE CERTAIN OBSOLETE LANGUAGE, TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES, AND TO PROVIDE THE DIVISION OF FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY'S PROGRAM AREAS; TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-20 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE DUTIES OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL, TO REVISE HIS DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES; TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-25(F)(2) AND (5) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE VOLUNTEER STRATEGIC ASSISTANCE AND FIRE EQUIPMENT PROGRAM, TO REVISE GRANT APPLICATION AND FUNDING PROCEDURES; TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-30 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO RESIDENT FIRE MARSHALS, TO REVISE THEIR DUTIES AND WHO MAY EXERCISE THESE DUTIES, AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL MAY PROMULGATE REGULATIONS REGARDING A FIRE MARSHAL'S TRAINING AND CERTIFICATION; TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-45 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF A CLASS D FIRE EQUIPMENT DEALER LICENSE OR A FIRE EQUIPMENT PERMIT, TO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF ADDITIONAL CLASSES OF LICENSES AND QUALIFICATIONS TO OBTAIN THESE LICENSES; TO AMEND SECTION 23-9-50 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL'S AUTHORITY TO INSPECT CERTAIN BUILDINGS OR PREMISES, TO REVISE THE CIRCUMSTANCES UPON WHICH HE MAY ENTER A BUILDING OR PREMISES; TO AMEND ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 9, TITLE 23 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL, BY ADDING SECTION 23-9-125, TO PROVIDE THAT THESE PROVISIONS MAY NOT BE CONSTRUED TO LIMIT THE AUTHORITY OF THE STATE BOARD OF PYROTECHNIC SAFETY OR THE REGULATION OF FIREWORKS; TO AMEND CHAPTER 10, TITLE 23 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA FIRE ACADEMY, TO MAKE TECHNICAL CHANGES; TO AMEND SECTION 23-49-120(B) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA FORESTRY COMMISSION'S ACCEPTANCE OF DONATIONS OF FIRE EQUIPMENT, TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF LABOR, LICENSING AND REGULATION, DIVISION OF FIRE AND LIFE SAFETY, MAY ALSO ACCEPT DONATIONS OF FIRE EQUIPMENT; TO AMEND SECTION 40-80-30(D) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO A FIREFIGHTER REGISTERING WITH THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL, TO REVISE THE COST AND PROCESS OF OBTAINING CERTAIN INDIVIDUAL FIGHTER RECORDS; AND TO REPEAL SECTIONS 23-9-35, 23-9-40, 23-9-60, 23-9-110, AND 23-9-130 OF THE 1976 CODE, ALL RELATING TO DUTIES OF THE STATE FIRE MARSHAL.

S. 17 -- Senators Rankin and Loftis: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO EXTEND CERTAIN GOVERNMENT APPROVALS AFFECTING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT WITHIN THE STATE.

**S. 236--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 236 -- Senator Young: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-1000, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO POOLING PRECINCTS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ANY PRECINCT CONTAINING THREE THOUSAND OR MORE VOTERS, AN INCREASE FROM FIVE HUNDRED OR MORE VOTERS, HAVE ITS OWN POLLING PLACE; THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL POOLED PRECINCTS CANNOT EXCEED THREE THOUSAND, AN INCREASE FROM ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED; AND THAT POOLED MUNICIPAL POLLING PLACES CANNOT BE MORE THAN FIVE MILES, AN INCREASE FROM THREE MILES, FROM THE NEAREST PART OF ANY POOLED PRECINCT.

Rep. HIXON moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 1025--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1025 -- Senators Shealy, Hutto and Jackson: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 44-63-80 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CERTIFIED COPIES OF BIRTH CERTIFICATES, TO EXPAND THE DEFINITION OF LEGAL REPRESENTATIVE AND TO ALTER THE PROCESS FOR OBTAINING BIRTH CERTIFICATES.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1025 (COUNCIL\HB\1025C002.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. LONG proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1025 (COUNCIL\VR\1025C001.BH.VR22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS TO READ:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. Section 44‑63‑100(A) and (D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) A petition may be filed in the South Carolina family court of petitioner’s residence, or if petitioner no longer resides in South Carolina, in a court of competent jurisdiction in the state of petitioner’s residence, for an order establishing a record of the name at birth, subsequent name changes, gender at birth, ~~gender changes,~~ date of birth, county of birth, and the full name of the mother prior to any marriages, and the full name of the biological father of the person whose birth is sought to be registered by way of a Delayed Certificate of Birth Established by Court Order.

(D) The court shall determine, and the order must include, the registrant’s name at birth, subsequent name changes, gender at birth, ~~gender changes,~~ the date of birth, the county of birth, the full name of the mother prior to any marriages, the full name of the biological father, and additional findings as the court considers necessary. The order also must include a description of the evidence presented to the court. The order must be forwarded by the clerk of court to the State Registrar no later than thirty days following the month in which the order was entered by the court.”

SECTION \_\_\_. Section 44‑63‑150 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 44‑63‑150. Correction of mistakes in birth and death certificates may be made by the state registrar upon written application duly verified and sworn to by the appropriate person as required by regulation and upon receipt of supporting evidence when required by regulation. Certificates corrected more than one year after the event must be marked ‘amended’. The state registrar shall certify the corrected certificate is the true certificate. Supporting affidavits of fact must be attached to the certificate corrected more than one year after the date of the event. No changes to gender or sex may be made, except in rare cases of a person born with a combination of male and female reproductive organs.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. LONG explained the amendment.

Rep. BERNSTEIN moved to table the amendment, which was agreed to by a division vote of 41 to 35.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 100; Nays 1

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Hart | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hiott |
| Hixon | Hosey | Huggins |
| Hyde | Jefferson | J. E. Johnson |
| J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Matthews | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| McKnight | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Rivers |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Sandifer | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | West |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
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**Total--100**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Brawley |  |  |

**Total--1**

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

**S. 243--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 243 -- Senator Young: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 63-7-940(A) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO AUTHORIZED USES OF UNFOUNDED CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT REPORTS, TO AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT CHILD FATALITIES OR NEAR FATALITIES; TO AMEND SECTION 63-7-1990(H) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE CONFIDENTIALITY AND RELEASE OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT RECORDS, TO AUTHORIZE THE RELEASE OF INFORMATION ABOUT CHILD FATALITIES OR NEAR FATALITIES; AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 243 (COUNCIL\HB\243C002.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_

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Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

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Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. BERNSTEIN proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to   
S. 243 (COUNCIL\VR\243C001.AR.VR22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 63‑7‑1990(H)(1) before the lettered subitems and inserting:

/ (H)(1) The state director or the director’s designee is authorized to prepare and release reports of ~~the results of the department’s investigations into the deaths of children in its custody or receiving child welfare services at the time of death~~ cases of child abuse or neglect which have resulted in a child fatality or near fatality provided that the disclosed information is limited to the following: /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. BERNSTEIN explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 102; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Brawley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Felder | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Garvin | Gilliam | Gilliard |
| Govan | Haddon | Hardee |
| Hart | Henegan | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Hosey | Huggins |
| Hyde | Jefferson | J. E. Johnson |
| J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| King | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Magnuson | Matthews |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McDaniel | McGarry | McKnight |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--102**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**S. 560--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Joint Resolution was taken up:

S. 560 -- Senator Scott: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO ESTABLISH THE HEIRS' PROPERTY STUDY COMMITTEE TO EXAMINE CURRENT AND PROSPECTIVE METHODS TO ADDRESS HEIR'S PROPERTY ISSUES IN SOUTH CAROLINA, TO PROVIDE FOR THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE COMMITTEE, TO REQUIRE THE COMMITTEE TO PREPARE A REPORT FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY, AND TO DISSOLVE THE STUDY COMMITTEE.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 560 (COUNCIL\HB\560C002.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the joint resolution, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. BERNSTEIN explained the Joint Resolution.

The question recurred to the passage of the Joint Resolution.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 95; Nays 10

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Gagnon |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Matthews | McCravy | McDaniel |
| McGarry | T. Moore | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Thigpen |
| Trantham | Weeks | West |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | Whitmire |
| R. Williams | Wooten |  |

**Total--95**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Fry | Gilliam | Hill |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| Morgan | White | Willis |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--10**

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

**S. 1092--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1092 -- Senator Martin: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 23-23-60, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF CERTIFICATES OF COMPLIANCE AND QUALIFICATION TO LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND PERSONS TRAINED BY THE CRIMINAL JUSTICE ACADEMY, AND THE LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING COUNCIL'S AUTHORITY TO OVERSEE THE OPERATION OF THE TRAINING OF LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS AND RECEIPT OF CERTAIN INFORMATION FROM GOVERNING BODIES ABOUT CANDIDATES SEEKING CERTIFICATION, SO AS TO PROVIDE DETENTION AND CORRECTIONAL OFFICER CANDIDATES MUST BE AT LEAST EIGHTEEN YEARS OF AGE.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1092 (COUNCIL\HB\1092C003.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

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E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. J. E. JOHNSON explained the Bill.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 105; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Dillard | Elliott |
| Erickson | Felder | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Hosey | Howard | Huggins |
| Hyde | Jefferson | J. E. Johnson |
| J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Magnuson |
| Matthews | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| McKnight | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Rivers |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--105**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**STATEMENT BY REP. HIOTT**

Rep. HIOTT made a statement relative to Rep. V. S. MOSS' service in the House.

**STATEMENT BY REP. V. S.  MOSS**

Rep. V. S.  MOSS made a statement relative to his service in the House.

Rep. GOVAN moved that the House recede until 2:45 p.m., which was agreed to.

**THE HOUSE RESUMES**

At 2:45 p.m. the House resumed, the SPEAKER *PRO TEMPORE* in the Chair.

**POINT OF QUORUM**

The question of a quorum was raised.

A quorum was later present.

Further proceedings were interrupted by expiration of time on the uncontested Calendar.

**SPEAKER IN CHAIR**

**RECURRENCE TO THE MORNING HOUR**

Rep. R. WILLIAMS moved that the House recur to the morning hour, which was agreed to.

**REPORT OF STANDING COMMITTEE**

Rep. HIOTT, from the Pickens Delegation, submitted a favorable report on:

S. 1304 -- Senator Rice: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE PICKENS COUNTY BOARD OF DISABILITIES AND SPECIAL NEEDS UPON THE OCCASION OF ITS FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY AND TO COMMEND THE ORGANIZATION FOR ITS MANY YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE TO THE PICKENS COMMUNITY AND THE PEOPLE AND THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

Ordered for consideration tomorrow.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5364 -- Reps. Rutherford, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND CORDIALLY WELCOME TO THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA THE HONORABLE MADAM MAYOR ELIZABETH SACKEY, THE FIRST FEMALE MAYOR OF THE CITY OF ACCRA, GHANA; AND TO WELCOME A DELEGATION FROM THE REPUBLIC OF GHANA AS THE CITY OF COLUMBIA AND THE COLUMBIA WORLD AFFAIRS COUNCIL   
CELEBRATES ELEVEN YEARS OF THE COLUMBIA-ACCRA SISTER CITY PARTNERSHIP.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5365 -- Reps. R. Williams, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE MRS. ROSA BRIGGS CARRAWAY OF HARTSVILLE ON THE GRAND OCCASION OF HER NINETY-SEVENTH BIRTHDAY, TO CELEBRATE THIS MOMENTOUS MILESTONE, AND TO WISH HER A JOYOUS BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5366 -- Reps. Cobb-Hunter, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR BUREAU OF PROTECTIVE SERVICES MASTER OFFICER DESMOND PERRY OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT, TO THANK HIM FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF OUTSTANDING SERVICE, AND TO WISH HIM CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5367 -- Reps. Gilliard, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR TESSA SPENCER, CO-ANCHOR FOR WCIV ABC NEWS 4 IN CHARLESTON, AND TO CONGRATULATE HER FOR MORE THAN THREE DECADES OF OUTSTANDING BROADCAST JOURNALISM.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5368 -- Reps. Willis, Trantham, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR TIMOTHY PATRICK "PAT" MOSES OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT, TO SALUTE HIM FOR OVER THIRTY-ONE YEARS OF EXCEPTIONALLY MERITORIOUS SERVICE, AND TO EXTEND BEST WISHES FOR CONTINUED SUCCESS AND FULFILLMENT IN THE YEARS TO COME.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5369 -- Reps. Erickson, Herbkersman, Bradley, W. Newton, Rivers, Gagnon, Alexander, M. M. Smith, Thayer, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CELEBRATE THE SIXTY-SIXTH BEAUFORT WATER FESTIVAL TO BE HELD ON JULY 15-24, 2022, AND TO HONOR THOSE WHO ORGANIZE, SPONSOR, VOLUNTEER FOR, AND PARTICIPATE IN THE FESTIVAL.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5370 -- Rep. Hayes: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR TIM FAULK OF DILLON COUNTY UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS SIXTIETH BIRTHDAY, TO WISH HIM MANY YEARS OF CONTINUED HEALTH AND HAPPINESS, AND TO

EXPRESS GRATEFUL THANKS FOR HIS MANY YEARS OF COMMUNITY SERVICE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5371 -- Reps. Murphy, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE JOSEPH R. "JOE" PYE, SUPERINTENDENT OF DORCHESTER SCHOOL DISTRICT TWO, ON HIS RETIREMENT AFTER AN HONORED CAREER OF MORE THAN HALF A CENTURY IN THE FIELD OF EDUCATION AND TO EXTEND BEST WISHES FOR MUCH FULFILLMENT AND JOY IN THE DAYS TO COME.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5372 -- Reps. Ballentine, Calhoon, Caskey, Forrest, May, McCabe, Ott, Wooten, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Carter, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND THE HONORABLE CHIP HUGGINS OF LEXINGTON COUNTY FOR HIS DEDICATED SERVICE IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES ON BEHALF OF HIS CONSTITUENTS AND THE CITIZENS OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND TO WISH HIM MUCH SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5373 -- Rep. Dillard: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES NAME ITS FACILITY LOCATED AT 122 EDGEWORTH STREET IN THE CITY OF GREENVILLE IN GREENVILLE COUNTY IN HONOR OF CONGRESSIONAL MEDAL OF HONOR RECIPIENT LIEUTENANT MICHAEL EDWARD THORNTON, UNITED STATES NAVY.

The Concurrent Resolution was ordered referred to the Committee on Invitations and Memorial Resolutions.

**S. 236--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 236 -- Senator Young: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-1000, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO POOLING PRECINCTS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ANY PRECINCT CONTAINING THREE THOUSAND OR MORE VOTERS, AN INCREASE FROM FIVE HUNDRED OR MORE VOTERS, HAVE ITS OWN POLLING PLACE; THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL POOLED PRECINCTS CANNOT EXCEED THREE THOUSAND, AN INCREASE FROM ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED; AND THAT POOLED MUNICIPAL POLLING PLACES CANNOT BE MORE THAN FIVE MILES, AN INCREASE FROM THREE MILES, FROM THE NEAREST PART OF ANY POOLED PRECINCT.

Rep. TAYLOR moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 133--AMENDED AND REQUESTS FOR DEBATE**

The following Joint Resolution was taken up:

S. 133 -- Senators Massey, Gustafson, Rice, Hembree, Kimbrell, Turner, Bennett, Climer, Garrett, Cash, Adams, Verdin, Peeler, Grooms, Young, Campsen, M. Johnson, Talley, Goldfinch, Shealy, Cromer, Senn and Fanning: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO MAKE APPLICATION TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES TO CALL A CONVENTION FOR PROPOSING AMENDMENTS PURSUANT TO ARTICLE V OF THE UNITED STATES CONSTITUTION LIMITED TO PROPOSING AMENDMENTS THAT IMPOSE FISCAL RESTRAINTS ON THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, LIMIT THE POWER AND JURISDICTION OF THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT, AND LIMIT THE TERMS OF OFFICE FOR ITS OFFICIALS AND FOR MEMBERS OF CONGRESS; TO PROVIDE CERTAIN RESERVATIONS, UNDERSTANDINGS, AND DECLARATIONS LIMITING THE APPLICATION; AND TO PROVIDE CERTAIN SELECTION CRITERIA FOR DELEGATES TO A CONVENTION OF THE STATES AS WELL AS LIMITATIONS UPON THEIR AUTHORITY.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 133 (COUNCIL\HB\133C002.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the joint resolution, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

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Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Address of Witness”

F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. W. NEWTON explained the Joint Resolution.

Reps. HILL, LONG, BAMBERG, BRAWLEY, KIRBY, BURNS, CHUMLEY, MCDANIEL, WETMORE, R. WILLIAMS and MAGNUSON requested debate on the Joint Resolution.

**S. 1031--AMENDED AND REQUESTS FOR DEBATE**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1031 -- Senators Campsen, Grooms, Senn, Loftis and Verdin: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 30-5-10 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS, SO AS TO PROVIDE QUALIFICATIONS TO BE ELIGIBLE TO HOLD THE OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1031 (COUNCIL\HB\1031C002.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

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Address of Witness”

E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Address of Witness”

F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. W. NEWTON explained the Bill.

Reps. KING, COBB-HUNTER, BRAWLEY, HENEGAN, J. L. JOHNSON and MAGNUSON requested debate on the Bill.

**S. 202--AMENDED AND REQUESTS FOR DEBATE**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 202 -- Senators Hembree and Bennett: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 1-6-10(1) AND (5) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS FOR THE OFFICE OF THE STATE INSPECTOR GENERAL, TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

The Committee on Judiciary proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 202 (COUNCIL\HB\202C003.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_. Section 7‑3‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection to read:

“( ) The commission and the executive director shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title, including plenary authority to supervise and standardize the performance, conduct, and practices of the county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5 to administer elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards’ compliance with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, and regulations regarding the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process. The State Election Commission may promulgate regulations necessary to effectuate the provisions of this subsection.”

SECTION \_\_\_. A. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Monday through Saturday for a two‑week period preceding a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, a primary, special elections, and all municipal elections, all qualified electors of this State must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot. To the extent time permits, and for a period of time as may be determined by the Executive Director of the State Election Commission, all qualified electors must be allowed to cast an early in‑person ballot prior to a primary runoff.

(B) The period of early voting begins at 8:30 a.m. and ends at 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period, excluding Sunday, until the conclusion of the early voting period at 6:00 p.m. on the Saturday immediately prior to the election.

(C) For a general election conducted pursuant to Section 7‑13‑10, each county board of voter registration and elections must establish early in‑person voting locations in an amount based on the following formulas, whichever is higher, but not to exceed seven locations:

(1) The number of registered voters in the county:

(a) 1 ‑ 39,999 voters: one location

(b) 40,000 ‑ 79,999 voters: two locations

(c) 80,000 ‑ 119,999 voters: three locations

(d) 120,000 ‑ 159,999 voters: four locations

(e) 160,000 ‑ 199,999 voters: five locations

(f) 200,000 ‑ 239,999 voters: six locations

(g) 240,000 voters and up: seven locations

(2) The size of the county in square miles:

(a) 0‑199 square miles: one location

(b) 200‑399 square miles: two locations

(c) 400‑599 square miles: three locations

(d) 600‑799 square miles: four locations

(e) 800‑999 square miles: five locations

(f) 1000‑1199 square miles: six locations

(g) 1200 square miles and up: seven locations

(D) If the main office of each county board of voter registration and elections is used for an early in‑person voting location, it constitutes one of the early in‑person voting locations as delineated in this section.

(E)(1) County boards of voter registration and elections must determine locations for early voting centers. In selecting locations, boards must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. Boards must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible. The Executive Director of the State Election Commission may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution through each county.

(2) When the early in‑person location formulas in subsection (C)(1) and (C)(2) produce results that differ by four or more locations, the Executive Director may authorize a county board to use two fewer than the higher number determined in subsection (C). The Executive Director also may authorize the loss of an early in‑person location due to an emergency such as fire or flood.

(F) The county election board must set and publish the location of each early in‑person voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county election board.

(G) Upon the daily closure of each early in‑person voting location during the period established in subsection (B), all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(H) County boards of voter registration and elections, in their discretion, may establish any number of early in‑person voting locations for use in primary, primary runoff, special elections, and all municipal elections, and the formulas provided in this section do not apply.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.”

B. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ may not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate may not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate may not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

C. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name may not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

D. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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E. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed. The address and printed name of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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F. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open, to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person:

(1) students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(2) persons serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them;

(3) governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them; or

(4) ~~persons on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ overseas citizens.

(B) Qualified electors in any of the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections;

(3) certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day;

(4) persons attending sick or physically disabled persons;

(5) persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election;

(6) persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;

(7) persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;

(8) persons sixty‑five years of age or older;

(9) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or

(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them.

(C) Qualified electors must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in all elections when they are going to be absent from their county of residence for the duration of the early voting period and on election day.”

G. Section 7‑15‑340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑340. (A) The application required in Section 7‑15‑330 to be submitted to these election officials must be in a form prescribed and distributed by the State Election Commission; except that persons listed in Section 7‑15‑320(2), (3), (6), and (10) may use Standard Form 76, or any subsequent form replacing it, provided by the federal government as a simultaneous request for registration and an absentee ballot or a request for an absentee ballot if already registered.

(B)(1) The application must contain the following information: name, registration certificate number, address, absentee address, election of ballot request, election date, runoff preference, party preference, reason for request, oath of voter, and voter’s signature.

(2) The application also must contain the last four digits of the voter’s social security number.

(C) The oath must be as follows: ‘I do swear or affirm that I am a qualified elector, that I am entitled to vote in this election, and that I will not vote again during this election. The information above is true in all respects, and I hereby apply for an absentee ballot for the reason indicated above.’ Any person who fraudulently applies for an absentee ballot in violation of this section, upon conviction, must be punished in accordance with Section 7‑25‑20.”

H. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must then return the return‑addressed envelope to the board of voter registration and elections by mail, by personal delivery, or by authorizing another person to return the envelope for him. The authorization must be given in writing on a form prescribed by the State Election Commission and must be turned in to the board of voter registration and elections at the time the envelope is returned. The voter must sign the form, or in the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which the appropriate elections official or employee shall record the specific form of government‑issued photo identification presented by the authorized returnee. The authorization must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the board of voter registration and elections must note the authorization, and the name of the authorized returnee, and the authorized returnee’s form of government‑issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter’s immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7‑15‑380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330 the date the return‑addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board. The board must securely store the envelopes in a locked box within the office of the board of voter registration and elections.

(B)(1) When an authorized returnee presents himself to the board of voter registration and elections to deliver a return‑addressed envelope in person pursuant to subsection (A), he shall produce a valid and current:

(a) South Carolina driver’s license;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter pursuant to Section 7‑5‑675.

(2) The appropriate elections official or employee who receives a return‑addressed envelope from an authorized returnee shall:

(a) compare the photograph contained on the required identification with the person presenting himself as an authorized returnee; and

(b) verify that the photograph is that of the person personally delivering the return‑addressed envelope.”

I. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots. At ~~9:00 a.m.~~ 6:01 p.m. on the Saturday immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7‑5‑10~~, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure. After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied in this manner, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest. Beginning at ~~9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on the calendar day immediately preceding election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot. The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.

(B) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.”

J. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑15‑325. Any voter who goes to a polling location to vote in person on election day and who has been designated as having previously voted absentee is entitled to cast a provisional ballot. The voter’s provisional ballot must be counted only if the county board of voter registration and elections has a record that the voter’s absentee ballot was not received.”

K. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

L. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately numbered item at the end to read:

“( ) establish rules and regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities.”

M. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

N. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑330. To vote by absentee ballot, a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence. A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of a representative. This signed oath must be kept on file with the board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate or a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, including campaign volunteers ~~reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family. A person may not request absentee applications for more than ten qualified electors in addition to himself. A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held. However, completed applications must be returned to the county board of voter registration and elections in person or by mail before 5:00 p.m. on the fourth day before the day of the election. Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320. A member of the immediate family of a person who is admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the board of voter registration and elections. The board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election. A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

O. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding an appropriately lettered subsection at the end to read:

“( ) Security protocols for voter registration information maintained and developed by the State Election Commission shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

P. Section 7‑5‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑430. Immediately preceding each general election or any special election, the county board of voter registration and elections must furnish one registration book for each polling precinct in the county containing the names of all electors entitled to vote at each precinct. Security protocols for electronic poll books shall be generally consistent with current industry security standards, and in promulgating this requirement, the State Election Commission shall consider those security standards issued by the National Institute of Standards and Technology, the Cybersecurity and Infrastructure Security Agency, and the federal Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify, at least annually, that the State of South Carolina has substantially complied with the requirements of this section.”

Q. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which does not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

R. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

S. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before any decision is made to procure or use any kind of voting system, input shall be sought from a wide variety of sources including the public, the academic community, public interest organizations, local election officials, and policy makers. Both written and oral testimony shall be accepted from all who wish to participate. This input shall be considered in procurement of a new voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) To attain a measure of integrity over the process, the optical scan voting system also must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast, such that records of individual ballots are maintained by a subsystem independent and distinct from the main vote detection, interpretation, processing, and reporting path. The electronic images of each ballot must protect the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter, for example, by means of storage location scrambling. The ballot image records may be either machine‑readable or manually transcribed, or both, at the discretion of the vendor.

(N) All electronic records of configurations, software logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that the state or federal law requires for all election‑related materials.”

T. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ prohibits, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) automatic adjudication functions.”

U. Section 7‑13‑1370 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1370. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely ~~of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed~~ by the State Election Commission~~, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A serially numbered stub and strip shall be attached to each ballot card in a manner and form similar to that prescribed by law for paper ballots~~.”

V. Section 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. Notwithstanding any other provision of law to the contrary, if these voting system standards have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

W. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) During anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot, the voting machine and any counting device shall not:

(1) be connected to the Internet or an external network;

(2) be capable of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) establish a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; or

(4) allow automatic adjudication functions.

(E) All electronic records of configurations, software, logs, security devices, ballot images, hardware, and voting system firmware must be preserved for the same amount of time that state or federal law requires for all election related materials.”

X. Section 7‑13‑1710 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1710. In every county, city or town providing voting machines, the board of voter registration and elections shall furnish to the managers of election a sufficient number of ballots ~~printed on clear white paper, of such form and size as will fit the ballot frames of the machines, the arrangement of the names of the candidates on such ballots to be~~ prescribed by the board of voter registration and elections. Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission. Party nominations shall be arranged on each voting machine either in columns or horizontal rows, as shall nominations by petition, and the captions of the various ballots on such machines shall be so placed as to indicate to the voter what push knob, key lever or other device is to be used or operated in order to vote for the candidate or candidates of his choice.”

Y. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

Z. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all qualified electors eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state since making the previous report. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. The bureau must provide this information at no charge.”

AA. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct a general registration list maintenance program every year to protect the integrity of the electoral process by ensuring the maintenance of accurate and current voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system. The program must be uniform, nondiscriminatory, and in compliance with the Voting Rights Act of 1965, the National Voter Registration Act of 1993, and the Help America Vote Act of 2002.

~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~(C) ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector’s actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both~~ The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. The executive director is authorized to cause at his discretion the official list of electors to be compared to the National Change of Address information supplied by the United States Postal Service through its licensees periodically for the purpose of identifying those electors whose addresses have changed. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the State providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

~~(c)~~(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall ~~contact~~ send a notice to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection ~~(A)(2)(a)~~ (B) and (C) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency. The notice as described in Section 7‑5‑330(F)(2) must be sent within seven days after identification of a discrepancy.

~~(3)~~ ~~The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.~~”

BB. Sections 7‑5‑330 and 7‑5‑340 of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of this item is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct an official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.

Section 7‑5‑340. The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; or

~~(b)~~(d) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from official lists of voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

CC. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State and promptly shall investigate all reported violations.”

DD. Article 6, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database/list maintenance including, but not limited to, number of voters removed and the reason for such removal from the official list of eligible voters, voters placed on inactive status, new voter registrations, and voter registration updates or address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

EE. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.”

FF. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) conduct, in conjunction with the county boards of voter registration and elections, as necessary, postelection hand-count audits after each statewide general election. Five percent of all ballots cast in each county must be audited pursuant to this item unless the commission determines a higher percentage is warranted;

( ) establish other methods of auditing election results which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

GG. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

HH. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

II. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

JJ. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

KK. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.” LL. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

MM. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

NN. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. B. NEWTON explained the amendment.

Rep. W. NEWTON explained the Bill.

Reps. GOVAN, J. L. JOHNSON, MCDANIEL, OTT, HENEGAN, THIGPEN, RIVERS, ROBINSON and JEFFERSON requested debate on the Bill.

**S. 906--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 906 -- Senator Shealy: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 43-35-10(3) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF "EXPLOITATION" IN THE "OMNIBUS ADULT PROTECTION ACT", TO AMEND THE DEFINITION OF "EXPLOITATION" TO INCLUDE THE EXERCISE OF EXTREME UNDUE INFLUENCE OVER, COERCIVE PERSUASION OF, OR PSYCHOLOGICALLY DAMAGING MANIPULATION OF A VULNERABLE ADULT; AND TO FURTHER AMEND SECTION 43-35-10 BY ADDING A DEFINITION FOR "UNDUE INFLUENCE".

Rep. W. NEWTON moved to adjourn debate on the Bill until Wednesday, May 11, which was agreed to.

**SPEAKER *PRO TEMPORE* IN CHAIR**

**S. 1237--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1237 -- Senators McLeod, Matthews, Shealy, Senn, Gustafson and Malloy: A BILL TO AMEND ARTICLE 142, CHAPTER 3, TITLE 56, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ISSUANCE OF "UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2017 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NATIONAL CHAMPIONS" SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES, SO AS TO ALSO PROVIDE FOR THE ISSUANCE OF "UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA 2022 WOMEN'S BASKETBALL NATIONAL CHAMPIONS" SPECIAL LICENSE PLATES BY THE DEPARTMENT.

The Committee on Education and Public Works proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1237 (COUNCIL\CM\1237C003. GT.CM22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Article 142, Chapter 3, Title 56 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Article 142

‘University of South Carolina 2017 and 2022 Women’s Basketball National Champions’ Special License Plates

Section 56‑3‑14210. (A)(1) The Department of Motor Vehicles shall issue ‘University of South Carolina 2017 and 2022 Women’s Basketball National Champions’ special license plates to owners of private passenger motor vehicles, as defined in Section 56‑3‑630, or motorcycles as defined in Section 56‑3‑20, registered in their names.

(B) The University of South Carolina may submit to the department for its approval the emblem, seal, or other symbol it desires to be used for its respective special license plate.

(C) The requirements for production, collection, and distribution of fees for the plate are those set forth in Section 56‑3‑8100. The biennial fee for this plate is the regular registration fee set forth in Article 5, Chapter 3 of this title plus an additional fee of seventy dollars. Any portion of the additional seventy‑dollar fee not set aside to defray costs of production and distribution must be distributed to the fund established for the University of South Carolina pursuant to Section 56‑3‑3710(B) used for the purposes provided in that section.

(D) License number ‘1’ for the ‘University of South Carolina 2017 and 2022 Women’s Basketball National Champions’ license ~~plate is~~ plates are reserved for the University of South Carolina Women’s Basketball Coach.

(E) The department must issue to registrants who have a license plate commemorating only the 2017 Women’s Basketball National Championship the license plate commemorating both the 2017 and 2022 national championship once the 2017 license plate reaches the end of its ten-year lifecycle. This subsection does not apply to registrants who choose to switch to the ‘2017 and 2022’ license plate on their own.”

SECTION 2. Section 56‑3‑14970(A) of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“(A) The department may issue the following special license plates reflective of military service for private passenger vehicles and motorcycles to active or prior service members associated with the following military components or designations:

(1) Veteran or Veteran wheelchair if the registrant qualifies for handicapped parking pursuant to Section 56‑3‑1910(H)

(2) Female Veteran or Female Veteran wheelchair if the registrant qualifies for handicapped parking pursuant to Section 56‑3‑1910(H)

(3) Combat‑Related Disabled Veteran ‑ the registrant must have a combat‑related disability as evidenced by a letter from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs defining a combat and operations‑related disability

(4) Army

(5) Marine Corps

(6) Navy

(7) Air Force

(8) Coast Guard

(9) US Space Force

(10) National Guard‑ Army

~~(10)~~(11) National Guard‑ Air

~~(11)~~(12) National Guard‑ Retired

~~(12)~~(13) US Military Reserve‑ Army

~~(13)~~(14) US Military Reserve‑ Marine Corps

~~(14)~~(15) US Military Reserve‑ Navy

~~(15)~~(16) US Military Reserve‑ Air Force

~~(16)~~(17) US Military Reserve‑ Coast Guard

~~(17)~~(18) US Armed Forces Retired

~~(18)~~(19) State Guard.”

SECTION 3. Section 56-3-14940(B) of the 1976 Code as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“(B) The qualifying service member or veteran must be one of the registrants of the vehicle. No more than three license plates may be issued to the award recipient. License plates for medals specified in subsection (A) are ~~subject to~~ exempt from the regular motor vehicle registration fee contained in Article 5, Chapter 3, Title 56 ~~but no additional specialty plate fee~~. These special license plates must be issued or revalidated for a biennial period which expires twenty‑four months from the month they are issued. Any registration fees collected pursuant to this section from May 6, 2022, to the effective date of this act shall be refunded by the Department of Motor Vehicles.”

SECTION 4. Section 56-3-14960(A) of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“(A) The department may issue the following special license plates reflective of meritorious service for private passenger vehicles and motorcycles to active or prior service members who received the following awards:

(1) Air Medal

(2) Bronze Star (service)

(3) Meritorious Service Medal.”

SECTION 5. Section 56-3-14980(A) of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“(A) The department may issue the following types of special license plates showing support for military‑related private organizations for private passenger vehicles and motorcycles to members of the general public that will financially benefit the following organizations:

(1) Blue Star Family

(2) Veterans of Foreign Wars

(3) American Legion

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(5) American Veterans

(6) Marine Corps League

(7) Chief Petty Officer

(8) Support Our Troops.”

SECTION 6. Section 56-3-14990 of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“Upon the death of an award recipient, a surviving spouse may apply to the department for a license plate issued under the provisions of Sections ~~56‑3‑14710, 56‑3‑14720, or 56‑3‑14730(A)(3)~~ 56-3-14910, 56-3-14920, or 56-3-14930(A)(3). The surviving spouse may apply to the department to transfer a license plate previously issued to the award recipient under the provisions of Section ~~56‑3‑14710, 56‑3‑14720, or 56‑3‑14730(A)(3)~~ 56-3-14910, 56-3-14920, or 56-3-14930(A)(3) pursuant to Section 56‑3‑210(G). The surviving spouse must turn the plate into the department when the surviving spouse is no longer eligible for surviving spouse military benefits.”

SECTION 7. Section 56-3-15000 of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

“License plates first issued to registrants under previous ~~award criteria~~ requirements are not subject to the revised ~~award documentation~~ requirements that a person must ~~provide the department upon applying~~ meet to apply for a plate specified in this article.”

SECTION 8. Article 20, Chapter 3, Title 56 is repealed.

SECTION 9. SECTION 1 of this act takes effect upon approval by the Governor. SECTIONS 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 of this act take effect May 6, 2022. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. MORGAN explained the amendment.

Rep. MORGAN moved to table the amendment, which was agreed to.

Reps. ALLISON and MORGAN proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1237 (COUNCIL\CM\1237C004.GT.CM22), which was adopted:

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Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. MORGAN explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. MORGAN explained the Bill.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 108; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Bamberg |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brawley |
| Brittain | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Govan | Haddon | Hardee |
| Hart | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | Matthews | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McDaniel |
| McGarry | McKnight | J. Moore |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | Murray |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Rivers |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Taylor | Tedder |
| Thayer | Thigpen | Trantham |
| Weeks | West | Wetmore |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--108**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**S. 1077--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1077 -- Senators Alexander, Rankin, Massey, K. Johnson, Sabb, Garrett, Gambrell, McElveen, Kimbrell, Stephens, McLeod, M. Johnson, Kimpson, Hutto, Grooms, Climer, Davis, Gustafson, Williams, Loftis, Fanning, Adams and Scott: A BILL TO AMEND CHAPTER 27, TITLE 58 OF THE 1976 CODE BY ADDING ARTICLE 8, TO ALLOW THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION TO AUTHORIZE THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS FOR THE PURPOSES OF OFFSETTING AND REDUCING PRUDENTLY INCURRED COSTS FOR STORM RECOVERY ACTIVITY AND TO ESTABLISH THE REQUIREMENTS AND PROCESSES FOR THE AUTHORIZATION OF THESE BONDS; AND TO AMEND SECTION 36-9-109 TO MAKE FURTHER CONFORMING CHANGES.

The Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1077 (COUNCIL\ZW\1077C009. AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Pages 4‑5, by striking Section 58‑27‑1105(16)(a) and inserting:

/ (16) The term ‘storm recovery costs’ means:

(a) all incremental costs, including capital costs, appropriate for recovery from existing and future retail customers receiving transmission or distribution service from an electrical utility that an electrical utility has incurred as a result of the applicable storm that are caused by, associated with, or remain as a result of undertaking storm recovery activity.

(b) Storm recovery costs shall be net of applicable insurance proceeds, tax benefits, income tax savings, and any other amounts intended to reimburse the electrical utility for storm recovery activities such as government grants, or aid of any kind and where determined appropriate by the commission, and may include adjustments for capital replacement and operating costs previously considered in determining normal amounts in the electrical utility’s most recent general rate proceeding. Storm recovery costs may include, to the extent determined appropriate by the commission, the cost to replenish and fund any storm reserves, the costs of retiring any existing indebtedness relating to storm recovery activities, and carrying costs. /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Pages 5‑6, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(A) and inserting:

/ (A) An electrical utility may petition the commission for a financing order. The petition shall include all of the following:

(1) a description of the storm recovery activities that the electrical utility has undertaken and the reasons for undertaking the activities, or if the electrical utility is subject to a settlement agreement that governs the type and amount of principal costs that could be included in storm recovery costs, a description of the settlement agreement;

(2) the storm recovery costs for any storm recovery activities that have been undertaken;

(3) the level of the storm recovery reserve, if any, that the electrical utility proposes to establish or replenish and has determined would be appropriate to recover through storm recovery bonds and is seeking to so recover, and such level that the electrical utility is funding or will seek to fund through other means, together with a description of the factors and calculations used in determining the amounts and methods of recovery;

(4) an indicator of whether the electrical utility proposes to finance all or a portion of the storm recovery costs using storm recovery bonds. If the utility proposes to finance a portion of such costs, the electrical utility must identify the specific portion in the petition. By requesting not to finance a portion of such storm recovery costs using storm recovery bonds, an electrical utility shall not be deemed to waive its right to seek to recover such costs pursuant to a separate proceeding with the commission;

(5) the financing costs related to the storm recovery bonds;

(6) the storm recovery charges necessary to recover the storm recovery costs, including the storm recovery reserve amount, if any, determined appropriate by the commission, and financing costs and the period for recovery of such costs;

(7) a comparison between the net present value of the costs to customers that are estimated to result from the issuance of storm recovery bonds based on current market conditions and the costs that would result from the application of the traditional method of financing and recovering storm recovery costs from customers. The comparison should demonstrate that the issuance of storm recovery bonds and the imposition of storm recovery charges are expected to provide quantifiable net benefits to customers on a present value basis as compared to the costs that would have been incurred absent the issuance of storm recovery bonds; and

(8) direct testimony, exhibits, and supporting workpapers supporting the petition, testimony, and exhibits. Such workpapers may be filed under seal to the extent necessary to protect confidential, proprietary, or sensitive information. The electrical utility shall provide functional exhibits and workpapers to the Office of Regulatory Staff and to the commission, subject to any appropriate confidentiality designations. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WEST explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1077 (COUNCIL\ZW\1077C001.AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 3, by striking 58-27-1105(12) and inserting:

/ (12) The term ‘storm’ means, individually or collectively, a named tropical storm or hurricane, a tornado, ice storm or snowstorm, flood, an earthquake, or other significant weather or natural disaster between January 2014 and December 2019. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. WEST proposed the following Amendment No. 3 to S. 1077 (COUNCIL\ZW\1077C002.AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 1, by striking line 41 and inserting:

/ financing mechanism will maximize quantifiable net benefits   
to /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 6, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(A)(4) and inserting:

/ (4) whether the electrical utility proposes to finance all or a portion of the storm recovery costs using storm recovery bonds. If the utility proposes to finance a portion of such costs, the electrical utility must identify the specific portion in the petition; /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 6, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(A)(7) and inserting:

/ (7) a comparison between the net present value of the costs to customers that are estimated to result from the issuance of storm recovery bonds based on current market conditions and the costs that would result from the application of the traditional method of financing and recovering storm recovery costs from customers. The comparison should demonstrate that the issuance of storm recovery bonds and the imposition of storm recovery charges are expected to maximize quantifiable net benefits to customers on a present value basis as compared to the costs that would have been incurred absent the issuance of storm recovery bonds; and /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 7, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(c)(2)(b) and inserting:

/ (b) a finding that the proposed issuance of recovery bonds and the imposition and collection of a storm recovery charge will maximize quantifiable net benefits to customers on a present value basis as compared to the costs that would have been incurred absent the issuance of storm recovery bonds; /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 10, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(C)(6) and inserting:

/ (6) Any financing order issued by the commission shall provide that, within one business day after the final terms of the storm recovery bonds are determined, the electrical utility shall provide an issuance advice letter to the commission. /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 10, by striking Section 58‑27‑1110(C)(6)(a) and inserting:

/ (a) Such issuance advice letter shall be in the form approved in a financing order and include the final terms of the storm recovery bond issuance, up‑front financing costs and on‑going financing costs. Such issuance advice letter shall include a certification from the electrical utility, the primary underwriter(s), and a qualified independent third‑party designated by the commission, as a condition to closing, certifying whether the sale of storm recovery bonds complies with the requirements of this article and the financing order. The certifications of the electrical utility and independent third‑party shall certify whether the issuance of recovery bonds and the imposition and collection of a storm recovery charge results in maximized quantifiable net benefits to customers on a present‑value basis as compared to the costs that would have been incurred absent the issuance of storm recovery bonds. The certifications of the electrical utility, primary underwriter(s), and independent third‑party shall certify whether the structuring, marketing, and pricing of the storm recovery bonds results in the lowest storm recovery charges consistent with market conditions at the time the storm recovery bonds were priced and the terms set forth in the financing   
order. /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Page 12, by striking Section 58‑27‑1115(B) and inserting:

/ (B) The commission may not order or otherwise directly or indirectly require an electrical utility to use storm recovery bonds to finance any project, addition, plant, facility, extension, capital improvement, equipment, or any other expenditure except as permitted under this article. After the issuance of a financing order, the electrical utility retains sole discretion regarding whether to cause the storm recovery bonds to be issued, including the right to defer or postpone such sale, assignment, transfer, or issuance, unless otherwise provided in the financing order. Nothing shall prevent the electrical utility from abandoning the issuance of storm recovery bonds under the financing order by filing with the commission a statement of abandonment and the reasons therefor. The commission may not refuse to allow an electrical utility to recover storm recovery costs in an otherwise permissible fashion, solely because of the potential availability of storm recovery bond financing. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WEST explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. WEST proposed the following Amendment No. 4 to S. 1077 (COUNCIL\ZW\1077C005.AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Pages 10‑11, by striking 58‑27‑1110(c)(6)(a) and inserting:

/ (a) Such issuance advice letter shall be in the form approved in a financing order and include the final terms of the storm recovery bond issuance, up‑front financing costs and on‑going financing costs. Such issuance advice letter shall include a certification from the electrical utility, the primary underwriter(s), and a qualified independent third‑party designated by the commission, as a condition to closing, certifying whether the sale of storm recovery bonds complies with the requirements of this article and the financing order. The certifications of the electrical utility and independent third‑party shall certify whether the issuance of recovery bonds and the imposition and collection of a storm recovery charge will in fact provide quantifiable net benefits to customers on a present‑value basis as compared to the costs that would have been incurred absent the issuance of storm recovery bonds. The certifications of the electrical utility, primary underwriter(s), and independent third‑party shall certify whether the structuring, marketing, and pricing of the storm recovery bonds will in fact result in the lowest storm recovery charges consistent with market conditions at the time the storm recovery bonds were priced and the terms set forth in the financing order. The independent third‑party designated by the commission shall review the issuance advice letter and deliver its independent certification to the commission along with any other information it believes the commission should consider as to the commission’s decision in (b) below no later than one business day after the filing of the issuance advice letter by the electric utility which will contain the aforementioned certifications. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WEST explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. WEST proposed the following Amendment No. 5 to S. 1077 (COUNCIL\ZW\1077C006.AR.ZW22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, Pages 10‑11, by striking 58‑27‑1110(c)(6)(b) and inserting:

/ (b) Unless otherwise provided in the financing order, by no later than noon on the fourth business day after the final terms of the storm recovery bonds are determined, the commission shall either accept the issuance advice letter or deliver an order to the electrical utility to prevent the issuance of the storm recovery bonds. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WEST explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 104; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bernstein | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brawley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Caskey | Clyburn |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Govan | Haddon | Hardee |
| Hart | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | Matthews | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McDaniel |
| McGarry | McKnight | J. Moore |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | Murray |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Rivers |
| Robinson | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Thigpen |
| Trantham | Weeks | West |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | White |
| Whitmire | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--104**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

Further proceedings were interrupted by expiration of time on the uncontested Calendar.

**RECURRENCE TO THE MORNING HOUR**

Rep. FORREST moved that the House recur to the morning hour, which was agreed to.

**S. 236--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 236 -- Senator Young: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-1000, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO POOLING PRECINCTS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ANY PRECINCT CONTAINING THREE THOUSAND OR MORE VOTERS, AN INCREASE FROM FIVE HUNDRED OR MORE VOTERS, HAVE ITS OWN POLLING PLACE; THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL POOLED PRECINCTS CANNOT EXCEED THREE THOUSAND, AN INCREASE FROM ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED; AND THAT POOLED MUNICIPAL POLLING PLACES CANNOT BE MORE THAN FIVE MILES, AN INCREASE FROM THREE MILES, FROM THE NEAREST PART OF ANY POOLED PRECINCT.

Rep. HIXON moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 1045--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1045 -- Senators Alexander and M. Johnson: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-20 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO REGULATIONS FOR TRANSPORTATION BY MOTOR VEHICLE, TO PROVIDE REGULATIONS FOR THE OPERATION OF TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-25 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S MOTOR CARRIER REGULATORY AUTHORITY, TO PROVIDE FOR THE STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION OF THE CHAPTER RELATED TO THE LIMITATION OF CERTAIN AUTHORITY VESTED WITH PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION'S MOTOR CARRIER REGULATORY AUTHORITY; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-30 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO THE DEFINITION OF COMPENSATION, TO DEFINE TRANSPORTATION VEHICLES ACCORDINGLY; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-60(5) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO AREAS IN WHICH THIS CHAPTER IS NOT APPLICABLE TO BUSINESSES, TO INCLUDE VEHICLES OPERATED BY A MUNICIPALITY; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-210 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CLASSES OF CERTIFICATES, TO PROVIDE A TIMELINE FOR THE APPLICATION OF A COMMISSION'S DIRECTIVES; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-220 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CLASS A CERTIFICATES, TO PROVIDE THAT THE COMMISSION SHALL ISSUE DIRECTIVES TO ISSUE CLASS A CERTIFICATES; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-230 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CLASS B CERTIFICATES, TO REGULATE THE POWERS OF THE OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-240 THROUGH SECTION 58-23-290 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CERTIFICATES, TO ALTER LANGUAGE; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-330 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO GROUNDS FOR ISSUANCE OR DENIAL OF CERTIFICATE, TO PROVIDE REGULATIONS FOR ISSUING OR DENYING A CERTIFICATE UPON RECEIPT OF AN APPLICATION; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-560 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO LICENSE FEES FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDERS, TO PROVIDE ELIGIBILITY REGULATIONS FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDERS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-590 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CARRIERS OF HOUSEHOLD GOODS AND HAZARDOUS WASTE FOR DISPOSAL, TO PROVIDE THE POWERS OF THE COMMISSION; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-600 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO TIME FOR PAYMENT OF FEES, TO PROVIDE REGULATIONS FOR FEES REQUIRED OF CERTIFICATE HOLDERS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-23-910 AND SECTION 58-23-930 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO INSURANCE OR BOND, TO PROVIDE INSURANCE, BOND, OR CERTIFICATE OF SELF-INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS FOR CERTIFICATE HOLDERS; TO AMEND SECTIONS 58-23-1010, 58-23-1020, 58-23-1080, AND 58-23-1090 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO RIGHTS AND DUTIES GENERALLY, TO PROVIDE REGULATIONS FOR FEES, LICENSES, AND OTHER MARKERS; TO AMEND SECTION 58-4-60(B)(1) OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO EXPENSES BORNE BY REGULATED UTILITIES, TO REFERENCE THE PROVISIONS IN THE CODE GENERATING FEES THAT ARE TO BE USED TO PAY FOR THE EXPENSES OF THE TRANSPORTATION DEPARTMENT OF THE OFFICE OF REGULATORY STAFF; AND TO AMEND CHAPTER 23, TITLE 58 OF THE 1976, RELATING TO MOTOR VEHICLE CARRIERS, TO REPEAL SECTIONS 58-23-300, 58-23-530, 58-23-540, 58-23-550, AND 58-23-1060.

The Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1045 (COUNCIL\ZW\1045C002. AR.ZW22), which was tabled:

Amend the , as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_. A. Section 23‑9‑25 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 23‑9‑25. (A) It is the purpose of this section to create the ‘Volunteer Strategic Assistance and Fire Equipment Program’ (V‑SAFE) within the Division of State Fire Marshal.

(B) This section is contingent upon the General Assembly appropriating funds for the offering of grants ~~of not more than thirty thousand dollars~~ to eligible volunteer and combination fire departments for the purpose of protecting local communities and regional response areas from incidents of fire, hazardous materials, terrorism, and to provide for the safety of volunteer firefighters.

(C)(1) As contained in this section:

(a) ‘~~chartered~~ Fire department’ means a public or governmental sponsored organization providing fire suppression activities with a minimum of a Class 9 rating from the Insurance Services Office;

(b) ‘~~chartered~~ Volunteer fire department’ means a fire department whose personnel serve for no compensation or are paid on a per‑call basis; and

(c) ‘~~chartered~~ Combination fire department’ means a fire department with both members who are paid and members who serve as volunteer firefighters.

(2) ~~Chartered~~ Volunteer fire departments and ~~chartered~~ combination fire departments with a staffing level that is at least fifty percent volunteer are eligible to receive grants pursuant to this section. A ~~chartered~~ fire department that receives a grant must comply with the firefighter registration provisions of Act 60 of 2001 and sign the statewide mutual aid agreement with the South Carolina Emergency Management Division.

(D) ~~The amount of the grants awarded shall not exceed thirty thousand dollars per year for each eligible chartered fire department, with no matching or in‑kind money required. A chartered~~ An eligible fire department may be awarded only one grant ~~in a three‑year period~~ annually.

(E) The grant money received by a ~~chartered~~ fire department must be used for the following purposes:

(1) fire suppression equipment;

(2) self‑contained breathing apparatus;

(3) portable air refilling systems;

(4) hazardous materials spill leak detection, repair, and recovery equipment;

(5) protective clothing and equipment;

(6) new and used fire apparatus;

(7) incident command vehicles;

(8) special operations vehicles;

(9) training;

(10) rescue equipment;

(11) medical equipment;

(12) decontamination equipment; ~~and~~

(13) safety equipment;

(14) real properties or improvements thereto including upgrades and rehabilitations; and

(15) communications equipment.

(F)(1) The State Fire Marshal shall administer the grants in conjunction with a peer‑review panel.

(2) The peer‑review panel shall consist of nine voting members who shall serve without compensation. Seven members must be fire chiefs from each of the seven regions of the State as defined by the State Fire Marshal. The Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee shall appoint fire chiefs from Regions 1, 2, and 7. The Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee shall appoint fire chiefs from Regions 3, 4, and 6. The Governor shall appoint one fire chief from Region 5 and one fire chief from the State at large. The State Fire Marshal also shall serve as a member. The President of the South Carolina State Firefighters’ Association shall serve as a nonvoting member and chairman of the committee. The peer‑review panel shall act as an oversight panel and act to ensure compliance, relevance, and adherence to the prescribed intent of the grants as set forth in this section.

(3) An applicant for grant money must submit justification for their project that provides details regarding the project and the project’s budget. ~~the benefits to be derived from the project, the applicant’s financial need, and how the project would affect the applicant’s daily operations in protecting lives and property within their community. Each application must be judged on its own merit. The panelists must consider all expenses budgeted, including administrative or indirect costs, as part of the cost‑benefit review. An applicant may demonstrate cost‑benefit by describing, as applicable, how the grant award will:~~

~~(a)~~ ~~enhance a regional approach that is consistent with current capabilities and requests of neighboring organizations or otherwise benefits other organizations in the region;~~

~~(b)~~ ~~implement interoperable communications capabilities with other local, state, and federal first responders and other organizations;~~

~~(c)~~ ~~allow first responder organizations to respond to all hazards, including incidents involving seismic, atmospheric, or technological events, or chemical, biological, radiological, nuclear, or explosive incidents, as well as fire prevention and suppression.~~

~~Applications that best address the grant funding priorities shall score higher than applications that are inconsistent with the priorities. During the panel review process, panelists shall provide a subjective but qualitative judgment on the merit of each request.~~

~~Panelists shall evaluate and score the proposed project’s clarity, including the project’s budget detail, the organization’s financial need, the benefits that would result from an award relative to the cost, and the extent to which the grant would enhance daily operations or how the grant will positively impact an organization’s ability to protect life and property. Each element shall be equally important for purposes of the panelists’ scores. Panelists must review each application in its entirety and rate the application according to the evaluation criteria.~~

~~Applications shall be evaluated by the panelists relative to the critical infrastructure within the applicant’s area of first‑due response. Critical infrastructure includes any system or asset that, if attacked or impacted by a hazardous event, would result in catastrophic loss of life or catastrophic economic loss. Critical infrastructure includes public water or power systems, major business centers, chemical facilities, nuclear power plants, major rail and highway bridges, petroleum and natural gas transmission pipelines or storage facilities, telecommunications facilities, or facilities that support large public gatherings such as sporting events or concerts. Panelists shall assess the infrastructure and the hazards confronting the community to determine the benefits to be realized from a grant to the applicant.~~

Applicants that falsify their application, or misrepresent their organization in any material manner, shall have their applications deemed ineligible and referred to the Attorney General for further action, as the Attorney General deems appropriate.

(4) The project period for any award grant shall be twelve months from the date of the award. Any equipment purchased with the grant must meet all mandatory regulatory requirements, as well as, all state, national, and Department of Homeland Security adopted standards.

Award recipients must agree to:

(a) perform, within the designated period of performance, all approved tasks as outlined in the application;

(b) retain grant files and supporting documentation for three years after the conclusion and close out of the grant or any audit subsequent to close out;

(c) ensure all procurement actions are conducted in a manner that provides, to the maximum extent possible, open and free competition. In doing so, the recipient must follow its established procurement law when purchasing vehicles, equipment, and services with the grant. If possible, the recipient must obtain at least two quotes or bids for the items being procured and document the process used in the grant files. Sole‑source purchasing is not an acceptable procurement method except in circumstances allowed by law;

(d) submit a performance report to the peer‑review panel six months after the grant is awarded. If a grant’s period of performance is extended for any reason, the recipient must submit performance reports every six months until the grant is closed out. At grant closeout, the recipient must report how the grant funding was used and the benefits realized from the award in a detailed final report. An accounting of the funds also must be included; and

(e) Any fire department that fails to submit the required progress and close‑out reports shall be deemed ineligible for future grants until the required reports are submitted and for a period of not less than one grant cycle. Any fire department that is found to have fraudulently expended funds or misrepresented how the funds were utilized will be referred to the Attorney General for further action.

(f) make grant files, books, and records available, if requested by any person, for inspection to ensure compliance with any requirement of the grant program.

(5) A recipient that completes the approved scope of work prior to the end of the performance period, and still has grant funds available, may:

(a) use the greater of one percent of their award amount or three hundred dollars to continue or expand, the activities for which they received the award without submitting an application to amend the grant request;

(b) use excess funds to create or expand, a fire or injury prevention program. Excess funds above the amounts discussed in subitem (a) must be used for fire or injury prevention activities or returned to the program. In order to use excess funds for fire or injury prevention activities, a recipient must submit an amendment to its grant. The amendment request must explain fire or injury prevention efforts currently underway within the organization, where the use of excess funds would fit within the existing efforts, the target audience for the fire or injury prevention project and how this audience was identified, and how the effectiveness of the requested fire or injury prevention project will be evaluated;

(c) use a combination of subitems (a) and (b); ~~or~~

(d) submit an application to the peer‑review panel to amend the grant request to redirect funds to another eligible project; or

(e) return excess funds to the program. To return the excess funds, a recipient must close out its award and state in the final performance report that the remaining funds are not necessary for the fulfillment of grant obligations. The recipient also must indicate that it understands that the funds will be unavailable for future expenses.

(6) The State Fire Marshal shall:

(a) develop a grant application package utilizing the established guidelines;

(b) establish and market a written and electronic version of the grant application package;

(c) provide an annual report of all grant awards and corresponding chartered fire department purchases to the Chairman of the Senate Finance Committee, the Chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee, and the Governor;

(d) provide all administrative support to the peer‑review panel; ~~and~~

(e) provide a grants web page for electronic applications; and

(f) determine the annual maximum amount of grant funding an eligible fire department may receive based on the total amount of grant funding received divided by the total number of eligible fire departments.

(G) Two percent of these funds may be awarded to the South Carolina State Firefighters’ Association annually for the express purpose of establishing and maintaining a recruitment and retention program for volunteer firefighters. The association must apply for the grant to the peer‑review panel.

(H) Up to three percent of these funds must be retained by the State Fire Marshal for the express purpose of funding costs associated with the administration of the program.

(I) The State Fire Marshal has the authority to receive and distribute to eligible fire departments all grant funds according to this section.

(J) Grant funds that are not distributed may be carried forward to the next fiscal year to be used for the same purposes.”

B. Section 38‑7‑20(B)(2) of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 149 of 2020, is further amended to read:

“(2) ~~one~~ four percent must be transferred to the V‑SAFE program pursuant to Section 23‑9‑25;”

C. A. Section 12‑37‑935(B) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(B) Annually as provided in Section 11‑11‑150, there is credited to the Trust Fund for Tax Relief an amount sufficient to reimburse all local taxing entities the amount of revenue not collected as a result of the additional depreciation more than eighty percent allowed for manufacturer’s machinery and equipment pursuant to this section; however, one percent of such funds must be credited to the V‑SAFE program, established pursuant to Section 23‑9‑25. No reimbursement is allowed for any depreciation allowed in connection with custom molds and dies used in the conduct of manufacturing electronic interconnection component assembly devices for computers and computer peripherals and equipment used in the manufacture of tires by manufacturers who employ more than five thousand employees in this State and have over one billion dollars in capital investment in this State. Reimbursements must be paid from the fund in the manner provided in Section 12‑37‑270, mutatis mutandis.”

B. Section 11‑11‑150(A)(3) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(3) Section 12‑37‑935(B) for manufacturer’s additional depreciation, including such amounts credited to the V‑SAFE program;”

D. This act takes effect July 1, 2022. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WHITE moved to table the amendment, which was agreed to.

Rep. KIRBY proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1045 (COUNCIL\DG\1045C001.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. A. Section 4‑11‑290(J) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(J) In the event the district being dissolved has title to real or personal assets, those assets shall be disposed of as provided in this subsection.

(1) To the extent that the district is authorized by the act creating or establishing the district to provide services and one or more of those services are as of the date of dissolution provided by another political subdivision of the State of South Carolina, the Secretary of State:

(a) must convey to such political subdivision:

(i) any and all assets of the district necessary, useful, or otherwise related to the provision of the service or services by the political subdivision; and

(ii) any assets then being used by the political subdivision to provide the service or services to the political subdivision; and

(b) must execute and deliver any deeds, bills of sale, or other evidence of conveyance of the property as may be required by law to make the asset conveyance effective.

(2) In the event that a political subdivision has assumed indebtedness of the district being dissolved as provided in subsection (B)(3), all assets securing such indebtedness must be conveyed to the political subdivision in accordance with this subsection. The Secretary of State is authorized to convey by his signature title to any and all assets as provided in this subsection, and his signature on any deed, bill of sale, or other instrument of conveyance shall be effective and binding for that purpose.

(3) Notwithstanding another provision of law, in the event the district being dissolved is a hospital district that has an affiliated organization exempt from tax under Section 501(c)(3) or (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, then the district may transfer its assets to its affiliated organization.

(4) All other assets of the district shall escheat to the State and shall be disposed of in accordance with Chapter 27 ~~of~~ , Title 19.”

B. This SECTION takes effect upon approval by the Governor. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. KIRBY explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. WEST explained the Bill.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 103; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Bannister |
| Bennett | Bernstein | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brawley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Hart | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | King |
| Kirby | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Matthews |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McDaniel | McGarry | McKnight |
| J. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | Murray |
| B. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Robinson | Rose |
| Rutherford | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Thigpen |
| Trantham | Weeks | West |
| Wheeler | White | Whitmire |
| R. Williams | Willis | Wooten |
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**Total--103**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**S. 945--REQUESTS FOR DEBATE**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 945 -- Senators Hembree and Loftis: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 59-19-85 SO AS TO PROMOTE PUBLIC ACCESS TO SCHOOL BOARD MEETINGS BY REQUIRING SCHOOL BOARDS TO ADOPT AND IMPLEMENT POLICIES THAT PROVIDE LIVE ELECTRONIC TRANSMISSION OF SUCH MEETINGS, TO EXTEND APPLICABILITY OF THESE PROVISIONS TO THE GOVERNING BODIES OF CHARTER SCHOOLS AND SPECIAL SCHOOLS, TO PROVIDE FLEXIBILITY IN CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES, AND TO PROVIDE RELATED REQUIREMENTS OF THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION; AND TO PROVIDE THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT MUST BE IMPLEMENTED BEFORE JULY 1, 2023.

The Committee on Education and Public Works proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 945 (COUNCIL\WAB\ 945C001.RT. WAB22):

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Article 1, Chapter 19, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 59‑19‑85. (A) For the purpose of increasing public engagement in district business and making the decision‑making process more visible and accessible to the community it serves, each public school governing body, including the governing bodies of charter schools and special schools, must make reasonable and necessary efforts to ensure the entirety of meetings of its regularly scheduled or special called meetings of its full governing body are open and accessible to the public and also available by means of live electronic access, such as livestream transmission, except during a lawful executive session.

(B) Even if a governing body cannot provide such live electronic public access despite making reasonable and necessary efforts to restore livestream transmission during the meeting, it must make a clear audio and video recording of the meeting in its entirety available on its website as soon as practicable and in no event more than two business days after the meeting.

(C) The State Board of Education shall adopt, and revise as necessary, a model livestream meeting policy suitable for governing bodies of public schools, including charter and special schools, to comply with provisions in this section. The policy must include, at a minimum:

(1) resources, recommendations, and best practices facilitating requirements for all portions of streamed meetings to be visible and audible in real‑time and subsequently posted on applicable websites within two business days of the meeting;

(2) suggested approaches for developing and implementing livestreaming and expanding or improving existing livestream capacity;

(3) publicizing availability of livestream meetings;

(4) allowances for executive sessions;

(5) penalties for policy violations or noncompliance not to exceed one percent of state funds to the district, charter school, or special school, with escalating tiers based on frequency, duration, and severity that the State Board of Education determines are reasonable and necessary to ensure the integrity of meeting governance; and

(6) the process for allowing a governing body with evidence of limited or no broadband access to request approval from the State Board of Education for up to an additional twelve months to comply with provisions in this section.

(D)(1) Each public school governing body, including the governing bodies of charter schools and special schools, shall adopt a local policy applicable to its meetings within three months after adoption of the model policy by the State Board of Education. A local policy must include, at a minimum, the State Board of Education model policy. In the event a governing body is unable to provide live electronic public access despite reasonable and necessary efforts, the board may waive the requirements of item (D); however, the board shall establish a date by which the governing body must have such access in place and operating.

(2) If the State Board of Education adopts a revision to the model policy, then the governing body shall adopt and incorporate the revision into its local policy within three months after the adoption of the revision by the State Board of Education.

(3) A governing body only may adopt or revise its local policy at a regularly scheduled meeting, which must be successfully livestreamed.

(4) A governing body may not adopt or follow a livestream policy that prevents or impedes in‑person participation by the public except as may be reasonable and necessary for the orderly transaction of its business.

(5) Within thirty days after adoption of a local policy or revision to the policy, a governing body shall submit a copy of the policy or revision to the State Superintendent of Education for State Board of Education approval.”

SECTION 2. Article 1, Chapter 19, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 59‑19‑87. (A) Each public school governing body, including the governing bodies of charter schools and special schools, shall adopt a local policy that must include, at a minimum, the State Board of Education’s ‘Best Practices Model Policy for SBE Library Materials’ and the ‘Reconsideration of Library Media Center Materials Form’ that is in place as of March 30, 2022.

(B) If the State Board of Education adopts a revision to the documents listed in (A), the governing body shall adopt and incorporate the revision into its local policy within three months after the adoption of the revision by the State Board of Education.

(C) Within thirty days after adoption of a local policy or revision to the policy, a governing body shall submit a copy of the policy or revision to the State Superintendent of Education for State Board of Education approval.

SECTION 3. Chapter 29, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Article 5

Instructional Materials

Section 59‑29‑600. (A) It is the intent of the General Assembly that:

(1) all students learn in a positive learning environment where they are made to feel welcomed, supported, and respected;

(2) high school students graduate having learned critical thinking skills and being college ready and career ready;

(3) teachers, faculty, and staff strive to provide the best educational opportunity possible to their students;

(4) the State Department of Education, State Board of Education, and Education Oversight Committee regularly review, revise, and publish statewide academic standards that are fair, thorough, and respectful of teachers and students;

(5) statewide academic standards, especially in social studies, remain well written to help ensure that complete histories of South Carolina and the United States are offered to students;

(6) administrators, teachers, parents, students, and the local community share the responsibility for helping students obtain the best education possible;

(7) ideological and viewpoint biases should not be presented as fact to students who receive instruction in public school;

(8) parents and students are able to raise awareness and have their concerns about objectionable material heard and addressed whenever a topic is presented in a way that is biased toward one ideology;

(9) administrators, teachers, and parents work to remove ideological biases from the pre‑Kindergarten to grade twelve school setting; and

(10) this State ultimately is seen as a model for comprehensive, fair, and factual instruction.

(B) The General Assembly further states its intent that:

(1) students:

(a) treat teachers, aides, faculty, staff, volunteers, and their fellow students with respect, dignity, and kindness; and

(b) strive to do their best as they grow and learn;

(2) parents:

(a) engage with their children’s school to ensure that teachers and staff are supported; and

(b) strive to make certain that students come to school prepared to learn and act in a way that leads to a positive school environment;

(3) teachers:

(a) strive to educate all students in a way that makes them feel welcomed, encouraged, and appreciated;

(b) work closely with parents to ensure that students are given opportunities to grow and learn;

(4) principals and other administrators provide support and guidance to teachers and students, and the observation, mentoring, and training of teachers is a constant and ongoing activity;

(5) superintendents and district‑level staff ensure that schools are given the assistance and resources needed to assist in teaching and learning for both students and teachers;

(6) local school boards of trustees:

(a) be vested in, and aware of, district and school operations;

(b) function in an open and transparent manner to ensure that schools operate efficiently and effectively;

(c) seek and value input from teachers; and

(d) encourage greater parental engagement; and

(7) communities:

(a) support local schools; and

(b) foster environments that support students, parents, teachers, faculty, and staff.

Section 59‑29‑610. For purposes of this article:

(1) ‘LEA’ means a local educational agency, to include the sponsor of a public charter school pursuant to Section 59‑40‑40, and the:

(1) Governor’s School for the Arts and Humanities;

(2) Governor’s School for Agriculture at John de la Howe;

(3) Special School of Science and Mathematics, also referred to as the Governor’s School for Science and Mathematics;

(4) Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School; and

(5) South Carolina School for the Deaf and the Blind.

(2) ‘Parent’ means the biological parent, stepparent, legal custodian, or other person responsible for the welfare of a child in a parental capacity, excluding an individual whose parental relationship to the child has been legally terminated.

Section 59‑29‑620. (A) The following prohibited concepts may not be included or promoted in a course of instruction, curriculum, assignment, instructional program, instructional material (including primary or supplemental materials, whether in print, digital, or online), surveys or questionnaires, or professional educator development or training, nor may a student, employee, or volunteer be compelled to affirm, accept, adopt, or adhere to such prohibited concepts:

(1) one race, sex, ethnicity, color, or national origin is inherently superior to another race, sex, ethnicity, color, or national origin;

(2) an individual, by virtue of the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual, inherently is privileged, racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or subconsciously;

(3) an individual should be discriminated against or receive adverse treatment because of the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual;

(4) the moral character of an individual is determined by the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual;

(5) an individual, by virtue of the race or sex of the individual, bears responsibility for actions committed in the past by other members of the same race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin;

(6) meritocracy or traits such as a hard work ethic:

(a) are racist, sexist, belong to the principles of one religion; or

(b) were created by members of a particular race, sex, or religion to oppress members of another race, sex, ethnicity, color, national origin, or religion; and

(7) fault, blame, or bias should be assigned to race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin, or to members of a race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin because of their race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin.

(B) Library and media center material, both printed and electronically accessible, must be age appropriate and grade appropriate.

(C) A student, administrator, teacher, staff member, other school or district employee, or volunteer may not be required to engage in any form of mandatory gender or sexual diversity training or counseling unless it is prescribed as part of a corrective action plan pursuant to Section 59‑29‑630(J).

(D) Instruction or instructional materials which create a narrative that the United States was founded for the purpose of oppression, that the American Revolution was fought for the purpose of protecting oppression or that United States history is a story defined by oppression is hereby prohibited. Notwithstanding subsection (A), LEAs are not prohibited from including concepts as part of a course of instruction, in a curriculum or instructional program, or through the use of supplemental instructional materials if those concepts involve:

(1) the history of an ethnic group, as described in the South Carolina State Standards and instructional materials adopted pursuant to the South Carolina Code of Regulations 43‑70 (Textbook Adoption);

(2) the impartial discussion of controversial aspects of history; or

(3) the impartial instruction on the historical oppression of a particular group of people based on race, ethnicity, class, nationality, religion, or geographic region.

(E) The department shall create and make accessible model lesson plans for LEAs to utilize in all grades and subject areas.

Section 59‑29‑630. The department shall create a complaint form, which LEAs shall prominently post on their website, for use when an individual files a complaint alleging violations of Section 59‑29‑620. At a minimum, the department must ensure the complaint form includes:

(1) the name and contact information of the complainant;

(2) the name of the school in which the alleged violation took place;

(3) a brief description of the prohibited concept at issue;

(4) a brief statement on why the concept at issue is a prohibited concept;

(5) the name of the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept;

(6) the name of the individual who may have knowledge of the allegations;

(7) a list of documentation or materials supporting the complainant’s allegations, including copies of such documentation where possible;

(8) the approximate date on which the prohibited concept was included or promoted; and

(9) the location, either physical or virtual, of the printed or electronically available material.

Section 59‑29‑640. (A)(1) Each LEA shall:

(a) provide a statement on its website announcing the rights of parents to review curriculum and other material under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment as contained in 20 U.S.C. Section 1232h;

(b) provide annual notice of Section 59‑29‑620 to staff, students, and parents;

(c) ensure compliance with Section 59‑29‑620 by investigating suspected violations and complaints alleging violations as provided in this article;

(d) post the complaint form provided by the department pursuant to Section 59‑29‑630 for filing a complaint to allege a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 on the website of the LEA;

(e) prohibit retaliation for filing a complaint or participating in an investigation;

(f) obtain written consent from a parent prior to the participation of a minor student in the investigative process, including consent for the minor to be interviewed;

(g) provide instructions for filing an appeal of the LEA determination with the department in a written determination to an eligible complainant; and

(h) before July 1, 2022, and each year thereafter, provide a report to the department containing a summary of the:

(i) number of complaints filed with a description of the nature of each complaint;

(ii) number of complaints closed;

(iii) number of complaints pending;

(iv) number of resolution agreements successfully executed;

(v) number of complaints substantiated; and

(vi) number of complaints not substantiated.

(2) Before the 2027‑2028 School Year, an LEA shall compile and provide records of item (1)(a) through (f) that encompass the previous five school years in the annual report required in item (1)(h). The department shall provide a report summarizing the information of each district to the General Assembly before July 1, 2022, and each year thereafter.

(B) Before the 2022‑2023 School Year, the department shall create, and each LEA shall adopt, a policy for procedures used to report and investigate an alleged violation of Section 59‑29‑620 with the LEA, which must include:

(1) instructions detailing how to file a complaint alleging a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 with the LEA;

(2) a requirement that the complainant be:

(a) a current student of the LEA in which the allegation arose;

(b) the parent of a current student of the LEA in which the allegation arose; or

(c) an employee of the LEA in which the allegation arose.

(3) A timeline for the investigation of an LEA by the department, including when a:

(a) complaint must be received;

(b) response must be provided; and

(c) decision must be rendered.

(C) An LEA shall work collaboratively with parents, teachers, and other employees to resolve concerns and complaints. At any point after a complaint is filed but before the LEA has issued a final written determination, the parties may reach an early resolution of an allegation through a resolution agreement, which shall include any agreed upon terms of the early resolution. An LEA is not required to complete its investigation or issue a final written determination once it has entered a resolution agreement with the complainant.

(D) The complainant or individual alleged to have violated Section 59‑29‑620 may file an appeal of the final written determination of an LEA with the State Board within fifteen calendar days after receiving the final written determination.

(E) Within ten calendar days after the appeal is filed with the State Board, it shall send written notification acknowledging receipt to all parties involved.

(F) The LEA may not take disciplinary or licensure action against an educator for a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 before the State Board sends a final written determination letter to all parties involved.

(G) As part of an investigation, the State Board may:

(1) request an investigative file from the LEA;

(2) interview a complainant, the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept, or another individual considered necessary by the State Board; and

(3) request any new or additional relevant physical or electronic evidence from the LEA or any witness.

(H) Within forty calendar days after receiving an appeal, the State Board shall determine whether:

(1) allegations in the original complaint are substantiated; and

(2) the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620. An LEA must be deemed to have knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620 if the LEA:

(a) received a complaint alleging and became aware that a prohibited concept was included or promoted in a course of instruction, curriculum, instructional program, or supplemental instructional materials but failed to initiate an investigation or remedy a violation;

(b) initiated an investigation but failed to make a timely determination about whether an allegation was substantiated; or

(c) determined that the allegation was substantiated but failed to remedy the violation.

(I) The State Board shall issue a written determination letter to the complainant, the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept, and the LEA from which the allegation arose. This determination letter is subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), 20 U.S.C. Section 1232g and any law of this State that relates to the privacy of student information.

(J) Pending the issuance of a final order by the State Board in a proceeding pursuant to this section, no preliminary information gathered by the department concerning misconduct reasonably believed to constitute grounds for disciplinary action, including the name and certificate number of the certified educator, may be disclosed to any third party.

(K) If the State Board determines that the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620, the:

(1) LEA shall enter into a corrective action plan that:

(a) identifies specific acts or steps the LEA will take to resolve the noncompliance;

(b) specifies deadlines for the completion of the required acts or steps; and

(c) specifies dates for submission of reports and documentation to the State Board verifying implementation; and

(2) State Board shall:

(a) monitor the corrective action plan to ensure the LEA complies with the terms of the plan;

(b) provide written notice to the LEA of any deficiencies in implementation and request immediate and appropriate action to address those deficiencies;

(c) require additions to the corrective action plan to address the failure of the LEA to fully implement commitments in the original plan when necessary; and

(d) conclude the monitoring of the corrective action plan when the State Board determines that the LEA fully has implemented the terms of the plan by providing written notification to the LEA.

(L) If the State Board determines the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620 or the LEA fails to adhere to the corrective action plans, the department may withhold up to five percent of a LEA’s funds appropriated as part of the State Aid Classrooms.

Section 59‑29‑650. (A) Beginning with the 2022‑2023 School Year and each school year thereafter, each LEA prominently shall post information regarding curriculum and instructional materials on the school district website. The information must indicate the materials used by school, grade or course, and subject matter, and must include:

(1) a listing of the approved textbook for every course offered in the district;

(2) a link to statewide academic standards;

(3) relevant district policies concerning curriculum development and academic transparency; and

(4) a process for which parents may review and contest instructional materials and library and media center materials being used.

(B) At the start of each school year, an LEA shall communicate to parents how they may access the information and materials required in subsection (A).

(C) A school shall ensure that every course offered provides students and parents with a course syllabus that includes:

(1) an overview of instructional topics;

(2) classroom expectations;

(3) grading procedures;

(4) primary textbooks and instructional materials;

(5) teacher contact information;

(6) information on accessing the course Learning Management System; and

(7) the link to state standards, if available.

(D) Course syllabi must be distributed to students and families within the first five days of class and should remain accessible to families online throughout the school year.

Section 59‑29‑660. (A) The State Superintendent of Education shall make arrangements for a thirty day public review of materials recommended by the instructional materials review panels before taking those recommendations to the State Board of Education. The public review sites must be geographically distributed around the State at as many state‑supported colleges and universities or, if necessary, other designated sites that agree to host the reviews. Public review sites must be advertised in each congressional district in the newspaper with the largest circulation figures for that district, on the website of the department, and on social media sites used by the department.

(B) The State Board shall hold a public hearing before adopting any textbook or instructional material for use in the schools of this State.

Section 59‑29‑670. A school may not accept teaching materials or technology which contains an application, link, or other access to pornographic or other prohibited materials. A school district that receives such materials must receive disciplinary action as stated in the complaint process.”

SECTION 4. Section 59‑28‑180 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 59‑28‑180. (A) Parent involvement influences student learning and academic performance; therefore, parents are expected to:

(1) uphold high expectations for academic achievement;

(2) expect and communicate expectations for success;

(3) recognize that parental involvement in middle and high school is equally as critical as in elementary school;

(4) ensure attendance and punctuality;

(5) attend parent‑teacher conferences;

(6) monitor and check homework;

(7) communicate with the school and teachers;

(8) build partnerships with teachers to promote successful school experiences;

(9) attend, when possible, school events;

(10) model desirable behaviors;

(11) use encouraging words;

(12) stimulate thought and curiosity; ~~and~~

(13) show support for school expectations and efforts to increase student learning; and

(14) be the primary source of their student’s education in regard to learning morals, ethics, and civic responsibility.

(B) During the annual school registration process or whenever a student is registered in a school, the school shall provide each parent who enrolls a child in the school a printed ‘Pledge of Parental Expectations’ that the State Department of Education shall develop, in which a parent may affirmatively commit to meeting the expectations outlined in subsection (A). The school shall encourage parents to sign the pledge and emphasize its importance during any orientation or open house events.”

SECTION 5. This act takes effect upon approval of the Governor and is applicable beginning with the 2022‑2023 School Year. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. FELDER explained the amendment.

Reps. KING, GOVAN, BRAWLEY, J. L. JOHNSON, HOSEY, CLYBURN, HENEGAN, ALEXANDER, HART, GARVIN, JEFFERSON, WETMORE, K. O. JOHNSON, RIVERS, HENDERSON-MYERS, GILLIARD, MCKNIGHT, ANDERSON, OTT, COBB-HUNTER, MORGAN, NUTT, T. MOORE, DILLARD, MAY and MCCABE requested debate on the Bill.

**LEAVE OF ABSENCE**

The SPEAKER granted Rep. McKNIGHT a leave of absence for the remainder of the day due to a school board meeting.

**S. 969--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 969 -- Senators Garrett, Kimbrell, Rice, Adams, Talley, Cash, M. Johnson, Gustafson, Hembree, Loftis, Shealy, Peeler, Climer, Gambrell, Turner and Verdin: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 59-1-325 TO AUTHORIZE THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION TO MAKE RULES AND REGULATIONS REQUIRING THE DISPLAY OF THE OFFICIAL MOTTOS OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA AND SOUTH CAROLINA.

The Committee on Education and Public Works proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 969 (COUNCIL\WAB\ 969C001.RT.WAB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Article 5, Chapter 1, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 59‑1‑325. (A) No later than January 1, 2023, every public school, to include state agency schools and charter schools, shall display the following depictions in a prominent place:

(1) the official motto of the United States, ‘In God We Trust’;

(2) the official mottos of South Carolina, ‘Dum Spiro Spero’ and ‘Animis Opibusque Parati’, and their respective translations;

(3) an accurate representation of the United States flag; and

(4) an accurate representation of the South Carolina state flag.

The State Board of Education shall promulgate regulations specifying how the depictions shall be displayed.

(B) The head of each public school shall ensure that the depictions required in subsection (A) are displayed in the manner adopted by the State Board of Education and as directed by the State Superintendent of Education. Nothing in this section shall prohibit the solicitation or acceptance of funds donated to achieve its purpose.”

SECTION 2. Article 5, Chapter 1, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 59‑1‑465. (A) As used in this section:

(1) ‘Youth patriotic society’ means a youth membership organization with an educational purpose aligned with state standards located in South Carolina and listed herein, intended to promote patriotism and kindred virtues among elementary, middle, and high school students:

(a) Big Brothers ‑ Big Sisters of America;

(b) Boy Scouts of America;

(c) Boys and Girls Clubs of America;

(d) Future Farmers of America;

(e) Girl Scouts of the United States of America.

(2) ‘Patriot Day’ means the eleventh day of September as provided in Section 53‑3‑160.

(3) ‘Constitution Day’ means the seventeenth day of September, as designated by the United States Congress in 2005.

(4) ‘Patriotism Week’ means the annual Patriotism Week observation in the week that includes the eleventh day of November provided in Section 53‑3‑150.

(B) The principal of each elementary school, middle school, and high school shall allow representatives of youth patriotic societies, providing notice to the principal and approved pursuant to subsection (C), the opportunity to speak with students during the week of Patriot Day, the week of Constitution Day, or Patriotism Week events to inform the students of how their involvement in the youth patriotic society may further the student’s educational interest and civic involvement to improve their schools, communities, and themselves. A youth patriotic society allowed to speak with students pursuant to this section may speak during the school day to students for at least ten minutes. A school may observe Constitution Day and Patriot Day during a single event and is not required to:

(1) allocate more than thirty minutes during any one of the above‑referenced weeks for use by youth patriotic societies under the provisions of this section annually, allocated equally among the requesting youth patriotic societies: or

(2) allow a youth patriotic society to speak pursuant to this section more than once each school year.

(C) A youth patriotic society shall provide thirty days written or verbal notice to the principal of the society’s intent to address students pursuant to subsection (B). The principal shall provide verbal or written approval indicating the specific date and time for the society to address the students and the location where the address may occur. Only if no patriotic youth societies request the opportunity to address students during any of the above‑referenced weeks shall a school be considered to have fulfilled the requirements of this section if it incorporates the curricula pursuant to Section 53‑3‑150(B)(2) into lesson plans for all students during the applicable week.”

SECTION 3. Section 53‑3‑150(B) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(B) The State Superintendent of Education shall ~~encourage~~ require school districts to:

(1) observe ‘Patriot Day’, ‘Constitution Day’, and ‘Patriotism Week’ by holding appropriate ceremonies, events, and assemblies on school grounds, including time allotted for youth patriotic society addresses to students as provided in Section 59‑1‑465; and

(2) develop appropriate curricula that focus on the purposes of ‘Patriot Day’, ‘Constitution Day’, and ‘Patriotism Week’.”

SECTION 4 The provisions of this act take effect July 1, 2023. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. FELDER explained the amendment.

Rep. GOVAN moved to adjourn debate on the Bill.

Rep. FELDER moved to table the motion.

Rep. FORREST demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 81; Nays 21

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Anderson | Bailey |
| Ballentine | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brawley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Garvin |
| Gilliam | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Hyde | Jefferson | J. E. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--81**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Bernstein | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Gilliard | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Hosey |
| J. L. Johnson | Kirby | Matthews |
| McDaniel | J. Moore | Murray |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Weeks |

**Total—21**

So, the motion to adjourn debate was tabled.

The question then recurred to the adoption of the amendment, which was agreed to.

Reps. GILLIARD, COBB‑HUNTER, HENEGAN, BRAWLEY, KING, RIVERS, GARVIN, MATTHEWS, K.O. JOHNSON, CLYBURN, ALEXANDER, R. WILLIAMS, HOWARD, McDANIEL and THIGPEN proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 969 (COUNCIL\DG\969C001.NBD.DG22), which was rejected:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Chapter 3, Title 16 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Article 21

Hate Crimes

Section 16‑3‑2310. A person who commits an offense contained in this chapter with the intent to assault, intimidate, or threaten a person because of his race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, sexual orientation, or homelessness is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than two thousand dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, or imprisoned not less than two years nor more than fifteen years, or both. Two thousand dollars of a fine and two years of a sentence imposed pursuant to the provisions of this article may not be suspended. A sentence imposed pursuant to the provisions of this section is in addition to any other sentence imposed for another offense and is not a lesser‑included offense of another offense; and any sentence imposed pursuant to the provisions of this section must be served consecutively. For purposes of this section, ‘sexual orientation’ means a person’s actual or perceived heterosexuality, bisexuality, homosexuality, or gender identity or expression.”

SECTION 2. Section 16‑11‑510 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 16‑11‑510. (A) It is unlawful for a person to wilfully and maliciously cut, shoot, maim, wound, or otherwise injure or destroy any horse, mule, cattle, hog, sheep, goat, or any other kind, class, article, or description of personal property, or the goods and chattels of another.

(B) A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a:

(1) felony and, upon conviction, must be fined in the discretion of the court or imprisoned not more than ten years, or both, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth ten thousand dollars or more;

(2) felony and, upon conviction, must be fined in the discretion of the court or imprisoned not more than five years, or both, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth more than two thousand dollars but less than ten thousand dollars;

(3) misdemeanor triable in magistrates court or municipal court, notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 22‑3‑540, 22‑3‑545, 22‑3‑550, and 14‑25‑65, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth two thousand dollars or less. Upon conviction, the person must be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned, not more than thirty days, or both.

(C) A person who violates the provisions of subsection (A) with the intent to assault, intimidate, or threaten a person because of his race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, sexual orientation, or homelessness is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than two thousand dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, or imprisoned not less than two years nor more than fifteen years, or both. Two thousand dollars of a fine and two years of a sentence imposed pursuant to the provisions of this subsection may not be suspended. For purposes of this section, ‘sexual orientation’ means a person’s actual or perceived heterosexuality, bisexuality, homosexuality, or gender identity or expression.”

SECTION 3. Section 16‑11‑520 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 16‑11‑520. (A) It is unlawful for a person to wilfully and maliciously cut, mutilate, deface, or otherwise injure a tree, house, outside fence, or fixture of another or commit ~~any other~~ another trespass upon real property of another person.

(B) A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a:

(1) felony and, upon conviction, must be fined in the discretion of the court or imprisoned not more than ten years, or both, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth ten thousand dollars or more;

(2) felony and, upon conviction, must be fined in the discretion of the court or imprisoned not more than five years, or both, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth more than two thousand dollars but less than ten thousand dollars;

(3) misdemeanor triable in magistrates court or municipal court, notwithstanding the provisions of Sections 22‑3‑540, 22‑3‑545, 22‑3‑550, and 14‑25‑65, if the injury to the property or the property loss is worth two thousand dollars or less. Upon conviction, the person must be fined not more than one thousand dollars, or imprisoned not more than thirty days, or both.

(C) A person who violates the provisions of subsection (A) with the intent to assault, intimidate, or threaten a person because of his race, religion, color, sex, age, national origin, sexual orientation, or homelessness is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than two thousand dollars nor more than ten thousand dollars, or imprisoned not less than two years nor more than fifteen years, or both. Two thousand dollars of a fine and two years of a sentence imposed pursuant to the provisions of this subsection may not be suspended. For purposes of this section, ‘sexual orientation’ means a person’s actual or perceived heterosexuality, bisexuality, homosexuality, or gender identity or expression.”

SECTION 4. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

SECTION 5. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. GILLIARD explained the amendment.

The amendment was rejected by a division vote of 45 to 55.

Rep. MORGAN proposed the following Amendment No. 3 to S. 969 (COUNCIL\WAB\969C002.JN.WAB22), which was ruled out of order:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. Chapter 29, Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Article 5

Academic Transparency and Integrity

Section 59‑29‑600. (A) It is the intent of the General Assembly that:

(1) all students learn in a positive learning environment where they are made to feel welcomed, supported, and respected;

(2) high school students graduate having learned critical thinking skills and being college ready and career ready;

(3) teachers, faculty, and staff strive to provide the best educational opportunity possible to their students;

(4) the State Department of Education, State Board of Education, and Education Oversight Committee regularly review, revise, and publish statewide academic standards that are fair, thorough, and respectful of teachers and students;

(5) statewide academic standards, especially in social studies, remain well written to help ensure that complete histories of South Carolina and the United States are offered to students;

(6) administrators, teachers, parents, students, and the local community share the responsibility for helping students obtain the best education possible;

(7) ideological and viewpoint biases should not be presented as fact to students who receive instruction in public school;

(8) parents and students are able to raise awareness and have their concerns about objectionable material heard and addressed whenever a topic is presented in a way that is biased toward one ideology;

(9) administrators, teachers, and parents work to remove ideological biases from the pre‑Kindergarten to grade twelve school setting; and

(10) this State ultimately is seen as a model for comprehensive, fair, and factual instruction.

(B) The General Assembly further states its intent that:

(1) students:

(a) treat teachers, aides, faculty, staff, volunteers, and their fellow students with respect, dignity, and kindness; and

(b) strive to do their best as they grow and learn;

(2) parents:

(a) engage with their children’s school to ensure that teachers and staff are supported; and

(b) strive to make certain that students come to school prepared to learn and act in a way that leads to a positive school environment;

(3) teachers:

(a) strive to educate all students in a way that makes them feel welcomed, encouraged, and appreciated;

(b) work closely with parents to ensure that students are given opportunities to grow and learn;

(4) principals and other administrators provide support and guidance to teachers and students, and the observation, mentoring, and training of teachers is a constant and ongoing activity;

(5) superintendents and district‑level staff ensure that schools are given the assistance and resources needed to assist in teaching and learning for both students and teachers;

(6) local school boards of trustees:

(a) be vested in, and aware of, district and school operations;

(b) function in an open and transparent manner to ensure that schools operate efficiently and effectively;

(c) seek and value input from teachers; and

(d) encourage greater parental engagement; and

(7) communities:

(a) support local schools; and

(b) foster environments that support students, parents, teachers, faculty, and staff.

Section 59‑29‑610. For purposes of this article:

(1) ‘LEA’ means a local education agency, to include the sponsor of a public charter school pursuant to Section 59‑40‑40, and the:

(1) Governor’s School for the Arts and Humanities;

(2) Governor’s School for Agriculture at John de la Howe;

(3) Special School of Science and Mathematics, also referred to as the Governor’s School for Science and Mathematics;

(4) Wil Lou Gray Opportunity School; and

(5) South Carolina School for the Deaf and the Blind.

(2) ‘Parent’ means the biological parent, stepparent, legal custodian, or other person responsible for the welfare of a child in a parental capacity, excluding an individual whose parental relationship to the child has been legally terminated.

Section 59‑29‑620. (A) The following prohibited concepts may not be included or promoted in a course of instruction, curriculum, assignment, instructional program, instructional material (including primary or supplemental materials, whether in print, digital, or online), surveys or questionnaires, or professional educator development or training, nor may a student, employee, or volunteer be compelled to affirm, accept, adopt, or adhere to such prohibited concepts:

(1) one race, sex, ethnicity, color, or national origin is inherently superior to another race, sex, ethnicity, color, or national origin;

(2) an individual, by virtue of the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual, inherently is privileged, racist, sexist, or oppressive, whether consciously or subconsciously;

(3) an individual should be discriminated against or receive adverse treatment because of the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual;

(4) the moral character of an individual is determined by the race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin of the individual;

(5) an individual, by virtue of the race or sex of the individual, bears responsibility for actions committed in the past by other members of the same race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin;

(6) meritocracy or traits such as a hard work ethic:

(a) are racist, sexist, belong to the principles of one religion; or

(b) were created by members of a particular race, sex, or religion to oppress members of another race, sex, ethnicity, color, national origin or religion; and

(7) fault, blame, or bias should be assigned to race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin, or to members of a race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin because of their race, sex, ethnicity, religion, color, or national origin.

(B) Library and media center material, both printed and electronically accessible, must be age appropriate and grade appropriate.

(C) A student, administrator, teacher, staff member, other school or district employee, or volunteer may not be required to engage in any form of mandatory gender or sexual diversity training or counseling unless it is prescribed as part of a corrective action plan pursuant to Section 59‑29‑630(J).

(D) Instruction or instructional materials which create a narrative that the United States was founded for the purpose of oppression, that the American Revolution was fought for the purpose of protecting oppression or that United States history is a story defined by oppression is hereby prohibited. Notwithstanding subsection (A), LEAs are not prohibited from including concepts as part of a course of instruction, in a curriculum or instructional program, or through the use of supplemental instructional materials if those concepts involve:

(1) the history of an ethnic group, as described in the South Carolina State Standards and instructional materials adopted pursuant to the South Carolina Code of Regulations 43‑70 (Textbook Adoption);

(2) the impartial discussion of controversial aspects of history; or

(3) the impartial instruction on the historical oppression of a particular group of people based on race, ethnicity, class, nationality, religion, or geographic region.

(E) The department shall create and make accessible model lesson plans for LEAs to utilize in all grades and subject areas.

Section 59‑29‑630. The department shall create a complaint form, which LEAs shall prominently post on their website, for use when an individual files a complaint alleging violations of Section 59‑29‑620. At a minimum, the department must ensure the complaint form includes:

(1) the name and contact information of the complainant;

(2) the name of the school in which the alleged violation took place;

(3) a brief description of the prohibited concept at issue;

(4) a brief statement on why the concept at issue is a prohibited concept;

(5) the name of the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept;

(6) the name of the individual who may have knowledge of the allegations;

(7) a list of documentation or materials supporting the complainant’s allegations, including copies of such documentation where possible;

(8) the approximate date on which the prohibited concept was included or promoted; and

(9) location, either physical or virtual, of the printed or electronically available material.

Section 59‑29‑640. (A)(1) Each LEA shall:

(a) provide a statement on its website announcing the rights of parents to review curriculum and other material under the Protection of Pupil Rights Amendment as contained in 20 U.S.C. Section 1232h;

(b) provide annual notice of Section 59‑29‑620 to staff, students, and parents;

(c) ensure compliance with Section 59‑29‑620 by investigating suspected violations and complaints alleging violations as provided in this article;

(d) post the complaint form provided by the department pursuant to Section 59‑29‑630 for filing a complaint to allege a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 on the website of the LEA;

(e) prohibit retaliation for filing a complaint or participating in an investigation;

(f) obtain written consent from a parent prior to the participation of a minor student in the investigative process, including consent for the minor to be interviewed;

(g) provide instructions for filing an appeal of the LEA determination with the department in a written determination to an eligible complainant; and

(h) before July 1, 2022, and each year thereafter, provide a report to the department containing a summary of the:

(i) number of complaints filed with a description of the nature of each complaint;

(ii) number of complaints closed;

(iii) number of complaints pending;

(iv) number of resolution agreements successfully executed;

(v) number of complaints substantiated; and

(vi) number of complaints not substantiated.

(2) Before the 2027‑2028 School Year, an LEA shall compile and provide records of item (1)(a) through (f) that encompass the previous five school years in the annual report required in item (1)(h). The department shall provide a report summarizing the information of each district to the General Assembly before July 1, 2022, and each year thereafter.

(B) Before the 2022‑2023 School Year, the department shall create, and each LEA shall adopt, a policy for procedures used to report and investigate an alleged violation of Section 59‑29‑620 with the LEA, which must include:

(1) instructions detailing how to file a complaint alleging a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 with the LEA;

(2) a requirement that the complainant be:

(a) a current student of the LEA in which the allegation arose;

(b) the parent of a current student of the LEA in which the allegation arose; or

(c) an employee of the LEA in which the allegation arose.

(3) A timeline for the investigation of an LEA by the department, including when a:

(a) complaint must be received;

(b) response must be provided; and

(c) decision must be rendered.

(C) An LEA shall work collaboratively with parents, teachers, and other employees to resolve concerns and complaints. At any point after a complaint is filed but before the LEA has issued a final written determination, the parties may reach an early resolution of an allegation through a resolution agreement, which shall include any agreed upon terms of the early resolution. An LEA is not required to complete its investigation or issue a final written determination once it has entered a resolution agreement with the complainant.

(D) The complainant or individual alleged to have violated Section 59‑29‑620 may file an appeal of the final written determination of an LEA with the State Board within fifteen calendar days after receiving the final written determination.

(E) Within ten calendar days after the appeal is filed with the State Board, it shall send written notification acknowledging receipt to all parties involved.

(F) The LEA may not take disciplinary or licensure action against an educator for a violation of Section 59‑29‑620 before the State Board sends a final written determination letter to all parties involved.

(G) As part of an investigation, the State Board may:

(1) request an investigative file from the LEA;

(2) interview a complainant, the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept, or another individual considered necessary by the State Board; and

(3) request any new or additional relevant physical or electronic evidence from the LEA or any witness.

(H) Within forty calendar days after receiving an appeal, the State Board shall determine whether:

(1) allegations in the original complaint are substantiated; and

(2) the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620. An LEA must be deemed to have knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620 if the LEA:

(a) received a complaint alleging and became aware that a prohibited concept was included or promoted in a course of instruction, curriculum, instructional program, or supplemental instructional materials but failed to initiate an investigation or remedy a violation;

(b) initiated an investigation but failed to make a timely determination about whether an allegation was substantiated; or

(c) determined that the allegation was substantiated but failed to remedy the violation.

(I) The State Board shall issue a written determination letter to the complainant, the individual alleged to have included or promoted the prohibited concept, and the LEA from which the allegation arose. This determination letter is subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act of 1974 (FERPA), 20 U.S.C. Section 1232g and any law of this State that relates to the privacy of student information.

(J) Pending the issuance of a final order by the State Board in a proceeding pursuant to this section, no preliminary information gathered by the department concerning misconduct reasonably believed to constitute grounds for disciplinary action, including the name and certificate number of the certified educator, may be disclosed to any third party.

(K) If the State Board determines that the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620, the:

(1) LEA shall enter into a corrective action plan that:

(a) identifies specific acts or steps the LEA will take to resolve the noncompliance;

(b) specifies deadlines for the completion of the required acts or steps; and

(c) specifies dates for submission of reports and documentation to the State Board verifying implementation; and

(2) State Board shall:

(a) monitor the corrective action plan to ensure the LEA complies with the terms of the plan;

(b) provide written notice to the LEA of any deficiencies in implementation and request immediate and appropriate action to address those deficiencies;

(c) require additions to the corrective action plan to address the failure of the LEA to fully implement commitments in the original plan when necessary; and

(d) conclude the monitoring of the corrective action plan when the State Board determines that the LEA fully has implemented the terms of the plan by providing written notification to the LEA.

(L) If the State Board determines the LEA knowingly violated Section 59‑29‑620 or the LEA fails to adhere to the corrective action plans, the department may withhold up to five percent of a LEA’s funds appropriated as part of the State Aid Classrooms.

Section 59‑29‑650. (A) Beginning with the 2022‑2023 School Year and each school year thereafter, each LEA prominently shall post information regarding curriculum and instructional materials on the school district website. The information must indicate the materials used by school, grade or course, and subject matter, and must include:

(1) a listing of the approved textbook for every course offered in the district;

(2) a link to statewide academic standards;

(3) relevant district policies concerning curriculum development and academic transparency; and

(4) a process for which parents may review and contest instructional materials and library and media center materials being used.

(B) At the start of each school year, an LEA shall communicate to parents how they may access the information and materials required in subsection (A).

(C) A school shall ensure that every course offered provides students and parents with a course syllabus that includes:

(1) an overview of instructional topics;

(2) classroom expectations;

(3) grading procedures;

(4) primary textbooks and instructional materials;

(5) teacher contact information;

(6) information on accessing the course Learning Management System; and

(7) the link to state standards, if available.

(D) Course syllabi must be distributed to students and families within the first five days of class and should remain accessible to families online throughout the school year.

Section 59‑29‑660. (A) The State Superintendent of Education shall make arrangements for a thirty day public review of materials recommended by the instructional materials review panels before taking those recommendations to the State Board of Education. The public review sites must be geographically distributed around the State at as many state‑supported colleges and universities or, if necessary, other designated sites that agree to host the reviews. Public review sites must be advertised in each congressional district in the newspaper with the largest circulation figures for that district, on the website of the department, and on social media sites used by the department.

(B) The State Board shall hold a public hearing before adopting any textbook or instructional material for use in the schools of this State.”

Section 59‑29‑670. A school may not accept teaching materials or technology which contains an application, link, or other access to pornographic or other prohibited materials. A school district that receives such materials must receive disciplinary action as stated in the complaint process. /

Amend the bill further, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. Section 59‑28‑180 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 59‑28‑180. (A) Parent involvement influences student learning and academic performance; therefore, parents are expected to:

(1) uphold high expectations for academic achievement;

(2) expect and communicate expectations for success;

(3) recognize that parental involvement in middle and high school is equally as critical as in elementary school;

(4) ensure attendance and punctuality;

(5) attend parent‑teacher conferences;

(6) monitor and check homework;

(7) communicate with the school and teachers;

(8) build partnerships with teachers to promote successful school experiences;

(9) attend, when possible, school events;

(10) model desirable behaviors;

(11) use encouraging words;

(12) stimulate thought and curiosity; ~~and~~

(13) show support for school expectations and efforts to increase student learning; and

(14) be the primary source of their student’s education in regard to learning morals, ethics, and civic responsibility.

(B) During the annual school registration process or whenever a student is registered in a school, the school shall provide each parent who enrolls a child in the school a printed ‘Pledge of Parental Expectations’ that the State Department of Education shall develop, in which a parent may affirmatively commit to meeting the expectations outlined in subsection (A). The school shall encourage parents to sign the pledge and emphasize its importance during any orientation or open house events.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

**POINT OF ORDER**

Rep. COBB-HUNTER raised the Rule 9.3 Point of Order that Amendment No. 3 was not germane to the S. 969.

Rep. MORGAN argued contra.

The SPEAKER *PRO TEMPORE* stated that the substantial effect of Amendment No. 3 was not related to the substantial effect of the Bill, and he sustained the Point of Order.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 4 to S. 969 (COUNCIL\DG\969C002.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 1, by adding a subsection at the end to read:

/ “( ) The provisions of this section also apply to any private school that receives any public funding.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 104; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Bamberg |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brawley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Hart | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Hosey | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | King |
| Kirby | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| Matthews | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| J. Moore | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| Murray | B. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Rivers |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | White |
| Whitmire | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--104**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

**S. 1024--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1024 -- Senators Rankin, Goldfinch, Hembree, Sabb and Williams: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-320, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF VOTING PRECINCTS IN HORRY COUNTY, SO AS TO DELETE SIX PRECINCTS, TO ADD SEVEN PRECINCTS, AND TO REDESIGNATE THE MAP NUMBER ON WHICH THE NAMES OF THESE PRECINCTS MAY BE FOUND AND MAINTAINED BY THE REVENUE AND FISCAL AFFAIRS OFFICE.

Reps. LUCAS, G. M. SMITH, MURPHY and JORDAN proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1024 (COUNCIL\AHB\ 1024C001.BH.AHB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. A. Chapter 1, Title 2 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 2-1-46. Beginning with the 2024 General Election, one representative of the House of Representatives must be elected from each of the following districts:

DISTRICT 1

Area Population

County: Oconee SC

Holly Springs 652

Keowee 2,771

Long Creek 628

Madison 923

Mountain Rest 1,326

Richland 1,620

Salem 2,988

Stamp Creek 2,750

Tamassee 1,764

Walhalla 1 5,967

Walhalla 2 5,316

West Union 3,010

Westminster 1 4,767

Westminster 2 3,336

County Oconee SC Subtotal 37,818

County: Pickens SC

Albert R. Lewis

Tract 102.01

Blocks: 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2031 80

Tract 102.02

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013 901

Albert R. Lewis Subtotal 981

Holly Springs

Tract 101

Blocks: 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1101, 1106, 1107, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1136 574

Tract 102.01

Blocks: 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2060 19

Holly Springs Subtotal 593

Mountain View 2,161

Six Mile Mountain

Tract 103.01

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1027, 1028, 1034, 1035, 1036, 2000, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2033 702

Six Mile Mountain Subtotal 702

County Pickens SC Subtotal 4,437

DISTRICT 1 Total 42,255

Area Population

DISTRICT 2

Area Population

County: Oconee SC

Bountyland 2,717

Earles Grove 1,433

Fair Play 1,314

Friendship 3,195

New Hope 2,801

Newry-Corinth 421

Oakway 2,043

Ravenel 3,842

Return 1,177

Seneca 1 4,318

Seneca 2 3,068

Seneca 3 2,076

Seneca 4 4,356

Shiloh 2,567

South Union 2,247

Tokeena-Providence 1,865

Utica 1,349

County Oconee SC Subtotal 40,789

County: Pickens SC

Stone Church

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 2061 0

Stone Church Subtotal 0

County Pickens SC Subtotal 0

DISTRICT 2 Total 40,789

Area Population

DISTRICT 3

Area Population

County: Pickens SC

Abel 2,291

Calhoun 3,546

Clemson 2,784

Flat Rock

Tract 110.03

Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2043 254

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045 234

Flat Rock Subtotal 488

Issaqueena 1,625

Lawrence Chapel 1,668

Morrison 5,468

Norris

Tract 103.01

Blocks: 1057, 1059, 1060, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056 366

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 3001, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3030 350

Tract 111.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1061, 1063 844

Norris Subtotal 1,560

North Central 1,938

Pike 1,598

Praters Creek

Tract 104.03

Blocks: 1051 0

Tract 110.01

Blocks: 2027, 2028 0

Praters Creek Subtotal 0

Six Mile 2,330

Six Mile Mountain

Tract 103.01

Blocks: 1039, 1040, 1041, 1047, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1058, 2001, 2004, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2018, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2034, 2039, 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2057 1332

Tract 103.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1004, 1005 209

Six Mile Mountain Subtotal 1,541

South Central 2,426

Stone Church

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058 11

Tract 112.06

Blocks: 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 1897

Tract 112.07

Blocks: 1004, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1022 108

Stone Church Subtotal 2,016

University 7,248

West Central 3,616

West Liberty

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 3028 0

West Liberty Subtotal 0

County Pickens SC Subtotal 42,143

DISTRICT 3 Total 42,143

Area Population

DISTRICT 4

Area Population

County: Pickens SC

Albert R. Lewis

Tract 102.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2031 959

Albert R. Lewis Subtotal 959

Arial Mill 1,893

Cedar Rock 1,798

Crescent Hill 1,896

Crossroads 2,156

Dacusville 1,689

East Liberty 1,915

East Pickens 2,028

Georges Creek

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017 323

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 3016 18

Georges Creek Subtotal 341

Glassy Mountain 2,090

Griffin 2,208

Holly Springs

Tract 101

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1008, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1068, 1069, 1076, 1100, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1125, 1126, 1127, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1135, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064 844

Tract 104.01

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 534

Holly Springs Subtotal 1,378

Lenhardt

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1011, 1012, 1013 729

Lenhardt Subtotal 729

Nine Forks 1,909

Norris

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 3000, 3002, 3003, 3012, 3013, 3029 291

Norris Subtotal 291

North Liberty 1,871

North Pickens 2,094

Praters Creek

Tract 102.02

Blocks: 1019, 1020 23

Tract 103.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1037, 1038, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1048, 1053 593

Tract 104.03

Blocks: 1029, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1049, 1050, 1052, 1053, 1054 458

Tract 104.04

Blocks: 1042, 1043, 1044 0

Tract 110.01

Blocks: 2024, 2025, 2026, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033 317

Praters Creek Subtotal 1,391

Pumpkintown 2,141

Rices Creek 2,051

Skelton 1,725

South Pickens 2,147

Vinland

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 590

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 3008, 3015, 3019, 3020 246

Vinland Subtotal 836

West Liberty

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 2025, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2043, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027 2031

Tract 110.05

Blocks: 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045 161

West Liberty Subtotal 2,192

West Pickens 2,264

County Pickens SC Subtotal 41,992

DISTRICT 4 Total 41,992

Area Population

DISTRICT 5

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

WESTCLIFFE

Tract 36.01

Blocks: 3000, 3009, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3021, 3022, 3023 282

Tract 37.01

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1025 76

Tract 37.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 2022

WESTCLIFFE Subtotal 2,380

WESTSIDE

Tract 22.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001 84

Tract 37.04

Blocks: 1004, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 2888

WESTSIDE Subtotal 2,972

County Greenville SC Subtotal 5,352

County: Pickens SC

Brushy Creek 2,398

Crestview 1,883

Crosswell 2,398

Easley 2,225

Flat Rock

Tract 110.03

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2044, 2045, 2046 1520

Tract 110.04

Blocks: 1042, 1043, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041 175

Tract 110.05

Blocks: 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039 3

Flat Rock Subtotal 1,698

Forest Acres 1,616

Fruit Mountain 1,600

Georges Creek

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 3017, 3018, 3022, 3023 1064

Tract 108.02

Blocks: 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032 222

Georges Creek Subtotal 1,286

Lenhardt

Tract 108.02

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3033 837

Lenhardt Subtotal 837

McKissick 2,076

Pendleton 1,768

Pickensville 1,866

Pope Field 1,539

Rock Springs

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 761

Tract 108.02

Blocks: 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2064, 2066, 2067, 2069, 2070, 2071 367

Rock Springs Subtotal 1,128

Sheffield 1,655

Simpson 2,164

Sitton 1,814

Smith Grove 1,611

Vinland

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2013, 2014, 2015 743

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 3007 12

Vinland Subtotal 755

Woodside 2,475

Zion 1,998

County Pickens SC Subtotal 36,790

DISTRICT 5 Total 42,142

Area Population

DISTRICT 6

Area Population

County: Anderson SC

Anderson 1/1 2,837

Bishop’s Branch 3,108

Brushy Creek

Tract 101.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3023, 3024, 3025 2054

Tract 101.07

Blocks: 1019 215

Tract 101.08

Blocks: 1040, 2000, 2001, 2007, 2030 616

Brushy Creek Subtotal 2,885

Edgewood Station A

Tract 8

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013 518

Tract 9

Blocks: 1007, 1008 3

Tract 10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1015, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1051, 1052, 1053 1309

Tract 111

Blocks: 2017, 2018, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041 506

Edgewood Station A Subtotal 2,336

Edgewood Station B 2,776

Five Forks 2,051

Hopewell 2,228

La France

Tract 106.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2036 869

Tract 107.01

Blocks: 1041, 1042, 1043 14

Tract 107.02

Blocks: 2023, 2024, 2025, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 270

La France Subtotal 1,153

Melton 855

North Point 2,584

Pendleton

Tract 107.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1032, 1033, 1034, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2085, 2086 1713

Tract 107.02

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 3021, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068 2838

Pendleton Subtotal 4,551

Piercetown

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1029, 1033, 1034, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2050 2984

Piercetown Subtotal 2,984

Three and Twenty 4,138

Town Creek 2,162

White Plains

Tract 101.06

Blocks: 3010, 3011, 3012, 3022 183

Tract 101.08

Blocks: 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2032, 2033, 2034 536

Tract 105.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 2880

White Plains Subtotal 3,599

County Anderson SC Subtotal 40,247

DISTRICT 6 Total 40,247

Area Population

DISTRICT 7

Area Population

County: Abbeville SC

Broadmouth

Tract 9501

Blocks: 1031, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1075 67

Broadmouth Subtotal 67

Keowee

Tract 9501

Blocks: 1047, 1048, 1049 14

Keowee Subtotal 14

County Abbeville SC Subtotal 81

County: Anderson SC

Anderson 3/2

Tract 113.02

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041 536

Tract 123

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044 259

Anderson 3/2 Subtotal 795

Anderson 4/2 3,352

Barker’s Creek 586

Belton 3,376

Belton Annex 2,832

Bowling Green

Tract 104.06

Blocks: 1024, 1028, 1030, 1035, 1036, 1037 293

Bowling Green Subtotal 293

Broadview 829

Broadway 1,332

Cedar Grove 2,437

Chiquola Mill 1,411

Craytonville 1,617

Friendship 1,366

Hall 2,603

High Point 854

Honea Path 2,192

Iva 2,661

Jackson Mill

Tract 117.02

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1016, 2000, 2001, 2013, 3000, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3087, 3088, 3089 1197

Jackson Mill Subtotal 1,197

Neals Creek 3,379

Rock Spring 1,172

Shirleys Store 1,232

South Fant

Tract 119.02

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2034, 2035, 2036 1299

South Fant Subtotal 1,299

Toney Creek 1,140

Wrights School 1,193

County Anderson SC Subtotal 39,148

County: Greenville SC

DUNKLIN

Tract 32.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 3034, 3035 1063

DUNKLIN Subtotal 1,063

County Greenville SC Subtotal 1,063

DISTRICT 7 Total 40,292

Area Population

DISTRICT 8

Area Population

County: Anderson SC

Anderson 5/B 2,459

Anderson 6/2 2,602

Appleton-Equinox 1,916

Center Rock 3,616

Centerville Station A 4,083

Centerville Station B 4,150

Denver-Sandy Springs 2,091

Edgewood Station A

Tract 111

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2036 1254

Edgewood Station A Subtotal 1,254

Fork No. 1 1,967

Fork No. 2 2,241

Green Pond Station A 3,705

La France

Tract 106.02

Blocks: 2032, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2042 78

Tract 107.01

Blocks: 1044, 1047 26

Tract 108

Blocks: 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 259

La France Subtotal 363

Lakeside 3,816

Mount Tabor 3,316

Pendleton

Tract 107.01

Blocks: 1029, 1030, 1031, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1045, 1046 199

Pendleton Subtotal 199

South Fant

Tract 6

Blocks: 4000, 4004, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046 437

Tract 7.02

Blocks: 2051, 2052, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060 56

Tract 119.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1011, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032 697

South Fant Subtotal 1,190

Townville 1,107

Varennes

Tract 119.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1043 918

Tract 120.02

Blocks: 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 152

Varennes Subtotal 1,070

County Anderson SC Subtotal 41,145

DISTRICT 8 Total 41,145

Area Population

DISTRICT 9

Area Population

County: Anderson SC

Anderson 1/2 1,772

Anderson 2/1 1,962

Anderson 2/2 5,186

Anderson 3/1 1,798

Anderson 3/2

Tract 3

Blocks: 1024 6

Tract 5

Blocks: 1004, 1019 0

Tract 112.03

Blocks: 2004, 2006 149

Tract 123

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2050 1143

Anderson 3/2 Subtotal 1,298

Anderson 4/1 2,544

Anderson 6/1 2,878

Bowling Green

Tract 104.05

Blocks: 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 715

Tract 104.06

Blocks: 1029, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034 224

Bowling Green Subtotal 939

Cox Creek 1,878

Glenview 2,700

Hammond Annex 2,618

Hammond School 3,547

Pelzer 1,434

Piercetown

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1027, 1028, 1046 116

Piercetown Subtotal 116

South Fant

Tract 6

Blocks: 4023 0

South Fant Subtotal 0

West Pelzer

Tract 103

Blocks: 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1021, 1024, 1029, 2005, 2007, 2012, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 4036, 4037 1601

West Pelzer Subtotal 1,601

White Plains

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1030, 1031, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050 347

Tract 105.02

Blocks: 1054, 1055, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2032 853

White Plains Subtotal 1,200

Williamston 3,465

Williamston Mill 5,038

County Anderson SC Subtotal 41,974

DISTRICT 9 Total 41,974

Area Population

DISTRICT 10

Area Population

County: Anderson SC

Brushy Creek

Tract 101.06

Blocks: 1010, 3001, 3002 456

Brushy Creek Subtotal 456

Concrete 4,982

Hunt Meadows 6,104

Mt. Airy 3,365

Piedmont 1,663

Powdersville 5,048

Simpsonville 4,165

West Pelzer

Tract 103

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1019, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016 1479

West Pelzer Subtotal 1,479

County Anderson SC Subtotal 27,262

County: Greenville SC

AIKEN

Tract 21.04

Blocks: 1014, 1015, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030 574

AIKEN Subtotal 574

GROVE

Tract 35

Blocks: 1012, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1062, 1063, 1064 389

GROVE Subtotal 389

PIEDMONT

Tract 33.01

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2031, 2032, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2048, 2049, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4030, 4031 2307

PIEDMONT Subtotal 2,307

TANGLEWOOD

Tract 36.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019 2486

TANGLEWOOD Subtotal 2,486

WELCOME

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015 2523

WELCOME Subtotal 2,523

WESTCLIFFE

Tract 21.04

Blocks: 1026, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037 148

Tract 36.01

Blocks: 3003, 3011, 3012, 3020, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030 427

WESTCLIFFE Subtotal 575

County Greenville SC Subtotal 8,854

County: Pickens SC

McAlister 1,770

Rock Springs

Tract 109.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3043 1124

Rock Springs Subtotal 1,124

Saluda 2,241

Tri County 907

County Pickens SC Subtotal 6,042

DISTRICT 10 Total 42,158

Area Population

DISTRICT 11

Area Population

County: Abbeville SC

Abbeville No. 1 2,348

Abbeville No. 2 2,160

Abbeville No. 3 2,169

Abbeville No. 4 1,188

Antreville 1,725

Broadmouth

Tract 9501

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1053, 1058, 1060, 1061, 1070, 1071, 1073, 1074, 2020 663

Broadmouth Subtotal 663

Calhoun Falls 2,347

Cold Springs 1,483

Donalds 851

Due West 2,698

Hall’s Store 1,021

Keowee

Tract 9501

Blocks: 1050, 1051, 1052, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1059, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069 498

Tract 9502

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 2049, 2050, 3036 1354

Tract 9503

Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1003, 1042 40

Keowee Subtotal 1,892

Lebanon 1,008

Lowndesville 1,572

Smithville 1,089

County Abbeville SC Subtotal 24,214

County: Anderson SC

Flat Rock 2,591

Gluck Mill 2,953

Homeland Park 933

Jackson Mill

Tract 117.02

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 3092, 3093, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050 766

Tract 122

Blocks: 4026, 4027, 4028, 4030, 4044, 4047, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4056, 4062 38

Jackson Mill Subtotal 804

Mountain Creek 1,751

Rock Mill 1,486

Starr 1,304

Varennes

Tract 119.01

Blocks: 1019, 1021, 1022, 1029, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 3024, 3025, 3027 1227

Varennes Subtotal 1,227

West Savannah 893

County Anderson SC Subtotal 13,942

County: Laurens SC

BREWERTON - PRINCETON 1,123

MARTINS-POPLAR SPRINGS 1,078

County Laurens SC Subtotal 2,201

DISTRICT 11 Total 40,357

Area Population

DISTRICT 12

Area Population

County: Greenwood SC

Ashley River Run 1,200

Bee’s Ferry 2,229

Bradley 315

Callison

Tract 9709

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 134

Callison Subtotal 134

Civic Center 2,025

Emerald 1,032

Fairhope Ferry 2,396

Gideon’s Way

Tract 9706.02

Blocks: 1000, 1008, 1016, 1017 11

Tract 9707.02

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1029, 1044 1226

Gideon’s Way Subtotal 1,237

Grandiflora Glen 1,491

Greenwood Mill

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 1000, 1009, 1010, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 3009, 3010 113

Greenwood Mill Subtotal 113

Hope’s Ferry 1,889

Laco 1,824

Levi’s Knoll 3,385

Liberty 1,741

Loblolly Pines 1,765

Marshall Oaks 1,199

Mimosa Crest

Tract 9702.02

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009 383

Tract 9703.01

Blocks: 3000, 3001 0

Mimosa Crest Subtotal 383

Mountain Laurel 1,998

New Market 1,613

Ninety Six

Tract 9707.02

Blocks: 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2036, 4037 620

Ninety Six Subtotal 620

Pebble Stone Way 1,255

Troy 216

Verdery

Tract 9708.02

Blocks: 2024, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2071, 2073, 2074, 2075 410

Tract 9709

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2086 278

Verdery Subtotal 688

County Greenwood SC Subtotal 30,748

County: McCormick SC 9,526

DISTRICT 12 Total 40,274

Area Population

DISTRICT 13

Area Population

County: Greenwood SC

Airport 1,700

Allie’s Crossing 1,154

Angel Oak’s Crossing 1,709

Biltmore Pines 1,559

Callison

Tract 9708.02

Blocks: 2070 15

Tract 9709

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 2026, 2051 961

Tract 9710

Blocks: 1039, 1040, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2050, 2051, 2055, 2070 338

Callison Subtotal 1,314

Cokesbury 1,437

Coronaca 1,605

Emerald High 710

Epworth 1,004

Georgetown 1,570

Gideon’s Way

Tract 9707.02

Blocks: 1001 6

Gideon’s Way Subtotal 6

Glendale 928

Graham’s Glen 1,271

Greenwood High 1,381

Greenwood Mill

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3028, 3072 1079

Greenwood Mill Subtotal 1,079

Harris 1,061

Hodges 1,941

Lower Lake 1,361

Maxwellton Pike 994

Mimosa Crest

Tract 9702.02

Blocks: 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011 862

Mimosa Crest Subtotal 862

New Castle 1,437

Ninety Six

Tract 9707.02

Blocks: 1036, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 4036 697

Ninety Six Subtotal 697

Ninety Six Mill 1,198

Parson’s Mill 1,706

Pinecrest 1,401

Riley 344

Rutherford Shoals 1,176

Sandridge 945

Shoals Junction 505

Sparrows Grace 1,679

Stonewood 1,145

Verdery

Tract 9708.02

Blocks: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2025, 2026 523

Verdery Subtotal 523

Ware Shoals 1,201

County Greenwood SC Subtotal 38,603

County: Laurens SC

MOUNT OLIVE 1,830

County Laurens SC Subtotal 1,830

DISTRICT 13 Total 40,433

Area Population

DISTRICT 14

Area Population

County: Laurens SC

BAILEY 1,703

BARKSDALE-NARINE 1,644

CLINTON 3

Tract 9208

Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2045 456

CLINTON 3 Subtotal 456

CLINTON MILL

Tract 9207

Blocks: 1001, 1003, 1004, 1006, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1026, 1027 430

CLINTON MILL Subtotal 430

CROSS HILL 2,286

EKOM 919

GRAY COURT 2,098

GREENPOND 2,496

HICKORY TAVERN 3,523

JONES

Tract 9201.04

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1011, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1038, 1043, 3006 654

Tract 9201.05

Blocks: 2054 0

JONES Subtotal 654

LAURENS 1 1,037

LAURENS 2 964

LAURENS 3 2,155

LAURENS 4 1,308

LAURENS 5 2,349

LAURENS 6 1,848

LONG BRANCH

Tract 9205.01

Blocks: 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1072, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096 670

Tract 9205.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019 304

Tract 9206

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057 823

Tract 9207

Blocks: 1007, 1014, 1015 6

LONG BRANCH Subtotal 1,803

LYDIA MILL

Tract 9203.02

Blocks: 2033 0

Tract 9207

Blocks: 2026, 2027, 2037, 2040, 2042, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3008, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3055, 3056 925

Tract 9208

Blocks: 3029, 3030, 3032, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3057, 3060, 3061 150

LYDIA MILL Subtotal 1,075

MADDENS 1,899

MOUNTVILLE 970

ORA-LANFORD 1,492

OWINGS

Tract 9201.04

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1036, 1037, 1039, 1040, 1044 73

Tract 9201.05

Blocks: 2055 0

Tract 9201.08

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1030, 2009, 2010, 2014, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2033, 2034 625

OWINGS Subtotal 698

TRINITY RIDGE 1,922

WATERLOO 2,259

WATTSVILLE 2,870

County Laurens SC Subtotal 40,858

DISTRICT 14 Total 40,858

Area Population

DISTRICT 15

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Foster Creek 1

Tract 208.09

Blocks: 1034, 1035, 1036 0

Tract 208.10

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1013 561

Tract 209.04

Blocks: 1000 0

Foster Creek 1 Subtotal 561

Hanahan 1

Tract 208.09

Blocks: 1032, 1033, 1038 0

Tract 208.10

Blocks: 1011 0

Tract 209.04

Blocks: 1001, 1002 0

Hanahan 1 Subtotal 0

Harbour Lake 3,979

Howe Hall 1 4,146

Howe Hall 2 1,993

Liberty Hall

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 2027, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007 1572

Liberty Hall Subtotal 1,572

Sedgefield 1 3,030

Sedgefield 3 957

St. James

Tract 208.09

Blocks: 1022, 1023 0

Tract 208.10

Blocks: 1000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2025, 2026 2366

St. James Subtotal 2,366

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 18,604

County: Charleston SC

Deer Park 1A 2,730

Deer Park 1B

Tract 31.07

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3069, 3070 1453

Tract 31.13

Blocks: 1000, 1005 0

Tract 31.15

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2024, 2025, 3000, 3001, 3027, 3029, 3030 3202

Deer Park 1B Subtotal 4,655

Deer Park 2A

Tract 31.13

Blocks: 1014 0

Tract 31.15

Blocks: 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052 1440

Tract 31.16

Blocks: 3007, 3008 1119

Tract 31.17

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 1685

Deer Park 2A Subtotal 4,244

Deer Park 2B

Tract 31.16

Blocks: 1000, 1003, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022, 3009, 3010 2393

Tract 31.17

Blocks: 2003, 2009, 2010, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 627

Deer Park 2B Subtotal 3,020

Deer Park 2C 1,540

Deer Park 3 4,771

North Charleston 29 2,738

County Charleston SC Subtotal 23,698

DISTRICT 15 Total 42,302

Area Population

DISTRICT 16

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BELLS CROSSING

Tract 30.08

Blocks: 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 1481

Tract 30.09

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3018 1541

BELLS CROSSING Subtotal 3,022

FOUNTAIN INN 1 5,157

FOUNTAIN INN 2 2,728

GRAZE BRANCH 2,277

PINEVIEW 1,985

RAINTREE

Tract 30.13

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1016 1824

Tract 31.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040 904

RAINTREE Subtotal 2,728

SIMPSONVILLE 3

Tract 30.11

Blocks: 1018, 1020, 1021, 1051, 1052, 1053 266

SIMPSONVILLE 3 Subtotal 266

SIMPSONVILLE 5

Tract 30.11

Blocks: 1054 61

Tract 31.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1013, 1045, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 1179

SIMPSONVILLE 5 Subtotal 1,240

SYCAMORE 4,357

WALNUT SPRINGS 8,550

County Greenville SC Subtotal 32,310

County: Laurens SC

COOKS 4,556

JONES

Tract 9201.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017 3

Tract 9201.05

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2064, 2065 2245

Tract 9201.06

Blocks: 2024, 2025 36

JONES Subtotal 2,284

OWINGS

Tract 9201.02

Blocks: 1054 0

Tract 9201.05

Blocks: 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063 595

Tract 9201.08

Blocks: 1000, 2000, 2001 0

OWINGS Subtotal 595

YOUNGS 2,036

County Laurens SC Subtotal 9,471

DISTRICT 16 Total 41,781

Area Population

DISTRICT 17

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

ALTAMONT FOREST 1,693

CLEAR CREEK

Tract 26.06

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 1232

Tract 26.11

Blocks: 1008 73

CLEAR CREEK Subtotal 1,305

DARBY RIDGE

Tract 26.06

Blocks: 2002, 2003 188

Tract 26.11

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007 947

Tract 27.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004 571

Tract 39.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1026, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041 417

DARBY RIDGE Subtotal 2,123

EBENEZER

Tract 39.03

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1024, 1027, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 3018, 3026, 3027, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043 2681

Tract 39.05

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 2040, 2041, 2042 395

Tract 39.06

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023 359

EBENEZER Subtotal 3,435

GOWENSVILLE

Tract 24.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1040, 1041, 2015, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3015, 3018, 3020, 3021, 3023, 3024, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3036, 3038, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069 1563

GOWENSVILLE Subtotal 1,563

JENNINGS MILL 2,193

MARIDELL 2,888

MOUNTAIN VIEW 3,378

SANDY FLAT 4,745

SLATER MARIETTA 5,430

TIGERVILLE 4,784

TRAVELERS REST 1

Tract 27.01

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1039, 1048 515

Tract 38.03

Blocks: 1000, 2000, 2001 20

Tract 39.02

Blocks: 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037 212

Tract 39.05

Blocks: 2057 28

Tract 39.06

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 1596

TRAVELERS REST 1 Subtotal 2,371

TRAVELERS REST 2 2,619

TUBBS MOUNTAIN 3,582

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,109

DISTRICT 17 Total 42,109

Area Population

DISTRICT 18

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

CASTLE ROCK 4,104

CLEAR CREEK

Tract 26.06

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006 536

Tract 26.11

Blocks: 1009, 1010 514

CLEAR CREEK Subtotal 1,050

FOX CHASE 2,680

FROHAWK 2,213

GOWENSVILLE

Tract 24.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009 305

Tract 24.04

Blocks: 1010, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1035, 1038, 1039, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1089, 1090, 1093, 1094 942

GOWENSVILLE Subtotal 1,247

LAUREL RIDGE 3,436

LOCUST HILL 2,122

MAPLE CREEK

Tract 25.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1018, 1031, 1055, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003 831

Tract 25.05

Blocks: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2046, 2050 536

MAPLE CREEK Subtotal 1,367

ONEAL 4,570

SKYLAND 4,056

STONE VALLEY

Tract 26.10

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 1138

Tract 26.11

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 1320

STONE VALLEY Subtotal 2,458

SUBER MILL

Tract 25.03

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 4005, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046 3797

Tract 26.04

Blocks: 1000, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1053, 1054, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 1010

SUBER MILL Subtotal 4,807

TAYLORS

Tract 26.04

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1055, 1058, 1059, 1062 1320

TAYLORS Subtotal 1,320

TRADE 4,337

TYGER RIVER 2,462

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,229

DISTRICT 18 Total 42,229

Area Population

DISTRICT 19

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

AIKEN

Tract 22.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2029 854

AIKEN Subtotal 854

BEREA 3,443

EBENEZER

Tract 37.01

Blocks: 3000, 3008 64

Tract 39.03

Blocks: 3044, 3045 44

EBENEZER Subtotal 108

ENOREE 4,688

FURMAN 5,893

LAKEVIEW

Tract 22.03

Blocks: 3029 0

Tract 23.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030 1169

Tract 23.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1035, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040 2788

LAKEVIEW Subtotal 3,957

LEAWOOD

Tract 23.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 831

Tract 38.02

Blocks: 3016, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006 1695

LEAWOOD Subtotal 2,526

MONAVIEW

Tract 22.03

Blocks: 1000, 1013, 1019, 1020, 2006, 2007, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3051, 3054, 3058, 3059 1467

Tract 22.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 2244

Tract 23.01

Blocks: 2020 0

Tract 23.02

Blocks: 1029 0

Tract 37.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1005, 1006 1169

Tract 37.06

Blocks: 1012 133

MONAVIEW Subtotal 5,013

PARIS MOUNTAIN

Tract 38.02

Blocks: 3014, 3015, 3017, 3018 612

PARIS MOUNTAIN Subtotal 612

POINSETT 4,944

SALUDA 2,296

SULPHUR SPRINGS 4,421

TRAVELERS REST 1

Tract 38.03

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2013, 2015 744

Tract 39.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011 580

TRAVELERS REST 1 Subtotal 1,324

WESTSIDE

Tract 22.02

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 131

Tract 22.03

Blocks: 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 494

Tract 22.04

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014 771

WESTSIDE Subtotal 1,396

County Greenville SC Subtotal 41,475

DISTRICT 19 Total 41,475

Area Population

DISTRICT 20

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

AVON 2,641

BOILING SPRINGS

Tract 26.09

Blocks: 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009 1001

Tract 28.17

Blocks: 1005 132

BOILING SPRINGS Subtotal 1,133

BOTANY WOODS

Tract 18.03

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019 429

BOTANY WOODS Subtotal 429

BROOKGLENN 1,788

DARBY RIDGE

Tract 27.03

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023 1807

DARBY RIDGE Subtotal 1,807

DEL NORTE 3,455

EASTSIDE 3,795

EDWARDS FOREST 3,234

GREENVILLE 1

Tract 11.01

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 4027 442

GREENVILLE 1 Subtotal 442

GREENVILLE 27

Tract 12.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 1707

GREENVILLE 27 Subtotal 1,707

MOUNTAIN CREEK 2,803

NORTHWOOD 2,740

PARIS MOUNTAIN

Tract 27.01

Blocks: 1049, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1056, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 1093

PARIS MOUNTAIN Subtotal 1,093

PEBBLE CREEK 2,799

SEVIER 3,694

SILVERLEAF

Tract 26.04

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2020, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026 728

Tract 26.13

Blocks: 1008 22

SILVERLEAF Subtotal 750

STONE VALLEY

Tract 26.10

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008 1067

STONE VALLEY Subtotal 1,067

TAYLORS

Tract 26.04

Blocks: 1056, 1057, 1060, 1061, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015 2330

TAYLORS Subtotal 2,330

WADE HAMPTON 4,440

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,147

DISTRICT 20 Total 42,147

Area Population

DISTRICT 21

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

ASHETON LAKES 4,068

CANEBRAKE 3,597

CIRCLE CREEK

Tract 28.14

Blocks: 3007, 3008, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4007 1836

CIRCLE CREEK Subtotal 1,836

GRANITE CREEK 4,167

MAPLE CREEK

Tract 25.03

Blocks: 1014, 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060 1236

Tract 25.05

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 2033, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2047 1733

MAPLE CREEK Subtotal 2,969

OAKVIEW 3,861

PALMETTO 2,924

PELHAM FALLS 1,570

RIVERSIDE 4,074

SILVERLEAF

Tract 26.12

Blocks: 3022, 3023, 3024 528

Tract 26.13

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007 1689

SILVERLEAF Subtotal 2,217

STONEHAVEN 2,677

SUBER MILL

Tract 25.03

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2032, 2033, 2034 268

SUBER MILL Subtotal 268

SUGAR CREEK 2,958

THORNBLADE 5,118

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,304

DISTRICT 21 Total 42,304

Area Population

DISTRICT 22

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BOILING SPRINGS

Tract 28.17

Blocks: 1006, 1012, 2000, 2001, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 1617

BOILING SPRINGS Subtotal 1,617

BOTANY WOODS

Tract 18.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023 1829

Tract 18.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 481

BOTANY WOODS Subtotal 2,310

DEVENGER 2,313

DOVE TREE 2,632

FEASTER 2,321

GREENVILLE 1

Tract 11.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4028, 4029, 4030 1725

Tract 11.02

Blocks: 1005 31

GREENVILLE 1 Subtotal 1,756

GREENVILLE 24

Tract 18.08

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1030, 1031, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2039, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3012 2536

GREENVILLE 24 Subtotal 2,536

GREENVILLE 25

Tract 18.10

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007 241

GREENVILLE 25 Subtotal 241

GREENVILLE 27

Tract 12.03

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027 646

Tract 12.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008 646

GREENVILLE 27 Subtotal 1,292

GREENVILLE 28

Tract 12.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1011, 1015 508

GREENVILLE 28 Subtotal 508

GREENVILLE 3 3,338

GREENVILLE 4

Tract 10

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1018 784

Tract 11.02

Blocks: 2005, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019 473

GREENVILLE 4 Subtotal 1,257

GREENVILLE 5

Tract 1

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1026, 1027, 1042, 1055 1243

Tract 10

Blocks: 1000, 1016, 1017, 1019, 2015 339

GREENVILLE 5 Subtotal 1,582

MISSION 3,421

ROCK HILL 3,984

ROLLING GREEN 2,152

SPRING FOREST 3,337

TIMBERLAKE 3,420

WELLINGTON 2,137

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,154

DISTRICT 22 Total 42,154

Area Population

DISTRICT 23

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

AIKEN

Tract 21.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1013, 1019, 1020 488

Tract 22.02

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 2019 966

AIKEN Subtotal 1,454

CHESTNUT HILLS

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1005, 1006, 1014, 1018, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2027, 2028, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2037 1403

Tract 21.08

Blocks: 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2028, 2029 73

CHESTNUT HILLS Subtotal 1,476

GREENVILLE 10

Tract 1

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054 1367

Tract 2

Blocks: 1000, 1024, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037 20

Tract 43

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1017, 1021, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 1077

GREENVILLE 10 Subtotal 2,464

GREENVILLE 14 2,879

GREENVILLE 17

Tract 42

Blocks: 1006, 1007 308

GREENVILLE 17 Subtotal 308

GREENVILLE 21

Tract 14

Blocks: 1002 313

GREENVILLE 21 Subtotal 313

GREENVILLE 23

Tract 14

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1010 360

GREENVILLE 23 Subtotal 360

GREENVILLE 24

Tract 44

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2042 736

GREENVILLE 24 Subtotal 736

GREENVILLE 25

Tract 18.10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 2000, 2001, 2008 3159

GREENVILLE 25 Subtotal 3,159

GREENVILLE 26 3,075

GREENVILLE 28

Tract 12.04

Blocks: 1009, 1036, 1037, 1038 1080

GREENVILLE 28 Subtotal 1,080

GREENVILLE 4

Tract 9

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1014, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1035 726

Tract 11.02

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004 115

Tract 23.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1054, 1055, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033 1202

Tract 23.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037 1165

GREENVILLE 4 Subtotal 3,208

GREENVILLE 5

Tract 1

Blocks: 1028 33

Tract 2

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047 580

Tract 7

Blocks: 1000, 1007, 1008 5

Tract 9

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040 435

Tract 10

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 1087

GREENVILLE 5 Subtotal 2,140

GREENVILLE 6 1,326

GREENVILLE 7 4,509

GREENVILLE 8

Tract 2

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2018, 2019 113

Tract 4

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020 239

Tract 5

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 1387

Tract 7

Blocks: 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 1302

Tract 21.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1064, 1065, 1066 427

Tract 21.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008 972

GREENVILLE 8 Subtotal 4,440

LAKEVIEW

Tract 23.02

Blocks: 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043 1062

Tract 23.03

Blocks: 1006, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 460

LAKEVIEW Subtotal 1,522

LEAWOOD

Tract 23.04

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2026, 2027, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036 850

Tract 38.02

Blocks: 4011, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012 566

LEAWOOD Subtotal 1,416

MONAVIEW

Tract 7

Blocks: 3004, 3005 0

Tract 22.03

Blocks: 1001, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2017, 3030, 3050, 3052, 3053, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3060, 3062, 3063, 3064 915

Tract 23.03

Blocks: 1033 0

MONAVIEW Subtotal 915

WELCOME

Tract 21.05

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1067, 1068 961

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 2012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029 1105

WELCOME Subtotal 2,066

WESTCLIFFE

Tract 36.01

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010 738

WESTCLIFFE Subtotal 738

WESTSIDE

Tract 22.02

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2020, 2021, 2026, 2028 669

Tract 22.03

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2032 70

WESTSIDE Subtotal 739

County Greenville SC Subtotal 40,323

DISTRICT 23 Total 40,323

Area Population

DISTRICT 24

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

CHESTNUT HILLS

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2029, 2030, 2035, 2036 1110

Tract 21.08

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2021, 2022, 2025, 2026, 2027 341

CHESTNUT HILLS Subtotal 1,451

GREENVILLE 10

Tract 2

Blocks: 1038, 1039, 1040, 2000, 2001, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021 817

Tract 4

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2015 783

Tract 42

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011 194

GREENVILLE 10 Subtotal 1,794

GREENVILLE 16 2,502

GREENVILLE 17

Tract 4

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2019 127

Tract 42

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 1672

GREENVILLE 17 Subtotal 1,799

GREENVILLE 18 2,136

GREENVILLE 19

Tract 15.01

Blocks: 1011, 1029, 1030, 1036 190

Tract 19

Blocks: 2021, 2024 0

GREENVILLE 19 Subtotal 190

GREENVILLE 20

Tract 14

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 2009, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 1385

GREENVILLE 20 Subtotal 1,385

GREENVILLE 21

Tract 14

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 1480

GREENVILLE 21 Subtotal 1,480

GREENVILLE 22 3,046

GREENVILLE 23

Tract 14

Blocks: 1004 4

Tract 19

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2025, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3040, 3041, 4051, 4052, 4053, 4054, 4055 2419

GREENVILLE 23 Subtotal 2,423

GREENVILLE 24

Tract 18.08

Blocks: 1027, 1028, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011 853

Tract 19

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3038, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4056, 4057, 4058 2858

Tract 44

Blocks: 2022, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041 324

GREENVILLE 24 Subtotal 4,035

GREENVILLE 8

Tract 21.08

Blocks: 2009, 2010 127

GREENVILLE 8 Subtotal 127

MAULDIN 1

Tract 29.03

Blocks: 4007, 4008 16

Tract 29.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1004, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038 2868

MAULDIN 1 Subtotal 2,884

MAULDIN 2 6,409

MAULDIN 4

Tract 29.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012 1504

MAULDIN 4 Subtotal 1,504

MAULDIN 5

Tract 28.11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043 2839

Tract 28.12

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016 219

MAULDIN 5 Subtotal 3,058

MAULDIN 6

Tract 29.03

Blocks: 2002, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 911

MAULDIN 6 Subtotal 911

ROCKY CREEK 3,075

SOUTHSIDE

Tract 21.03

Blocks: 1015, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2039, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046 2027

SOUTHSIDE Subtotal 2,027

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,236

DISTRICT 24 Total 42,236

Area Population

DISTRICT 25

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BELLE MEADE 2,797

BELMONT 1,623

CAROLINA 2,657

CHESTNUT HILLS

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1019, 1026, 1027, 1028 163

CHESTNUT HILLS Subtotal 163

CONESTEE

Tract 20.05

Blocks: 1024, 1026 0

Tract 29.01

Blocks: 1064, 1065, 2001, 2002, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3038 479

Tract 29.04

Blocks: 2022, 2023 9

CONESTEE Subtotal 488

DONALDSON

Tract 33.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1016, 1017, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007 118

Tract 33.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2024 897

Tract 34.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050 1111

DONALDSON Subtotal 2,126

GREENVILLE 19

Tract 15.01

Blocks: 1033, 1034, 1035, 1037 380

Tract 15.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 2496

Tract 19

Blocks: 2022, 2023, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033 422

GREENVILLE 19 Subtotal 3,298

GREENVILLE 20

Tract 14

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 225

GREENVILLE 20 Subtotal 225

GREENVILLE 29

Tract 19

Blocks: 3026, 3027, 3028, 3036, 3037, 3039 454

Tract 29.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072 3286

Tract 29.04

Blocks: 1006 0

GREENVILLE 29 Subtotal 3,740

GROVE

Tract 20.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2028 769

Tract 35

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1052, 1061, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 2354

GROVE Subtotal 3,123

MAULDIN 1

Tract 29.04

Blocks: 1003, 1005, 1007 86

MAULDIN 1 Subtotal 86

MT. PLEASANT 4,058

PIEDMONT

Tract 33.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2029, 2030, 2033, 2034, 2035, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3026, 3027, 4027, 4028, 4029 2784

Tract 35

Blocks: 1017, 1036, 1037, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044 127

PIEDMONT Subtotal 2,911

REEDY FORK

Tract 32.03

Blocks: 2001, 2006, 2007, 2008 1237

Tract 33.04

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 2021, 2023, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023 2220

REEDY FORK Subtotal 3,457

ROYAL OAKS 2,245

SOUTHSIDE

Tract 21.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 2038, 2040 1329

SOUTHSIDE Subtotal 1,329

TANGLEWOOD

Tract 36.01

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4020, 4021 2282

Tract 36.02

Blocks: 2010, 2015, 2016 7

TANGLEWOOD Subtotal 2,289

WOODMONT

Tract 33.03

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015 3992

WOODMONT Subtotal 3,992

County Greenville SC Subtotal 40,607

DISTRICT 25 Total 40,607

Area Population

DISTRICT 26

Area Population

County: York SC

Carolina 2,475

Dobys Bridge 3,983

Fort Mill No. 1 4,390

Fort Mill No. 2 7,581

Fort Mill No. 3 2,938

Fort Mill No. 4 2,336

Fort Mill No. 5 4,050

Nation Ford 4,332

Riverview 2,460

Springdale

Tract 611.01

Blocks: 1010 0

Springdale Subtotal 0

Springfield 3,272

Stateline

Tract 610.06

Blocks: 1014 0

Tract 610.07

Blocks: 3003, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005 3646

Stateline Subtotal 3,646

County York SC Subtotal 41,463

DISTRICT 26 Total 41,463

Area Population

DISTRICT 27

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BRIDGE FORK 2,014

GREENBRIAR 2,388

HILLCREST 3,560

HOLLY TREE

Tract 28.12

Blocks: 3010, 3011 426

HOLLY TREE Subtotal 426

MAULDIN 3 3,409

MAULDIN 4

Tract 29.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104 2952

Tract 30.10

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004 186

MAULDIN 4 Subtotal 3,138

MAULDIN 5

Tract 28.11

Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1034 1759

Tract 28.12

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1029, 1054, 1055 0

MAULDIN 5 Subtotal 1,759

MAULDIN 6

Tract 28.12

Blocks: 1045, 1046, 1047, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059 604

Tract 29.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039 1415

MAULDIN 6 Subtotal 2,019

MAULDIN 7 2,654

MOORE CREEK

Tract 30.17

Blocks: 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2013, 2014, 2029 529

MOORE CREEK Subtotal 529

SIMPSONVILLE 1 4,067

SIMPSONVILLE 2 3,107

SIMPSONVILLE 3

Tract 30.05

Blocks: 1002, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1041, 1047 1230

Tract 30.11

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028 2189

SIMPSONVILLE 3 Subtotal 3,419

SIMPSONVILLE 4 3,140

SIMPSONVILLE 5

Tract 30.05

Blocks: 1039, 1040, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054 124

Tract 30.11

Blocks: 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1055, 1056, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1068 2419

Tract 31.01

Blocks: 1007 0

SIMPSONVILLE 5 Subtotal 2,543

SIMPSONVILLE 6 3,936

County Greenville SC Subtotal 42,108

DISTRICT 27 Total 42,108

Area Population

DISTRICT 28

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BAKER CREEK 2,435

CONESTEE

Tract 29.01

Blocks: 2000, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3039 2294

Tract 29.04

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2033 685

CONESTEE Subtotal 2,979

DONALDSON

Tract 33.04

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2013 124

DONALDSON Subtotal 124

DUNKLIN

Tract 31.04

Blocks: 1030, 1031, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046 238

Tract 32.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 2020, 2022, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3006, 3007, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033 2525

Tract 32.04

Blocks: 1040 3

DUNKLIN Subtotal 2,766

FORK SHOALS 3,047

GREENVILLE 29

Tract 29.01

Blocks: 1073 0

GREENVILLE 29 Subtotal 0

LONG CREEK 2,484

MOORE CREEK

Tract 30.14

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018 2903

Tract 30.17

Blocks: 2015, 2023, 2024, 2025 51

Tract 33.04

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013 2087

MOORE CREEK Subtotal 5,041

NEELY FARMS 4,822

RAINTREE

Tract 30.13

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029 2496

RAINTREE Subtotal 2,496

RANCH CREEK 4,300

REEDY FORK

Tract 32.03

Blocks: 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2023, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049 487

Tract 33.04

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022 580

REEDY FORK Subtotal 1,067

STANDING SPRINGS 2,507

VERDMONT 3,123

WARE PLACE 3,160

WOODMONT

Tract 33.03

Blocks: 1027, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4025, 4027 233

WOODMONT Subtotal 233

County Greenville SC Subtotal 40,584

DISTRICT 28 Total 40,584

Area Population

DISTRICT 29

Area Population

County: Cherokee SC

Allens 1,748

Alma Mill

Tract 9705.02

Blocks: 4013, 4014, 6008, 6009 18

Alma Mill Subtotal 18

Draytonville 2,786

Gaffney Ward No. 3 1,596

Gaffney Ward No. 4 1,999

Gaffney Ward No. 5 2,019

Gaffney Ward No. 6 1,976

Goucher and Thicketty 2,047

Little John and Sarratt’s 584

Musgrove Mill 2,129

Pleasant Meadows 1,035

Timber Ridge 1,423

White Plains 2,451

Wilkinsville and Metcalf 928

County Cherokee SC Subtotal 22,739

County: Spartanburg SC

Cowpens Depot Museum 1,970

Cowpens Fire Station

Tract 222.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016 1753

Cowpens Fire Station Subtotal 1,753

Pacolet Elementary 3,545

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 7,268

County: York SC

Bullocks Creek 646

Delphia

Tract 614.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3024, 3025 1593

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2016 893

Tract 616.01

Blocks: 2039, 2040, 2041 0

Delphia Subtotal 2,486

Hickory Grove 1,686

McConnells 2,445

Oakridge

Tract 614.03

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 3021, 3023, 3025, 3026, 3032, 3033, 3034 886

Oakridge Subtotal 886

Sharon 2,164

Smyrna 1,134

York No. 1

Tract 615.03

Blocks: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2042 249

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010 70

Tract 616.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 468

York No. 1 Subtotal 787

County York SC Subtotal 12,234

DISTRICT 29 Total 42,241

Area Population

DISTRICT 30

Area Population

County: Cherokee SC

Alma Mill

Tract 9703.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1045, 1046, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040 2514

Tract 9705.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2043, 3000, 6000, 6001, 6003, 6004, 6005, 6006, 6013 536

Tract 9705.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 255

Alma Mill Subtotal 3,305

Antioch and King’s Creek 2,366

Ashworth 1,810

Blacksburg Ward No. 1 1,611

Blacksburg Ward No. 2 2,166

Ezells and Butler 2,385

Gaffney Ward No. 1 1,501

Gaffney Ward No. 2 1,688

Grassy Pond 3,198

Holly Grove and Buffalo 2,154

Limestone Mill 1,810

Macedonia 2,846

Morgan 2,116

Ninety Nine and Cherokee Falls 1,401

Pleasant Grove 1,587

Wood’s 1,533

County Cherokee SC Subtotal 33,477

County: Spartanburg SC

Chesnee Elementary 5,134

Mayo Elementary 3,008

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 8,142

DISTRICT 30 Total 41,619

Area Population

DISTRICT 31

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Arcadia Elementary 3,246

Bethany Baptist

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2017 27

Tract 216

Blocks: 1006, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1039, 1040, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1077, 1078, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037 3226

Bethany Baptist Subtotal 3,253

C.C. Woodson Recreation

Tract 207.01

Blocks: 2000, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 17

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1059, 1060, 2005, 2006 660

Tract 209

Blocks: 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042 204

Tract 210.01

Blocks: 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014 1478

C.C. Woodson Recreation Subtotal 2,359

Cleveland Elementary 4,464

Cornerstone Baptist

Tract 211

Blocks: 1020, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3014, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4024, 4025, 4033, 4034 2294

Tract 221.01

Blocks: 2030 0

Cornerstone Baptist Subtotal 2,294

E.P. Todd Elementary

Tract 211

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3015, 3016, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4023, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4035, 4036, 4038 914

E.P. Todd Elementary Subtotal 914

Ebenezer Baptist 1,522

Hayne Baptist

Tract 218.05

Blocks: 1009, 1014, 1019, 1020 443

Tract 219.04

Blocks: 1015, 1037, 1038 35

Hayne Baptist Subtotal 478

Holy Communion

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1024, 1025, 1027 1641

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009 1065

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013 814

Holy Communion Subtotal 3,520

Jesse Bobo Elementary 3,037

Mt. Moriah Baptist

Tract 209

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008 326

Tract 210.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 2000 1134

Tract 211

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1023, 2003 641

Tract 212

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1081, 1082, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 1127, 1128 351

Mt. Moriah Baptist Subtotal 2,452

Mt. Zion Gospel Baptist

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 1014, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2042 1201

Mt. Zion Gospel Baptist Subtotal 1,201

Park Hills Elementary 2,594

Powell Saxon Una 4,548

Roebuck Bethlehem

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1030 20

Roebuck Bethlehem Subtotal 20

Roebuck Elementary

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017 210

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2011, 2012 190

Roebuck Elementary Subtotal 400

Southside Baptist 2,023

White Stone Methodist

Tract 221.01

Blocks: 1026, 2015, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2045, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2051, 2053, 2054, 2055 456

White Stone Methodist Subtotal 456

Woodland Heights Recreation Center

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 2016, 2032 0

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1023, 1026 441

Tract 206.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 3001, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022 1400

Tract 207.01

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3015, 3016, 3017 1478

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2041 28

Woodland Heights Recreation Center Subtotal 3,347

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 42,128

DISTRICT 31 Total 42,128

Area Population

DISTRICT 32

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Beaumont Methodist 1,445

Ben Avon Methodist

Tract 213.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1007, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046 509

Ben Avon Methodist Subtotal 509

Bethany Baptist

Tract 216

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 31

Bethany Baptist Subtotal 31

Cannons Elementary 1,766

Carlisle Fosters Grove 3,495

Chapman Elementary 3,126

Cherokee Springs Fire Station 2,841

Converse Fire Station 1,963

Cornerstone Baptist

Tract 211

Blocks: 1021, 4000 0

Cornerstone Baptist Subtotal 0

Cowpens Fire Station

Tract 222.02

Blocks: 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009 79

Tract 223.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029 989

Cowpens Fire Station Subtotal 1,068

Cudd Memorial 2,556

Daniel Morgan Technology Center 1,608

Dayton Fire Station 2,893

Eastside Baptist

Tract 213.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 332

Tract 213.03

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1095, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110 1281

Tract 222.01

Blocks: 2046 0

Eastside Baptist Subtotal 1,613

Hayne Baptist

Tract 218.03

Blocks: 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032 975

Tract 218.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2023, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025 1866

Tract 218.06

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3008, 3009 1855

Hayne Baptist Subtotal 4,696

Jesse Boyd Elementary 2,629

Mt. Moriah Baptist

Tract 211

Blocks: 1000, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1022 40

Tract 212

Blocks: 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1135, 1136, 3034 104

Mt. Moriah Baptist Subtotal 144

Spartanburg High School

Tract 213.02

Blocks: 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2043 750

Tract 213.03

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2021, 2022, 2023 1345

Spartanburg High School Subtotal 2,095

St. John’s Lutheran 1,687

West View Elementary 2,420

Whitlock Jr. High

Tract 214.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3005, 3006, 3020 1164

Tract 214.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1019 867

Whitlock Jr. High Subtotal 2,031

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 40,616

DISTRICT 32 Total 40,616

Area Population

DISTRICT 33

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Ben Avon Methodist

Tract 221.01

Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 2016, 2017 395

Tract 221.02

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 2020 1090

Ben Avon Methodist Subtotal 1,485

Broome High School 1,393

C.C. Woodson Recreation

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 1040, 1041, 1042, 1053, 1054 15

C.C. Woodson Recreation Subtotal 15

Canaan 2,078

Cavins Hobbysville 1,496

Croft Baptist 2,110

Cross Anchor Fire Station 1,219

E.P. Todd Elementary

Tract 211

Blocks: 4037 0

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2016, 2017 2392

Tract 220.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015 622

E.P. Todd Elementary Subtotal 3,014

Eastside Baptist

Tract 221.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1014, 1015 278

Eastside Baptist Subtotal 278

Enoree First Baptist 2,322

Gable Middle School 4,093

Glendale Fire Station 2,157

Morningside Baptist 2,639

Mt. Calvary Presbyterian 4,901

Mt. Zion Gospel Baptist

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 1052, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058 152

Mt. Zion Gospel Baptist Subtotal 152

Pauline Glenn Springs Elementary 1,635

R.D. Anderson Vocational

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3036 177

Tract 234.02

Blocks: 2023, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041 729

Tract 235

Blocks: 1005, 1008, 1035, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 547

Tract 238.05

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2045 226

R.D. Anderson Vocational Subtotal 1,679

Roebuck Bethlehem

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006 359

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1021, 1022, 1024, 1027, 1028, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034 1955

Roebuck Bethlehem Subtotal 2,314

Roebuck Elementary

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 2006, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029 217

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2018, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3025, 3026, 3035, 3038 2338

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 1465

Roebuck Elementary Subtotal 4,020

Spartanburg High School

Tract 213.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 1027

Spartanburg High School Subtotal 1,027

White Stone Methodist

Tract 221.01

Blocks: 1022, 2036, 2043, 2044, 2047, 2050, 2052 0

Tract 238.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 117

Tract 239.01

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1033, 1036, 1037, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068 750

White Stone Methodist Subtotal 867

Woodland Heights Recreation Center

Tract 220.07

Blocks: 1002 0

Woodland Heights Recreation Center Subtotal 0

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 40,894

DISTRICT 33 Total 40,894

Area Population

DISTRICT 34

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Abner Creek Baptist

Tract 232.02

Blocks: 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4041, 4076 60

Tract 234.08

Blocks: 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 226

Abner Creek Baptist Subtotal 286

Anderson Mill Baptist 2,445

Anderson Mill Elementary 3,612

Bethany Wesleyan

Tract 234.02

Blocks: 1018, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2018, 2019 705

Tract 234.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 2980

Bethany Wesleyan Subtotal 3,685

Fairforest Middle School 5,043

Holy Communion

Tract 219.02

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3008, 3009, 3010 530

Holy Communion Subtotal 530

Hope

Tract 218.04

Blocks: 1008, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021 114

Tract 228.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1004, 2024, 2025, 2028 573

Hope Subtotal 687

Poplar Springs Fire Station 3,580

R.D. Anderson Vocational

Tract 220.06

Blocks: 3023, 3024, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3037 0

Tract 234.02

Blocks: 2022, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2035 67

R.D. Anderson Vocational Subtotal 67

Reidville Elementary

Tract 234.09

Blocks: 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1039, 1040 55

Reidville Elementary Subtotal 55

Reidville Fire Station

Tract 232.02

Blocks: 4006, 4007 43

Tract 234.08

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2047, 2048, 2049 3484

Tract 234.09

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023 1031

Reidville Fire Station Subtotal 4,558

River Ridge Elementary 4,456

Travelers Rest Baptist 5,948

Trinity Methodist 3,200

Trinity Presbyterian 2,749

Wellford Fire Station

Tract 230.02

Blocks: 1011, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067 712

Tract 231.03

Blocks: 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1026, 1035, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1087, 1088, 1090, 1091, 1094, 1095 445

Tract 231.04

Blocks: 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3034, 3035 0

Wellford Fire Station Subtotal 1,157

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 42,058

DISTRICT 34 Total 42,058

Area Population

DISTRICT 35

Area Population

County: Greenville SC

BELLS CROSSING

Tract 28.15

Blocks: 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 629

Tract 30.08

Blocks: 2000, 2005 628

BELLS CROSSING Subtotal 1,257

CIRCLE CREEK

Tract 28.14

Blocks: 4006 0

Tract 28.22

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1019, 1020, 1021 2574

CIRCLE CREEK Subtotal 2,574

HOLLY TREE

Tract 28.15

Blocks: 3009, 3010 403

Tract 30.08

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1015 984

HOLLY TREE Subtotal 1,387

KILGORE FARMS 4,034

RIVERWALK 3,213

SPARROWS POINT 3,721

WOODRUFF LAKES 3,493

County Greenville SC Subtotal 19,679

County: Spartanburg SC

Abner Creek Baptist

Tract 232.02

Blocks: 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4053, 4054, 4055, 4059, 4060, 4061, 4064, 4080, 4081, 4096, 4097 885

Tract 234.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 2048, 2049, 2051 2236

Abner Creek Baptist Subtotal 3,121

Bethany Wesleyan

Tract 234.02

Blocks: 2016, 2017 0

Tract 235

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016, 1020, 1021 560

Bethany Wesleyan Subtotal 560

Pelham Fire Station 3,298

R.D. Anderson Vocational

Tract 235

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1026, 1027, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1036, 1037, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043 467

R.D. Anderson Vocational Subtotal 467

Reidville Elementary

Tract 234.05

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029 1890

Tract 234.08

Blocks: 2039, 2040 6

Tract 234.09

Blocks: 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043 2428

Reidville Elementary Subtotal 4,324

Reidville Fire Station

Tract 234.08

Blocks: 2010, 2013, 2015, 2019, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045 1101

Reidville Fire Station Subtotal 1,101

Woodruff Elementary 4,799

Woodruff Fire Station 1,977

Woodruff Leisure Center 2,356

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 22,003

DISTRICT 35 Total 41,682

Area Population

DISTRICT 36

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Apalache Baptist 4,795

Beech Springs Intermediate 3,386

Cedar Grove Baptist 2,380

D. R. Hill Middle School 4,636

Duncan United Methodist 2,665

Fairforest Elementary

Tract 228.05

Blocks: 2005, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2032, 2033, 2035, 2036, 2037 1046

Tract 228.06

Blocks: 1003, 1005, 1006, 1007, 3007, 3008, 3012, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3028, 3029, 3037, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3062, 3063 2239

Tract 230.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1049 1225

Fairforest Elementary Subtotal 4,510

Lyman Elementary 3,242

Lyman Town Hall 6,647

Startex Fire Station 1,804

Victor Mill Methodist 4,138

Wellford Fire Station

Tract 228.05

Blocks: 2021, 2023, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2038, 2039, 2040 168

Tract 228.06

Blocks: 3026, 3027, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061 402

Tract 230.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052 919

Tract 231.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1025, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1086, 1089, 1092, 1093 1537

Tract 231.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3028 679

Wellford Fire Station Subtotal 3,705

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 41,908

DISTRICT 36 Total 41,908

Area Population

DISTRICT 37

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Boiling Springs 9th Grade 6,645

Boiling Springs Elementary 7,524

Boiling Springs High School

Tract 224.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1003, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010 1187

Tract 224.10

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 2015, 2016 513

Boiling Springs High School Subtotal 1,700

Boiling Springs Intermediate 5,936

Boling Springs Jr. High

Tract 224.05

Blocks: 1005, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 1924

Boling Springs Jr. High Subtotal 1,924

Chapman High School

Tract 228.04

Blocks: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2034 526

Tract 229.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2078, 2079 2013

Tract 229.02

Blocks: 1004, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4023, 4026, 4027, 4029, 4030, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4046 1096

Chapman High School Subtotal 3,635

Fairforest Elementary

Tract 228.05

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1008 210

Tract 228.06

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3006, 3009 200

Fairforest Elementary Subtotal 410

Greater St. James 4,474

Hayne Baptist

Tract 218.04

Blocks: 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 603

Tract 218.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1021, 2015, 2016, 2022, 3015, 3016 442

Tract 219.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1035, 1036 183

Hayne Baptist Subtotal 1,228

Hendrix Elementary 4,154

Hope

Tract 218.03

Blocks: 1023, 2020, 3017, 3018 0

Tract 218.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004 1419

Tract 218.05

Blocks: 3006 0

Hope Subtotal 1,419

Oakland Elementary

Tract 224.04

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2028, 2029, 3023, 3025, 3027, 3028, 3029 1114

Tract 224.05

Blocks: 1002, 1004 779

Tract 224.10

Blocks: 2019 0

Oakland Elementary Subtotal 1,893

Whitlock Jr. High

Tract 214.02

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009 863

Whitlock Jr. High Subtotal 863

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 41,805

DISTRICT 37 Total 41,805

Area Population

DISTRICT 38

Area Population

County: Spartanburg SC

Boiling Springs High School

Tract 224.04

Blocks: 3024, 3026 56

Tract 224.10

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 800

Boiling Springs High School Subtotal 856

Boling Springs Jr. High

Tract 224.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004 219

Tract 228.04

Blocks: 3007 6

Boling Springs Jr. High Subtotal 225

Carlisle Wesleyan 2,337

Chapman High School

Tract 228.03

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040 362

Tract 228.04

Blocks: 3016, 3017, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027 662

Tract 229.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2036, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4028, 4048 764

Chapman High School Subtotal 1,788

Cooley Springs Baptist 4,474

Gramling Methodist 2,501

Holly Springs Baptist 5,562

Lake Bowen Baptist 6,603

Landrum High School 3,992

Landrum United Methodist 4,488

Motlow Creek Baptist 1,649

Oakland Elementary

Tract 224.04

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022, 2023, 2027, 2030, 3008, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3021, 3022 1312

Oakland Elementary Subtotal 1,312

Swofford Career Center 5,388

County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 41,175

DISTRICT 38 Total 41,175

Area Population

DISTRICT 39

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

BATESBURG 3,002

BOILING SPRINGS

Tract 210.37

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1044, 1045 1440

Tract 213.11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, 1019 494

BOILING SPRINGS Subtotal 1,934

GILBERT 3,311

HOLLOW CREEK 3,790

LEESVILLE 3,412

MIMS

Tract 214.02

Blocks: 1010, 1018, 1019, 1041, 1043, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041 369

Tract 214.03

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053 1048

Tract 214.04

Blocks: 2055, 2064 16

MIMS Subtotal 1,433

POND BRANCH 3,645

RIDGE ROAD 2,856

SUMMIT 2,284

County Lexington SC Subtotal 25,667

County: Saluda SC

Centennial 770

Clyde 348

Delmar 597

Fruit Hill

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 2048, 4000, 4001, 4003, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013 187

Fruit Hill Subtotal 187

Higgins/Zoar 1,303

Holly 1,227

Hollywood 1,697

Holstons 1,402

Mayson

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3019, 3026, 3027, 3031, 3048, 3049, 4002 323

Mayson Subtotal 323

Mt. Willing 395

Pleasant Grove 924

Richland

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1036, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1047 165

Tract 9604

Blocks: 1003, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1062, 1063, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1112, 1113, 1135, 1137, 1139 695

Richland Subtotal 860

Ridge Spring/Monetta

Tract 9604

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3033, 3039 1012

Ridge Spring/Monetta Subtotal 1,012

Saluda No. 1

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 1008, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 2007, 2011, 2012, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2042, 2043, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2067, 2068, 2073, 2084, 2085, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091 1011

Saluda No. 1 Subtotal 1,011

Saluda No. 2

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2038, 2049, 3041, 3042 1932

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 2036, 2037, 2044, 2045 150

Saluda No. 2 Subtotal 2,082

Sardis 776

Ward

Tract 9604

Blocks: 1049, 1060, 1061, 1064, 1065, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1096, 1114, 1115, 1136 112

Ward Subtotal 112

County Saluda SC Subtotal 15,026

DISTRICT 39 Total 40,693

Area Population

DISTRICT 40

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

AMICKS FERRY

Tract 212.05

Blocks: 2008, 2010, 2011 411

AMICKS FERRY Subtotal 411

DREHER ISLAND 2,160

County Lexington SC Subtotal 2,571

County: Newberry SC 37,719

DISTRICT 40 Total 40,290

Area Population

DISTRICT 41

Area Population

County: Chester SC

Baldwin Mill

Tract 202

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 842

Tract 203

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2006 241

Tract 205

Blocks: 3006, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3013, 3014, 3016, 3017, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037 444

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004 24

Baldwin Mill Subtotal 1,551

Chester Ward 1

Tract 202

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2003 56

Tract 203

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025 1771

Tract 204

Blocks: 1051, 1053, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1062, 1063, 1064 46

Chester Ward 1 Subtotal 1,873

Chester Ward 2 1,439

Chester Ward 3 2,099

Chester Ward 4

Tract 201

Blocks: 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048 579

Tract 202

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4005, 4006 62

Tract 203

Blocks: 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030 456

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1042, 1058, 1060, 1061 308

Chester Ward 4 Subtotal 1,405

Chester Ward 5

Tract 201

Blocks: 1029, 1031, 1032 0

Tract 202

Blocks: 4024 79

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2049, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008 517

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2032, 2046, 2047, 2063, 2064, 2065 494

Chester Ward 5 Subtotal 1,090

Eureka Mill

Tract 201

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2022, 2023, 2034 556

Tract 203

Blocks: 1000, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1018, 1019, 1020, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003 507

Tract 204

Blocks: 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2034 501

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1054 457

Eureka Mill Subtotal 2,021

Halsellville 303

Lowrys

Tract 204

Blocks: 2024, 2025, 2026 131

Lowrys Subtotal 131

Rodman

Tract 204

Blocks: 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045 398

Rodman Subtotal 398

Wilksburg

Tract 205

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1063, 1064, 2002 719

Wilksburg Subtotal 719

County Chester SC Subtotal 13,029

County: Fairfield SC 20,948

County: Richland SC

Blythewood 2

Tract 101.04

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 3010, 3030, 3031, 3032 1959

Tract 101.06

Blocks: 1000, 1005, 1006, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1041, 1045, 1048, 1049 119

Blythewood 2 Subtotal 2,078

Kelly Mill 3,420

Round Top 951

County Richland SC Subtotal 6,449

DISTRICT 41 Total 40,426

Area Population

DISTRICT 42

Area Population

County: Laurens SC

CLINTON 1 2,550

CLINTON 2 2,759

CLINTON 3

Tract 9206

Blocks: 3111 0

Tract 9208

Blocks: 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1041, 1042, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2043, 2044, 2046 1892

CLINTON 3 Subtotal 1,892

CLINTON MILL

Tract 9206

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3066, 3067, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3124 190

Tract 9207

Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1005, 1009, 1010, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1028, 1029, 1030, 2007, 2015, 2016, 2025, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050 1691

CLINTON MILL Subtotal 1,881

JOANNA 3,039

LONG BRANCH

Tract 9206

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1015, 1016 47

LONG BRANCH Subtotal 47

LYDIA MILL

Tract 9207

Blocks: 2014, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2028, 2029, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2038, 2039, 2041, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062 990

Tract 9208

Blocks: 3031, 3045, 3056, 3062 21

LYDIA MILL Subtotal 1,011

County Laurens SC Subtotal 13,179

County: Union SC 27,244

DISTRICT 42 Total 40,423

Area Population

DISTRICT 43

Area Population

County: Chester SC

Baldwin Mill

Tract 205

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3007, 3009, 3012, 3015, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3027, 3028 508

Baldwin Mill Subtotal 508

Baton Rouge 988

Beckhamville 1,237

Blackstock 918

Chester Ward 1

Tract 204

Blocks: 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1061 402

Tract 205

Blocks: 3003 48

Chester Ward 1 Subtotal 450

Chester Ward 4

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1043, 1044, 1045, 1050, 1051 14

Chester Ward 4 Subtotal 14

Chester Ward 5

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2031, 2033, 2034, 2040, 2044, 2045 564

Chester Ward 5 Subtotal 564

Edgemoor 1,611

Eureka Mill

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1052, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1059 421

Eureka Mill Subtotal 421

Fort Lawn 2,436

Great Falls 1,813

Hazelwood 1,120

Lando 339

Lando/ Lansford 1,228

Lowrys

Tract 204

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1052, 1065, 1066, 1067, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2014, 2021, 2022, 2023 1048

Tract 205

Blocks: 1000, 3000, 3001, 3002 354

Lowrys Subtotal 1,402

Richburg 1,946

Rodman

Tract 204

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2032, 2035, 2038 109

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1053, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2020, 2021, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2068 997

Tract 207

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1057, 1062, 1063, 1064 468

Rodman Subtotal 1,574

Rossville 643

Wilksburg

Tract 205

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003 53

Wilksburg Subtotal 53

County Chester SC Subtotal 19,265

County: York SC

Anderson Road

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 1035, 1043, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1070, 1073, 1075, 1076, 1077 824

Anderson Road Subtotal 824

Catawba 4,313

Ferry Branch 1,954

Friendship

Tract 612.02

Blocks: 1000, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 2000, 2001 269

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2047 740

Friendship Subtotal 1,009

Hopewell

Tract 612.02

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011 330

Tract 612.03

Blocks: 2016 0

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1039, 2039, 2041, 2042, 2046 532

Hopewell Subtotal 862

Independence 1,401

Lesslie 2,181

Manchester

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 1036, 1039, 1072 0

Tract 612.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2036, 2038, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2077, 2078, 2079 1617

Manchester Subtotal 1,617

Mt. Holly

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 1030, 1031 0

Tract 613.01

Blocks: 2021, 2028 165

Tract 613.02

Blocks: 2002, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2041, 2042 1133

Mt. Holly Subtotal 1,298

Neelys Creek 1,612

Six Mile 1,774

Springdale

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 1040 0

Tract 612.04

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 2018, 2029 2231

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 2044, 2045, 2050 0

Springdale Subtotal 2,231

County York SC Subtotal 21,076

DISTRICT 43 Total 40,341

Area Population

DISTRICT 44

Area Population

County: Lancaster SC

Black Horse Run 5,711

Gold Hill 1,601

Harrisburg 5,297

Lake House 2,503

Osceola 6,426

Pleasant Valley 4,742

Possum Hollow 4,291

River Road 3,523

Shelley Mullis 2,722

The Lodge 2,853

Van Wyck

Tract 112.09

Blocks: 3020, 3024, 3025, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3069, 3070, 3094, 3095, 3096 650

Tract 112.11

Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 1022, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047 135

Van Wyck Subtotal 785

County Lancaster SC Subtotal 40,454

DISTRICT 44 Total 40,454

Area Population

DISTRICT 45

Area Population

County: Kershaw SC

Liberty Hill 663

Rabon’s X Roads 2,641

Salt Pond

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 3011, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3024, 3025, 4014, 4015, 4023, 4024, 4030, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4045, 4046 1142

Salt Pond Subtotal 1,142

Shaylor’s Hill 1,149

County Kershaw SC Subtotal 5,595

County: Lancaster SC

Carmel 790

Chesterfield Ave 2,160

College Park 1,738

Douglas 2,896

Elgin

Tract 106

Blocks: 1025, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3014, 3015, 3021 1507

Tract 110.01

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 4026, 4036 375

Elgin Subtotal 1,882

Erwin Farm 3,126

Gooch’s Cross Road 4,299

Heath Springs 1,954

Jacksonham 1,550

Lancaster East 2,899

Lancaster West 1,531

Lynwood Drive 3,857

Pleasant Hill 1,904

Riverside 1,176

Unity

Tract 109

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3008, 3009 116

Tract 111

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3049, 3050 543

Unity Subtotal 659

University 1,761

Van Wyck

Tract 111

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1040, 1041, 1084, 1085, 1086, 3016, 3017, 3018 291

Tract 112.09

Blocks: 3027, 3028, 3048, 3061, 3068, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093 224

Tract 112.11

Blocks: 1048 2

Van Wyck Subtotal 517

County Lancaster SC Subtotal 34,699

DISTRICT 45 Total 40,294

Area Population

DISTRICT 46

Area Population

County: York SC

Adnah 1,222

Airport 2,449

Anderson Road

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1037, 1038, 1041, 1042, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1074, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089 1729

Tract 612.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1019, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026 57

Anderson Road Subtotal 1,786

Celanese

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072 2044

Celanese Subtotal 2,044

Ebenezer

Tract 609.09

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040 1495

Ebenezer Subtotal 1,495

Ebinport 4,179

Fairgrounds

Tract 601.02

Blocks: 3004 85

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 3009 0

Tract 607

Blocks: 1014, 1016, 1017, 1024, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 377

Tract 609.08

Blocks: 2000 42

Fairgrounds Subtotal 504

Fewell Park 1,759

Friendship

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 2012, 2019, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2048 317

Friendship Subtotal 317

Harvest 1,663

Hollis Lakes 2,992

Hopewell

Tract 612.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2043, 2049 1192

Hopewell Subtotal 1,192

Newport 2,916

Northside

Tract 601.02

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010 301

Tract 602

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 2000, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4019, 4020 212

Northside Subtotal 513

Northwestern

Tract 614.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2019, 2026 2716

Northwestern Subtotal 2,716

Oakwood

Tract 607

Blocks: 3000 0

Tract 608.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003 116

Tract 608.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 3000, 3001 1527

Oakwood Subtotal 1,643

Old Pointe 2,293

Rock Hill No. 4

Tract 609.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1022 1034

Rock Hill No. 4 Subtotal 1,034

Rock Hill No. 5

Tract 601.02

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 2157

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3020, 3026 103

Tract 606

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002 9

Tract 607

Blocks: 2009 19

Rock Hill No. 5 Subtotal 2,288

Rock Hill No. 7

Tract 607

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 580

Tract 608.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 3013, 4000, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009 2666

Rock Hill No. 7 Subtotal 3,246

Tirzah

Tract 609.04

Blocks: 2014, 2027, 2028 183

Tract 615.06

Blocks: 4011, 4012 44

Tirzah Subtotal 227

Tools Fork

Tract 614.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1043 1705

Tools Fork Subtotal 1,705

University 1,895

County York SC Subtotal 42,078

DISTRICT 46 Total 42,078

Area Population

DISTRICT 47

Area Population

County: York SC

Allison Creek

Tract 615.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1017, 1023, 1024, 1025 512

Allison Creek Subtotal 512

Bethany 3,160

Bethel School 5,156

Bowling Green

Tract 617.05

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025 1933

Bowling Green Subtotal 1,933

Cannon Mill 2,748

Clover 2,855

Cotton Belt 2,889

Delphia

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023 294

Delphia Subtotal 294

Filbert 2,805

Hampton Mill 2,488

Hands Mill

Tract 615.06

Blocks: 1027, 1028, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045 764

Hands Mill Subtotal 764

Larne 2,496

New Home 3,390

Rock Creek 2,154

Roosevelt 2,250

Tirzah

Tract 609.04

Blocks: 2015, 2017, 2018, 2031 355

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 1001 0

Tract 615.06

Blocks: 1033, 1034, 1035, 1046, 1047, 2007, 2008, 2009, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4013 2538

Tract 616.02

Blocks: 3006 0

Tirzah Subtotal 2,893

Tools Fork

Tract 614.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3013 334

Tools Fork Subtotal 334

York No. 1

Tract 615.03

Blocks: 1013, 1026 0

Tract 615.04

Blocks: 3050 0

Tract 616.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1029, 1044, 1045, 1056, 1057, 1058 402

York No. 1 Subtotal 402

York No. 2

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016, 1024 351

Tract 616.02

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3019, 3020, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4006, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012, 5013, 5014 2246

York No. 2 Subtotal 2,597

County York SC Subtotal 42,120

DISTRICT 47 Total 42,120

Area Population

DISTRICT 48

Area Population

County: York SC

Allison Creek

Tract 609.10

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2031 1067

Allison Creek Subtotal 1,067

Anderson Road

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 3005 0

Anderson Road Subtotal 0

Bethel 2,376

Bowling Green

Tract 617.05

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022 463

Bowling Green Subtotal 463

Celanese

Tract 608.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043 1709

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2010, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3094, 3095, 3096, 3097 1656

Tract 609.13

Blocks: 3013 0

Celanese Subtotal 3,365

Hands Mill

Tract 609.10

Blocks: 2006, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014 1503

Tract 609.11

Blocks: 1022 12

Hands Mill Subtotal 1,515

India Hook 2,347

Lakeshore 3,565

Lakewood 2,313

Laurel Creek 1,806

Mill Creek 1,673

Mt. Gallant 2,156

Oakwood

Tract 608.04

Blocks: 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012 1483

Oakwood Subtotal 1,483

Pole Branch 3,242

River Hills 2,305

River’s Edge 3,602

Rock Hill No. 7

Tract 608.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003 990

Rock Hill No. 7 Subtotal 990

Rosewood 5,363

Wylie 2,600

County York SC Subtotal 42,231

DISTRICT 48 Total 42,231

Area Population

DISTRICT 49

Area Population

County: York SC

Anderson Road

Tract 609.01

Blocks: 1067, 1068, 1069, 1071 85

Tract 612.04

Blocks: 2044, 2045, 2049 0

Anderson Road Subtotal 85

Delphia

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 1014, 1015, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1025, 1026, 1027, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2012, 2015 431

Delphia Subtotal 431

Ebenezer

Tract 609.09

Blocks: 1034, 1035, 1036 61

Ebenezer Subtotal 61

Edgewood 4,234

Fairgrounds

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2013, 2014, 2015, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008 2422

Tract 606

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009 1710

Tract 609.08

Blocks: 2001, 2020 134

Tract 614.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2024, 2025 272

Fairgrounds Subtotal 4,538

Highland Park 2,150

Manchester

Tract 612.04

Blocks: 2046, 2047, 2048 460

Manchester Subtotal 460

Mt. Holly

Tract 613.01

Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1023, 1024, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022 2153

Tract 613.02

Blocks: 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2039 729

Mt. Holly Subtotal 2,882

Northside

Tract 602

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4021, 4022, 4026 1758

Tract 603

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 209

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 2025, 2026, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3021, 3022, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033 157

Northside Subtotal 2,124

Northwestern

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 0

Tract 614.04

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2014, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 199

Northwestern Subtotal 199

Oakridge

Tract 614.03

Blocks: 1024, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3024, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3035, 3036, 3037 2595

Tract 614.04

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2031, 2032, 2037, 2040, 2041, 2042 438

Oakridge Subtotal 3,033

Ogden 3,208

Rock Hill No. 2 2,444

Rock Hill No. 3 2,890

Rock Hill No. 4

Tract 609.08

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1012, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1023, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028 2542

Rock Hill No. 4 Subtotal 2,542

Rock Hill No. 5

Tract 605.01

Blocks: 3023, 3024, 3025, 3027 64

Rock Hill No. 5 Subtotal 64

Rock Hill No. 6 2,394

Rock Hill No. 8 1,601

Tools Fork

Tract 614.03

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1027, 1028 316

Tools Fork Subtotal 316

York No. 1

Tract 615.03

Blocks: 1031, 1032 0

Tract 616.01

Blocks: 1015, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1059, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045 2496

York No. 1 Subtotal 2,496

York No. 2

Tract 615.05

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 2000, 2017 679

Tract 616.02

Blocks: 1022, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3021, 3022, 3023, 4005, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4019, 4020, 5000, 5001, 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018 1802

York No. 2 Subtotal 2,481

County York SC Subtotal 40,633

DISTRICT 49 Total 40,633

Area Population

DISTRICT 50

Area Population

County: Kershaw SC

Airport

Tract 9706.04

Blocks: 2051, 2052, 2068, 2069 160

Airport Subtotal 160

Antioch 1,231

Cassatt 2,601

Charlotte Thompson 2,009

Malvern Hill 2,169

Springdale

Tract 9706.04

Blocks: 2049, 2050, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058 69

Springdale Subtotal 69

Whites Gardens 2,602

County Kershaw SC Subtotal 10,841

County: Lee SC 16,531

County: Sumter SC

DALZELL 1 2,498

HILLCREST 1,527

MAYESVILLE 614

OAKLAND PLANTATION 1 1,948

OSWEGO

Tract 4.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 610

OSWEGO Subtotal 610

REMBERT 2,888

SAINT JOHN 1,513

SALEM 480

THOMAS SUMTER 1,588

County Sumter SC Subtotal 13,666

DISTRICT 50 Total 41,038

Area Population

DISTRICT 51

Area Population

County: Sumter SC

BATES 746

BIRNIE 1,237

BUNRS-DOWNS

Tract 9.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2030, 2031 275

BUNRS-DOWNS Subtotal 275

CROSSWELL 2,173

DALZELL 2 2,040

EBENEZER 1 2,093

FOLSOM PARK 2,980

LEMIRA 1,967

LORING 1,774

MAGNOLIA-HARMONY 1,213

MAYEWOOD 1,723

MILLWOOD 1,019

MORRIS COLLEGE 1,750

MULBERRY 1,731

OSWEGO

Tract 4.02

Blocks: 1025, 1026, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 3004 954

OSWEGO Subtotal 954

PALMETTO PARK 2,593

SALTERSTOWN 1,262

SAVAGE-GLOVER 708

SOUTH LIBERTY 810

SOUTH RED BAY 1,084

SPECTRUM 1,811

STONE HILL 814

SUMTER HIGH 1 1,024

SUMTER HIGH 2 1,849

SUNSET 2,001

TURKEY CREEK 1,686

WILDER 1,222

County Sumter SC Subtotal 40,539

DISTRICT 51 Total 40,539

Area Population

DISTRICT 52

Area Population

County: Kershaw SC

Doby’s Mill

Tract 9709.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029 2823

Doby’s Mill Subtotal 2,823

Elgin No. 1 3,419

Elgin No. 2

Tract 9709.07

Blocks: 1005, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 2003, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021 1990

Elgin No. 2 Subtotal 1,990

Elgin No. 3 1,969

Elgin No. 4 3,154

Elgin No. 5 2,255

Elgin No. 6

Tract 9709.06

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1011, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011 816

Tract 9709.07

Blocks: 1018 0

Elgin No. 6 Subtotal 816

Salt Pond

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2028, 2029, 2031 414

Salt Pond Subtotal 414

County Kershaw SC Subtotal 16,840

County: Richland SC

Brandon 1

Tract 116.03

Blocks: 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1069 163

Tract 116.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076 1560

Brandon 1 Subtotal 1,723

Caughman Road 2,657

Garners

Tract 120

Blocks: 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1089, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1106, 1107, 1113 766

Garners Subtotal 766

Horrell Hill 3,759

Hunting Creek 693

Lykesland 2,531

McEntire 1,070

Mill Creek 2,127

Pine Lakes 1 1,810

Pine Lakes 2 2,522

Pinewood 3,022

Pontiac 1

Tract 114.07

Blocks: 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022 165

Pontiac 1 Subtotal 165

Trinity

Tract 116.07

Blocks: 2034 0

Tract 116.08

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4043, 4044, 4045 1861

Trinity Subtotal 1,861

Ward 26

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1000, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1045, 1067, 1068, 1071 0

Ward 26 Subtotal 0

Webber

Tract 120

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2036, 2037, 3021, 3022, 4000, 4001 664

Webber Subtotal 664

County Richland SC Subtotal 25,370

DISTRICT 52 Total 42,210

Area Population

DISTRICT 53

Area Population

County: Chesterfield SC

Bay Springs 581

Black Creek 740

Center Grove-Winzo 2,067

Courthouse 2,989

Dudley-Mangum 1,565

Grants Mill 1,876

Mcbee

Tract 9508

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1040, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1125, 1126, 1127, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2017, 2018, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2064, 2066, 2067 665

Mcbee Subtotal 665

Middendorf 1,520

Mt. Croghan 564

Ousleydale 1,201

Pageland No. 1 3,250

Pageland No. 2 3,116

Patrick 1,073

Pee Dee 466

Ruby 1,599

Shiloh 849

Snow Hill-Vaughn 949

County Chesterfield SC Subtotal 25,070

County: Darlington SC

ANTIOCH 2,372

DOVESVILLE

Tract 101

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042 1140

Tract 102

Blocks: 4027 5

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1028, 1029, 1030 134

Tract 110

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002 61

DOVESVILLE Subtotal 1,340

County Darlington SC Subtotal 3,712

County: Lancaster SC

Antioch 1,256

Camp Creek 1,242

Dwight 3,035

Elgin

Tract 110.01

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3006 356

Elgin Subtotal 356

Hyde Park 2,818

Spring Hill 1,814

Unity

Tract 110.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1016, 1017, 1026, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2056, 2057 1374

Tract 111

Blocks: 3000 0

Unity Subtotal 1,374

County Lancaster SC Subtotal 11,895

DISTRICT 53 Total 40,677

Area Population

DISTRICT 54

Area Population

County: Chesterfield SC

Brocks Mill 2,423

Cash 1,355

Cheraw No. 1 1,940

Cheraw No. 2 1,610

Cheraw No. 3 2,658

Cheraw No. 4 2,318

County Chesterfield SC Subtotal 12,304

County: Darlington SC

DARLINGTON NO. 3

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 2000, 2013 13

Tract 110

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1004, 1005, 3003, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3017 874

Tract 113.02

Blocks: 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2045, 2046 79

DARLINGTON NO. 3 Subtotal 966

DOVESVILLE

Tract 101

Blocks: 3009, 3025, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033 141

DOVESVILLE Subtotal 141

MECHANICSVILLE 2,306

SOCIETY HILL 861

County Darlington SC Subtotal 4,274

County: Dillon SC

New Holly 513

Oak Grove

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2092, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099 882

Oak Grove Subtotal 882

County Dillon SC Subtotal 1,395

County: Marlboro SC

Adamsville 556

Blenheim 399

Brightsville 1,095

Brownsville 453

Clio

Tract 9604

Blocks: 1092, 1093 9

Tract 9605

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2069, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2084, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2111 509

Clio Subtotal 518

East Bennettsville 2,465

McColl

Tract 9604

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 4011, 4028, 4029, 4031, 4032 479

Tract 9605

Blocks: 1007 8

McColl Subtotal 487

North Bennettsville 5,040

Quicks X Roads 2,587

Redhill 1,983

South Bennettsville 1,377

Tatum 521

Wallace 1,993

West Bennettsville 2,960

County Marlboro SC Subtotal 22,434

DISTRICT 54 Total 40,407

Area Population

DISTRICT 55

Area Population

County: Dillon SC

Bermuda 373

Carolina 575

East Dillon 2,713

Floydale 888

Fork 706

Hamer 1,457

Kemper 793

Lake View 1,731

Latta 3,774

Little Rock 950

Manning 526

Minturn 292

Mt. Calvary 3,287

Oak Grove

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2093 747

Oak Grove Subtotal 747

Oakland 1,435

Pleasant Hill 686

South Dillon 2,429

West Dillon 3,535

County Dillon SC Subtotal 26,897

County: Florence SC

Back Swamp

Tract 4

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3029, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041 12

Back Swamp Subtotal 12

Florence Ward 1

Tract 8

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 3000, 3001, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019 963

Florence Ward 1 Subtotal 963

Florence Ward 9

Tract 8

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2050, 3002, 3006, 3007 1289

Florence Ward 9 Subtotal 1,289

Gilbert

Tract 3

Blocks: 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2034, 2035, 2036 465

Tract 4

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 976

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3008, 3009, 3010 299

Tract 8

Blocks: 1038, 1039 0

Gilbert Subtotal 1,740

Mars Bluff No. 1

Tract 4

Blocks: 2025, 4021 300

Mars Bluff No. 1 Subtotal 300

Mars Bluff No. 2

Tract 4

Blocks: 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012, 5013 1105

Mars Bluff No. 2 Subtotal 1,105

Quinby

Tract 3

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2041, 3059, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3110, 3115, 3116 1231

Quinby Subtotal 1,231

Spaulding

Tract 3

Blocks: 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3042, 3044, 3045, 3047, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3061, 3062, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3081, 3082, 3100, 3109 543

Spaulding Subtotal 543

County Florence SC Subtotal 7,183

County: Horry SC

MT. OLIVE 2,021

County Horry SC Subtotal 2,021

County: Marlboro SC

Clio

Tract 9604

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4037, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044 67

Tract 9605

Blocks: 1004, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 2038, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2082, 2083, 2085, 2094 1328

Clio Subtotal 1,395

East McColl 1,169

McColl

Tract 9604

Blocks: 2016, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2038, 2039, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2049, 2050, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3019, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3046, 3047, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4030, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4038, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051 1602

Tract 9605

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1005, 1006, 1032 67

McColl Subtotal 1,669

County Marlboro SC Subtotal 4,233

DISTRICT 55 Total 40,334

Area Population

DISTRICT 56

Area Population

County: Horry SC

ATLANTIC BEACH 246

CAROLINA BAYS 3,534

CAROLINA FOREST #1 4,796

CAROLINA FOREST #2 3,046

CRESENT

Tract 404

Blocks: 2077, 2078, 2079, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110 77

Tract 405

Blocks: 1049, 1050, 1051, 3000, 3001, 3013 127

CRESENT Subtotal 204

DUNES #1

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 2004, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2035, 2036, 2040, 2041, 3036, 3054, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060 971

DUNES #1 Subtotal 971

EMERALD FOREST #1 4,136

EMERALD FOREST #2 7,144

EMERALD FOREST #3 5,088

RIVER OAKS 4,849

SALEM

Tract 603.09

Blocks: 2001, 2006 73

SALEM Subtotal 73

TILLY SWAMP

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 2010, 2011, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3041, 3055, 3056 14

TILLY SWAMP Subtotal 14

WILD WING

Tract 603.09

Blocks: 2002, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019 1421

Tract 604.04

Blocks: 1029, 1030, 1032, 1033, 1035, 1036, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1048, 1049 1886

Tract 604.05

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2027 0

Tract 604.06

Blocks: 3000, 3001 0

WILD WING Subtotal 3,307

WINDY HILL #1 1,795

WINDY HILL #2 3,104

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,307

DISTRICT 56 Total 42,307

Area Population

DISTRICT 57

Area Population

County: Horry SC

ALLSBROOK

Tract 203.02

Blocks: 2016, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2037 121

ALLSBROOK Subtotal 121

BAYBORO-GURLEY

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 3052, 3053 0

Tract 203.02

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1049, 1050, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3034, 3035 1660

Tract 707.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016 336

Tract 801.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1019, 1048, 2000, 2001, 2044 49

BAYBORO-GURLEY Subtotal 2,045

EAST LORIS

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1012, 1020, 1021, 1031, 1032, 1033, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2015, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030 1512

Tract 202.02

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2013, 2057 125

EAST LORIS Subtotal 1,637

GALLIVANTS FERRY 342

GREEN SEA 1,597

JERIGANS CROSSROADS

Tract 201

Blocks: 1044, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1077, 1078, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1092, 1095, 1096, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1106, 1107, 1110, 1111, 1112, 2032, 2034, 2037, 2038, 2042, 2043, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2050, 2055, 2056, 2057 981

JERIGANS CROSSROADS Subtotal 981

LIVE OAK

Tract 203.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1005, 1006, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2033, 2036, 2054, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3032, 3033, 3039, 3040 1224

LIVE OAK Subtotal 1,224

METHODIST-MILL SWAMP 2,132

PLEASANT VIEW 1,047

SWEET HOME

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 2014, 2016, 2017 375

SWEET HOME Subtotal 375

County Horry SC Subtotal 11,501

County: Marion SC

Britton’s Neck 1,997

Centenary 1,731

Friendship 341

Marion No. 1 1,743

Marion No. 2 1,851

Marion North

Tract 9502

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3042, 3043, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3094, 3095, 3096, 3097, 3098, 3099, 3100, 3101, 3102, 3103, 3104, 3105, 3106, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3110, 3111, 3112, 3113, 3114, 3115, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037 1859

Marion North Subtotal 1,859

Marion South 4,040

Northeast Mullins

Tract 9504

Blocks: 3021, 3022, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3059, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031 1506

Tract 9505

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1047, 1055 156

Northeast Mullins Subtotal 1,662

Northwest Mullins

Tract 9503

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 3014, 3015, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048 1554

Tract 9505

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5013 204

Northwest Mullins Subtotal 1,758

Rains 1,026

Southeast Mullins 1,835

Southwest Mullins 2,185

County Marion SC Subtotal 22,028

County: Williamsburg SC

Bloomingvale

Tract 9704

Blocks: 2039, 2040, 2044, 2048, 2049, 2051, 2052, 2061, 2062, 3026, 3027, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3037 632

Bloomingvale Subtotal 632

Cedar Swamp

Tract 9704

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005 116

Cedar Swamp Subtotal 116

Hemingway 1,974

Henry-Poplar Hill 801

Indiantown

Tract 9702

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 315

Tract 9703

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4020 450

Indiantown Subtotal 765

Morrisville 284

Muddy Creek 1,005

Nesmith 611

Piney Forest 544

County Williamsburg SC Subtotal 6,732

DISTRICT 57 Total 40,261

Area Population

DISTRICT 58

Area Population

County: Horry SC

ADRIAN

Tract 707.01

Blocks: 1015, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3015, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4015, 4031, 4040, 4042 1566

ADRIAN Subtotal 1,566

AYNOR 3,011

BROWNWAY 2,844

CEDAR GROVE 2,619

COOL SPRINGS 819

DOGBLUFF 1,990

FOUR MILE 3,452

HOMEWOOD

Tract 702

Blocks: 2003, 2004 0

Tract 707.01

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2023, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2047, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3040 1555

HOMEWOOD Subtotal 1,555

HORRY 2,121

JACKSON BLUFF

Tract 601.01

Blocks: 1063, 1064, 1065, 1067, 1068, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 622

JACKSON BLUFF Subtotal 622

JAMESTOWN 5,234

JUNIPER BAY 3,535

NORTH CONWAY #1 2,692

NORTH CONWAY #2

Tract 702

Blocks: 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1033, 1036, 1037, 1039, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028 531

NORTH CONWAY #2 Subtotal 531

POPLAR HILL 1,329

RACEPATH #1

Tract 704

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102 1998

Tract 705

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011 120

RACEPATH #1 Subtotal 2,118

RACEPATH #2 2,803

RED HILL #1

Tract 601.01

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1029, 1030, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1066, 1075, 1076, 1080, 1081 318

RED HILL #1 Subtotal 318

TODDVILLE

Tract 706.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1008, 1010, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1047, 1048, 1049, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3038 1544

TODDVILLE Subtotal 1,544

WEST CONWAY

Tract 703

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2018 137

Tract 704

Blocks: 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070 103

WEST CONWAY Subtotal 240

County Horry SC Subtotal 40,943

DISTRICT 58 Total 40,943

Area Population

DISTRICT 59

Area Population

County: Florence SC

Back Swamp

Tract 4

Blocks: 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3027, 3028, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3042 1089

Back Swamp Subtotal 1,089

Brookgreen 1,150

Claussen 2,856

Coles Crossroads 3,889

Florence Ward 1

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 3003, 3004, 3005 59

Tract 7

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2061 146

Tract 8

Blocks: 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1023, 1040, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026 427

Florence Ward 1 Subtotal 632

Florence Ward 10 1,078

Florence Ward 11

Tract 11

Blocks: 2000, 2008, 2009, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5009 451

Florence Ward 11 Subtotal 451

Florence Ward 15

Tract 6

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1013, 1017 243

Tract 7

Blocks: 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095 721

Florence Ward 15 Subtotal 964

Florence Ward 2

Tract 7

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2033, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072 1327

Tract 10

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2030, 2035, 2036, 2037 194

Florence Ward 2 Subtotal 1,521

Florence Ward 3 1,954

Florence Ward 4

Tract 10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1014, 1015 74

Florence Ward 4 Subtotal 74

Florence Ward 5

Tract 9

Blocks: 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2051, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2094 271

Tract 11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1021, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 660

Florence Ward 5 Subtotal 931

Florence Ward 9

Tract 8

Blocks: 1021, 1022, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049 745

Florence Ward 9 Subtotal 745

Gilbert

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 3002, 3006, 3007, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022 1429

Tract 7

Blocks: 2020, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2034, 2035, 2039, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055 386

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010 0

Gilbert Subtotal 1,815

Greenwood 3,368

Mars Bluff No. 1

Tract 4

Blocks: 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4022 105

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 2661

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 2000, 2001, 2012 1689

Tract 16.01

Blocks: 2000 0

Tract 17

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1054, 1065 406

Mars Bluff No. 1 Subtotal 4,861

Mars Bluff No. 2

Tract 4

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 5014, 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018 1160

Mars Bluff No. 2 Subtotal 1,160

Mill Branch 858

Pamplico No. 2 963

Quinby

Tract 3

Blocks: 2005, 2007, 2040, 3000, 3011, 3012, 3031, 3060 85

Tract 4

Blocks: 3026 0

Quinby Subtotal 85

South Florence 2

Tract 16.01

Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2033, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3030, 3032 1131

South Florence 2 Subtotal 1,131

Spaulding

Tract 3

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3041, 3043, 3046, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3094, 3095, 3111, 3112, 3113, 3114, 3117, 3118, 3119, 3120, 3121, 3122 931

Spaulding Subtotal 931

West Florence 1

Tract 1.01

Blocks: 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2041 510

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 1007 0

West Florence 1 Subtotal 510

West Florence 2

Tract 1.01

Blocks: 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046 9

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015 200

West Florence 2 Subtotal 209

County Florence SC Subtotal 33,225

County: Marion SC

Marion North

Tract 9502

Blocks: 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3041, 3044 287

Marion North Subtotal 287

Marion West 1,634

Nichols 854

Northeast Mullins

Tract 9504

Blocks: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3023, 3024, 3058 787

Tract 9505

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052 409

Northeast Mullins Subtotal 1,196

Northwest Mullins

Tract 9503

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2059, 2060, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3025, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4055, 4057, 4058, 4060 523

Northwest Mullins Subtotal 523

Sellers 284

Temperance 1,669

Zion 708

County Marion SC Subtotal 7,155

DISTRICT 59 Total 40,380

Area Population

DISTRICT 60

Area Population

County: Florence SC

Cowards No. 1 1,447

Cowards No. 2 1,730

Delmae No. 2

Tract 2.02

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2025, 2030 499

Delmae No. 2 Subtotal 499

Ebenezer No. 2 3,944

Ebenezer No. 3

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 2108, 2112, 2115, 2116 0

Tract 15.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019 112

Ebenezer No. 3 Subtotal 112

Effingham 1,595

Elim-Glenwood 2,575

Evergreen 1,484

Friendfield 766

Hannah 1,007

High Hill 784

Johnsonville 3,452

Kingsburg-Stone 1,359

Leo 477

Oak Grove-Sardis 1,602

Olanta 1,944

Pamplico No. 1 1,558

Prospect 664

Salem 925

Savannah Grove 6,121

Scranton 1,317

South Florence 2

Tract 15.05

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1035, 1048 614

Tract 16.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 3028, 3029, 3031, 3034, 3035, 3036 1206

South Florence 2 Subtotal 1,820

Tans Bay 2,613

Timmonsville 2

Tract 15.03

Blocks: 2040, 2043, 2048, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063 152

Tract 15.04

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1051, 1059, 1060, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3028 26

Timmonsville 2 Subtotal 178

Vox 954

County Florence SC Subtotal 40,927

DISTRICT 60 Total 40,927

Area Population

DISTRICT 61

Area Population

County: Horry SC

COASTAL CAROLINA 4,770

EAST CONWAY

Tract 701.01

Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2052 103

Tract 701.02

Blocks: 2033, 2035, 2042, 2043, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2051, 2052, 2053 63

Tract 702

Blocks: 1042, 1043, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1064, 1067, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2052, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100 793

EAST CONWAY Subtotal 959

FORESTBROOK 5,010

LAKE PARK #2 3,109

MYRTLE TRACE 1,747

NORTH CONWAY #2

Tract 702

Blocks: 1029, 1034, 1035, 1038, 1040, 1041, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1065, 1066, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2101 960

NORTH CONWAY #2 Subtotal 960

PALMETTO BAYS 6,073

RACEPATH #1

Tract 703

Blocks: 2026, 2028, 2029, 2033, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052 155

RACEPATH #1 Subtotal 155

RED HILL #1

Tract 601.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1028, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1082, 2000, 2001, 2002 4254

Tract 604.03

Blocks: 1066, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1086, 1087, 1089, 1090, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1097, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102 197

Tract 604.05

Blocks: 1080, 1081 0

RED HILL #1 Subtotal 4,451

RED HILL #2 3,554

SOCASTEE #3

Tract 602.03

Blocks: 3017 300

Tract 602.04

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003 776

SOCASTEE #3 Subtotal 1,076

SOCASTEE #4

Tract 515.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004 703

Tract 515.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1016, 2018, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2038, 2039, 2040 1823

SOCASTEE #4 Subtotal 2,526

WACCAMAW 6,778

WEST CONWAY

Tract 703

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2027, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069 1094

WEST CONWAY Subtotal 1,094

WILD WING

Tract 604.03

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1014, 1016, 1018, 1026, 1029, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1073 2

WILD WING Subtotal 2

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,264

DISTRICT 61 Total 42,264

Area Population

DISTRICT 62

Area Population

County: Darlington SC

AUBURN 843

DARLINGTON NO. 1 450

DARLINGTON NO. 2 2,238

DARLINGTON NO. 3

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 2002 0

Tract 110

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3018, 3019 1953

Tract 111

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041 941

Tract 113.02

Blocks: 2049 0

Tract 114

Blocks: 1001, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009 85

DARLINGTON NO. 3 Subtotal 2,979

DARLINGTON NO. 4 1,854

DARLINGTON NO. 5 2,187

DARLINGTON NO. 6 2,768

DOVESVILLE

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1011, 1015, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1027, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 2003, 2004, 2005 518

DOVESVILLE Subtotal 518

HARTSVILLE NO. 4 1,468

HARTSVILLE NO. 6 1,751

HARTSVILLE NO. 7 2,061

HARTSVILLE NO. 9

Tract 103

Blocks: 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 4003, 4004, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4035 460

HARTSVILLE NO. 9 Subtotal 460

HIGH HILL 4,043

INDIAN BRANCH 1,178

LAKE SWAMP 1,907

LAMAR NO. 1 1,081

LAMAR NO. 2 1,978

OATES 1,364

PALMETTO 2,938

SWIFT CREEK 1,499

County Darlington SC Subtotal 35,565

County: Florence SC

Cartersville 1,142

Timmonsville 1 2,145

Timmonsville 2

Tract 15.03

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019 412

Tract 15.04

Blocks: 3004, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032 462

Tract 26

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4014, 4017, 4018, 4022, 4023, 4035 965

Timmonsville 2 Subtotal 1,839

County Florence SC Subtotal 5,126

DISTRICT 62 Total 40,691

Area Population

DISTRICT 63

Area Population

County: Florence SC

Delmae No. 1 4,361

Delmae No. 2

Tract 2.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2026, 2031 1338

Tract 13

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2018 491

Delmae No. 2 Subtotal 1,829

Ebenezer No. 1 4,992

Ebenezer No. 3

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 2092, 2093, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2107, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2114 13

Tract 2.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032 1870

Ebenezer No. 3 Subtotal 1,883

Florence Ward 11

Tract 11

Blocks: 2018, 2019, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 5010, 5011, 5012, 5013, 5014, 5015, 5016 977

Florence Ward 11 Subtotal 977

Florence Ward 12 3,662

Florence Ward 14 3,103

Florence Ward 15

Tract 6

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1014, 1015, 1016 0

Tract 7

Blocks: 2089, 2090 0

Florence Ward 15 Subtotal 0

Florence Ward 2

Tract 10

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2013, 2016, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2028, 2029, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 409

Florence Ward 2 Subtotal 409

Florence Ward 4

Tract 10

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046 1051

Florence Ward 4 Subtotal 1,051

Florence Ward 5

Tract 11

Blocks: 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1028, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 933

Florence Ward 5 Subtotal 933

Florence Ward 6 1,161

Florence Ward 7 2,826

Florence Ward 8 2,411

South Florence 1 4,235

South Florence 2

Tract 15.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012 72

South Florence 2 Subtotal 72

West Florence 1

Tract 1.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2039, 2040, 2047, 2048, 2050 3196

Tract 1.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1014, 1015, 1026, 1028, 1032, 1033, 1035 220

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 1008, 2050, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2094, 2098, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128 501

Tract 2.02

Blocks: 1016, 4004 0

Tract 11

Blocks: 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044 521

West Florence 1 Subtotal 4,438

West Florence 2

Tract 2.01

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2051, 2052, 2061, 2062, 2113, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123 1947

Tract 11

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1045 0

West Florence 2 Subtotal 1,947

County Florence SC Subtotal 40,290

DISTRICT 63 Total 40,290

Area Population

DISTRICT 64

Area Population

County: Clarendon SC 31,144

County: Sumter SC

CHERRYVALE 1,290

DELAINE 2,106

HORATIO 652

MANCHESTER FOREST 2,258

PINEWOOD 2,592

SAINT PAUL

Tract 18.03

Blocks: 3007, 4000, 4007 213

Tract 18.04

Blocks: 1001, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014 902

SAINT PAUL Subtotal 1,115

County Sumter SC Subtotal 10,013

DISTRICT 64 Total 41,157

Area Population

DISTRICT 65

Area Population

County: Chesterfield SC

Angelus-Cararrh 1,082

Jefferson 3,080

Mcbee

Tract 9508

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1128, 1129, 1130, 2015, 2016, 2019, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2041, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2065, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2134, 2135, 2136, 2137, 2138, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2145, 2146, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150 1737

Mcbee Subtotal 1,737

County Chesterfield SC Subtotal 5,899

County: Darlington SC

BETHEL 926

BLACK CREEK-CLYDE 1,862

BURNT BRANCH 1,000

HARTSVILLE NO. 1 1,966

HARTSVILLE NO. 5 3,295

HARTSVILLE NO. 8 3,642

HARTSVILLE NO. 9

Tract 103

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3025, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4005, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4036 1823

HARTSVILLE NO. 9 Subtotal 1,823

KELLEYTOWN 2,363

LYDIA 933

NEW MARKET 1,544

County Darlington SC Subtotal 19,354

County: Kershaw SC

Bethune 1,838

Buffalo 1,767

Gates Ford 592

Westville 2,552

County Kershaw SC Subtotal 6,749

County: Lancaster SC

Kershaw North 2,756

Kershaw South 2,024

Midway 2,459

Rich Hill 1,729

County Lancaster SC Subtotal 8,968

DISTRICT 65 Total 40,970

Area Population

DISTRICT 66

Area Population

County: York SC

Baxter 1,798

Crescent 2,704

Fort Mill No. 6 2,139

Gold Hill 4,779

Kanawha 3,691

Orchard Park 2,997

Palmetto 2,952

Pleasant Road 4,953

Shoreline 3,018

Stateline

Tract 610.06

Blocks: 1009 0

Tract 610.07

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005 28

Stateline Subtotal 28

Steele Creek 3,684

Tega Cay 1,629

Waterstone 3,275

Windjammer 2,608

County York SC Subtotal 40,255

DISTRICT 66 Total 40,255

Area Population

DISTRICT 67

Area Population

County: Sumter SC

BUNRS-DOWNS

Tract 9.01

Blocks: 2014, 2017, 2026, 2027, 2032, 2033 0

Tract 9.02

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042 1022

BUNRS-DOWNS Subtotal 1,022

CAUSEWAY BRANCH 1 1,767

CAUSEWAY BRANCH 2 1,316

EBENEZER 2 2,515

FURMAN 2,392

GREEN SWAMP 4,461

GREEN SWAMP 2 1,441

HAMPTON PARK 1,061

MCCRAYS MILL 1 2,366

MCCRAYS MILL 2 2,353

OAKLAND PLANTATION 2 1,610

POCOTALIGO 1 2,970

POCOTALIGO 2 2,335

PRIVATEER 3,361

SAINT PAUL

Tract 17.01

Blocks: 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2036, 2037, 2038 437

Tract 18.03

Blocks: 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026 1011

Tract 18.04

Blocks: 1073, 1074, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 554

SAINT PAUL Subtotal 2,002

SECOND MILL 2,195

SHAW 2,088

SWAN LAKE 1,576

WILSON HALL 2,507

County Sumter SC Subtotal 41,338

DISTRICT 67 Total 41,338

Area Population

DISTRICT 68

Area Population

County: Horry SC

DEERFIELD

Tract 516.07

Blocks: 2006, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042 782

DEERFIELD Subtotal 782

ENTERPRISE #1 3,161

ENTERPRISE #2 2,555

JACKSON BLUFF

Tract 601.01

Blocks: 2011, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 318

JACKSON BLUFF Subtotal 318

LAKE PARK #1 3,408

LAKE PARK #3 3,213

MARLOWE #1 2,887

MARLOWE #2 3,431

MARLOWE #3 6,090

SEA WINDS

Tract 516.07

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2043 5214

SEA WINDS Subtotal 5,214

SOCASTEE #1 3,175

SOCASTEE #2 3,171

SOCASTEE #3

Tract 602.03

Blocks: 1040, 1041, 1042, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027 4202

Tract 602.04

Blocks: 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3019, 3020 517

SOCASTEE #3 Subtotal 4,719

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,124

DISTRICT 68 Total 42,124

Area Population

DISTRICT 69

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

BUSH RIVER

Tract 211.15

Blocks: 1009 18

BUSH RIVER Subtotal 18

CROMER 2,172

FAITH CHURCH 2,732

GARDENDALE 2,190

GRENADIER

Tract 205.11

Blocks: 2000, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011 1656

GRENADIER Subtotal 1,656

LEXINGTON NO. 1 4,224

LEXINGTON NO. 2

Tract 210.29

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 150

LEXINGTON NO. 2 Subtotal 150

LEXINGTON NO. 3

Tract 210.25

Blocks: 0005, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012 215

Tract 210.49

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1031, 1032, 1037 2536

Tract 210.50

Blocks: 1007 7

LEXINGTON NO. 3 Subtotal 2,758

LEXINGTON NO. 4

Tract 210.30

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 2915

LEXINGTON NO. 4 Subtotal 2,915

MIDWAY 1,904

OAKWOOD 4,509

PILGRIM CHRUCH 4,006

PINEVIEW 2,909

PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Tract 210.25

Blocks: 0002, 0003, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1018, 1019, 1021, 1022 917

Tract 210.50

Blocks: 1000, 1001 344

PROVIDENCE CHURCH Subtotal 1,261

RIVER BLUFF 4,281

SEVEN OAKS

Tract 211.09

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1024 1026

SEVEN OAKS Subtotal 1,026

WHITEHALL

Tract 211.09

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1021, 1025 0

WHITEHALL Subtotal 0

WOODLAND HILLS 2,530

County Lexington SC Subtotal 41,241

DISTRICT 69 Total 41,241

Area Population

DISTRICT 70

Area Population

County: Kershaw SC

Airport

Tract 9705

Blocks: 2000 7

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046 1567

Tract 9706.04

Blocks: 2053, 2067, 2079, 2080 20

Tract 9708

Blocks: 5000, 5001 192

Airport Subtotal 1,786

Camden No. 1 2,357

Camden No. 2 & 3 559

Camden No. 5 1,103

Camden No. 5-A 794

Camden No. 6 534

Doby’s Mill

Tract 9709.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2024, 2025, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 237

Doby’s Mill Subtotal 237

E. Camden-Hermitage 798

Elgin No. 2

Tract 9709.07

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3011, 3012 654

Elgin No. 2 Subtotal 654

Elgin No. 6

Tract 9709.06

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2008, 2009 1225

Elgin No. 6 Subtotal 1,225

Hobkirk’s Hill 2,222

Lugoff No. 1 2,070

Lugoff No. 2 2,692

Lugoff No. 3 2,228

Lugoff No. 4 1,838

Riverdale 1,376

Salt Pond

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 1032, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2027, 2030 540

Salt Pond Subtotal 540

Springdale

Tract 9705

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1033, 1034, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3031, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3040, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012, 5013, 5014, 5015, 5016, 5017, 5018, 5019, 5020, 5021, 5022, 5024, 5032, 5035, 5036, 5038, 5039, 5040, 5041, 5042, 5043, 5044, 5045, 5048, 5049, 5050, 5055, 5056, 5057, 5058, 5059 2280

Tract 9706.04

Blocks: 2054, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2101 85

Springdale Subtotal 2,365

County Kershaw SC Subtotal 25,378

County: Richland SC

Bluff 3,208

Brandon 1

Tract 116.08

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070 1848

Brandon 1 Subtotal 1,848

Brandon 2

Tract 116.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 2302

Brandon 2 Subtotal 2,302

Eastover 1,502

Gadsden 1,606

Garners

Tract 120

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1058, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1102, 1103, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111 612

Garners Subtotal 612

Hopkins 1 1,825

Hopkins 2 2,151

Pontiac 1

Tract 120

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1015, 1016, 1112 118

Pontiac 1 Subtotal 118

Trinity

Tract 116.07

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038 669

Trinity Subtotal 669

Webber

Tract 120

Blocks: 1104, 1105, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2035, 2038, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3052, 3053, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3062, 3063, 3071, 3113, 3114, 3126, 4005, 4006 934

Webber Subtotal 934

County Richland SC Subtotal 16,775

DISTRICT 70 Total 42,153

Area Population

DISTRICT 71

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

DUTCHMAN SHORES

Tract 212.04

Blocks: 2077, 2078, 2079, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090 784

Tract 212.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1008 1348

DUTCHMAN SHORES Subtotal 2,132

County Lexington SC Subtotal 2,132

County: Richland SC

Ballentine 1 2,309

Ballentine 2 2,585

Dutch Fork 1 1,683

Dutch Fork 2 1,931

Dutch Fork 3 3,596

Dutch Fork 4 2,474

Friarsgate 1 2,515

Friarsgate 2 2,064

Oak Pointe 2 1,120

Oak Pointe 3 1,532

Old Friarsgate 2,035

Riversprings 1 1,567

Riversprings 2 1,883

Riversprings 3 1,954

Riverwalk

Tract 103.08

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1031 283

Riverwalk Subtotal 283

Spring Hill 3,572

Springville 1 2,866

Springville 2 2,620

County Richland SC Subtotal 38,589

DISTRICT 71 Total 40,721

Area Population

DISTRICT 72

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Beatty Road 2,018

Hampton

Tract 26.02

Blocks: 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040 158

Tract 26.05

Blocks: 1019 36

Hampton Subtotal 194

Olympia 6,111

Riverside

Tract 104.12

Blocks: 2018, 2019, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036 227

Tract 104.13

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 1935

Riverside Subtotal 2,162

Skyland 1,964

St. Andrews 2,109

Ward 1

Tract 27

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 474

Tract 29

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1040, 1046 2997

Tract 30

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 2027, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 587

Tract 31

Blocks: 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2050 114

Ward 1 Subtotal 4,172

Ward 10 1,991

Ward 11

Tract 26.02

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1053, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2039, 2043 1683

Tract 26.05

Blocks: 1015, 1020, 2055 462

Ward 11 Subtotal 2,145

Ward 12 2,039

Ward 13 2,788

Ward 30 2,342

Ward 5 8,651

Westminster

Tract 104.12

Blocks: 2010, 2022, 2032 30

Westminster Subtotal 30

Whitewell 3,325

County Richland SC Subtotal 42,041

DISTRICT 72 Total 42,041

Area Population

DISTRICT 73

Area Population

County: Richland SC

College Place 2,288

Dennyside

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056 1674

Tract 107.01

Blocks: 3005, 3006, 3008, 3009, 3011, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038 22

Dennyside Subtotal 1,696

Fairlawn

Tract 101.05

Blocks: 1003, 1005, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023 870

Tract 102

Blocks: 2027, 2028, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2064 273

Tract 107.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017 895

Tract 108.06

Blocks: 1000 0

Fairlawn Subtotal 2,038

Fairwold

Tract 106

Blocks: 1040 0

Tract 107.03

Blocks: 3006, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4023 1028

Fairwold Subtotal 1,028

Harbison 1 3,481

Harbison 2 1,865

Keels 2

Tract 108.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1029 250

Tract 113.03

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1011 315

Keels 2 Subtotal 565

Lincolnshire 2,980

Meadowlake 3,678

Monticello

Tract 102

Blocks: 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1084, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2062, 2063, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3041, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083 2275

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1002 0

Monticello Subtotal 2,275

Oak Pointe 1 1,871

Parkridge 1 1,534

Parkridge 2 1,784

Pine Grove 2,726

Riverwalk

Tract 103.14

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 0

Tract 103.15

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015 3423

Riverwalk Subtotal 3,423

Walden

Tract 103.15

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1048 0

Tract 104.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002 0

Tract 104.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015 4495

Tract 104.14

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4018 1668

Walden Subtotal 6,163

Ward 21

Tract 1

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2000, 2003, 2004 1622

Ward 21 Subtotal 1,622

County Richland SC Subtotal 41,017

DISTRICT 73 Total 41,017

Area Population

DISTRICT 74

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Ardincaple 944

Dennyside

Tract 106

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004 0

Dennyside Subtotal 0

Keenan

Tract 111.01

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1049, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3029, 3030, 3031 1381

Keenan Subtotal 1,381

Kingswood 4,179

Ridgewood 987

Riverside

Tract 104.12

Blocks: 2003, 2020 23

Tract 104.13

Blocks: 2005 90

Riverside Subtotal 113

Walden

Tract 104.14

Blocks: 4015, 4016, 4017, 4019, 4023 395

Walden Subtotal 395

Ward 1

Tract 30

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1011, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039 2011

Ward 1 Subtotal 2,011

Ward 18 2,026

Ward 19 2,163

Ward 2 2,394

Ward 20 2,383

Ward 22 2,175

Ward 23 1,308

Ward 29 2,030

Ward 3 2,011

Ward 31 1,728

Ward 32 1,205

Ward 33 1,388

Ward 34 1,476

Ward 4 1,969

Ward 6

Tract 111.01

Blocks: 3008, 3013, 3014, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035 1022

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 2011, 2012 39

Ward 6 Subtotal 1,061

Ward 7

Tract 9

Blocks: 2033, 2034, 2039 298

Tract 10

Blocks: 2014, 2015 0

Ward 7 Subtotal 298

Ward 8 1,591

Ward 9 1,379

Westminster

Tract 104.12

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2023, 2031, 2037 3148

Tract 104.13

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004 36

Westminster Subtotal 3,184

County Richland SC Subtotal 41,779

DISTRICT 74 Total 41,779

Area Population

DISTRICT 75

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Brandon 1

Tract 116.03

Blocks: 2038 0

Tract 116.08

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1028, 1029 19

Brandon 1 Subtotal 19

Brandon 2

Tract 116.07

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025 1448

Brandon 2 Subtotal 1,448

East Forest Acres

Tract 112.01

Blocks: 1000 63

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 1014, 1015, 1016, 1022, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1035, 1036 683

East Forest Acres Subtotal 746

Gregg Park

Tract 24

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3030 950

Tract 113.07

Blocks: 3014, 3015 0

Gregg Park Subtotal 950

Hampton

Tract 25

Blocks: 4013, 4014 0

Tract 26.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047 2637

Hampton Subtotal 2,637

Meadowfield 2,326

North Forest Acres 1,968

Pennington 1 1,292

Pennington 2 2,115

South Beltline 2,584

South Forest Acres 1,995

Ward 11

Tract 26.05

Blocks: 1022 45

Ward 11 Subtotal 45

Ward 14 2,026

Ward 15 1,271

Ward 16 1,642

Ward 17 2,113

Ward 24 1,365

Ward 25 2,579

Ward 26

Tract 24

Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 3007, 3008, 3009 0

Tract 113.07

Blocks: 3016, 3018 0

Tract 115.01

Blocks: 1013, 1014, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1030, 1033, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1122, 1123 4929

Tract 115.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009 600

Tract 116.03

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1060, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2025, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046 2090

Tract 116.08

Blocks: 1027 0

Ward 26 Subtotal 7,619

Ward 6

Tract 111.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2021, 2023, 2024 526

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2025, 2026, 2028, 2029 247

Ward 6 Subtotal 773

Woodlands 2,909

County Richland SC Subtotal 40,422

DISTRICT 75 Total 40,422

Area Population

DISTRICT 76

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Briarwood 4,389

Dentsville 3,133

Edgewood 2,771

Fairwold

Tract 107.03

Blocks: 4022 14

Tract 108.04

Blocks: 1001 0

Tract 109

Blocks: 1000, 1001 4

Fairwold Subtotal 18

Greenview 2,022

Keels 1 3,359

Keels 2

Tract 108.05

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033 2281

Tract 113.03

Blocks: 1000 0

Keels 2 Subtotal 2,281

Keenan

Tract 108.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 1065

Keenan Subtotal 1,065

Midway 4,819

North Springs 1

Tract 114.18

Blocks: 2017 23

North Springs 1 Subtotal 23

North Springs 2

Tract 114.18

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1013, 1014, 2009, 2010, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026 2344

Tract 114.19

Blocks: 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022 2062

North Springs 2 Subtotal 4,406

Spring Valley 3,870

Spring Valley West

Tract 114.11

Blocks: 3019 0

Tract 114.20

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 3292

Spring Valley West Subtotal 3,292

Ward 21

Tract 109

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1039, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1049, 1050 929

Tract 110

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 19

Ward 21 Subtotal 948

Ward 7

Tract 9

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1015, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043 1511

Tract 110

Blocks: 1031 0

Ward 7 Subtotal 1,511

Woodfield

Tract 113.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023 3760

Woodfield Subtotal 3,760

County Richland SC Subtotal 41,667

DISTRICT 76 Total 41,667

Area Population

DISTRICT 77

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Blythewood 1 2,980

Blythewood 2

Tract 101.06

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1038, 1039 1301

Blythewood 2 Subtotal 1,301

Blythewood 3 3,818

Fairlawn

Tract 101.05

Blocks: 1002, 1004, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013 761

Tract 102

Blocks: 2025, 2026 41

Tract 114.21

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021 1626

Fairlawn Subtotal 2,428

Killian 4,335

Longcreek 6,737

Longleaf 2,991

Monticello

Tract 102

Blocks: 1048, 1049, 1069, 1070, 3000, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3042 203

Monticello Subtotal 203

Rice Creek 1 2,404

Rice Creek 2

Tract 101.07

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 1392

Tract 101.08

Blocks: 1002, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1011, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006 1847

Rice Creek 2 Subtotal 3,239

Sandlapper 4,584

Spring Valley West

Tract 114.20

Blocks: 1015, 1016 0

Tract 114.21

Blocks: 1002, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 365

Spring Valley West Subtotal 365

Valley State Park

Tract 101.05

Blocks: 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2084, 2085, 2086 1069

Tract 101.08

Blocks: 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022 1093

Tract 101.09

Blocks: 1034, 1035 213

Tract 114.21

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3017, 3018 2729

Valley State Park Subtotal 5,104

County Richland SC Subtotal 40,489

DISTRICT 77 Total 40,489

Area Population

DISTRICT 78

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Arcadia 2,200

Cooper 1,436

East Forest Acres

Tract 111.02

Blocks: 3087 58

Tract 112.02

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1017, 1020, 1021, 1032, 1033, 1034 283

Tract 113.06

Blocks: 4032, 4038, 4039, 4050, 4051, 4058, 4059, 4061, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4065, 4066, 4067, 4068, 4074 458

East Forest Acres Subtotal 799

Gregg Park

Tract 113.06

Blocks: 4047, 4048, 4049, 4054, 4055, 4056, 4057, 4069, 4070, 4071, 4072, 4073 312

Tract 113.07

Blocks: 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022 2057

Tract 115.01

Blocks: 1010, 1121 0

Gregg Park Subtotal 2,369

Keenan

Tract 111.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1048 107

Keenan Subtotal 107

Mallet Hill 4,292

Oakwood 1,335

Polo Road 5,320

Pontiac 1

Tract 114.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1023, 1024, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102 2277

Tract 114.14

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067 2032

Pontiac 1 Subtotal 4,309

Pontiac 2 3,436

Satchelford 2,010

Trenholm Road 1,467

Valhalla 3,719

Ward 26

Tract 113.07

Blocks: 3017 0

Tract 115.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1028, 1029, 1031, 1032, 1034 2028

Tract 115.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019 556

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1069, 1070 463

Ward 26 Subtotal 3,047

Wildewood 3,982

Woodfield

Tract 113.05

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2022, 3020, 4024 1298

Woodfield Subtotal 1,298

County Richland SC Subtotal 41,126

DISTRICT 78 Total 41,126

Area Population

DISTRICT 79

Area Population

County: Richland SC

Bookman 4,721

Bridge Creek 3,169

Estates 3,005

Lake Carolina 4,965

North Springs 1

Tract 114.18

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2012, 2013, 2014 1735

North Springs 1 Subtotal 1,735

North Springs 2

Tract 114.18

Blocks: 2008, 2011, 2020 44

Tract 114.19

Blocks: 2001, 2008 59

North Springs 2 Subtotal 103

North Springs 3 2,863

Parkway 1 3,460

Parkway 2 3,503

Parkway 3 2,592

Rice Creek 2

Tract 101.07

Blocks: 3000, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3018, 3019, 3020 950

Rice Creek 2 Subtotal 950

Ridge View 1 3,895

Ridge View 2 4,697

Spring Valley West

Tract 114.11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 442

Spring Valley West Subtotal 442

Valley State Park

Tract 101.08

Blocks: 2007, 2008 323

Valley State Park Subtotal 323

County Richland SC Subtotal 40,423

DISTRICT 79 Total 40,423

Area Population

DISTRICT 80

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Mt. Pleasant 17

Tract 46.12

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004 1243

Tract 46.13

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1013 1595

Tract 46.14

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032 948

Tract 46.22

Blocks: 2000 0

Mt. Pleasant 17 Subtotal 3,786

Mt. Pleasant 19 2,968

Mt. Pleasant 24 1,040

Mt. Pleasant 25 1,402

Mt. Pleasant 26 734

Mt. Pleasant 27 4,062

Mt. Pleasant 28 1,560

Mt. Pleasant 29 385

Mt. Pleasant 30 2,607

Mt. Pleasant 31 2,093

Mt. Pleasant 32 3,609

Mt. Pleasant 33 5,428

Mt. Pleasant 34 2,358

Mt. Pleasant 35

Tract 46.16

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027 1599

Tract 46.17

Blocks: 1021, 1065, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2054, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069 3915

Tract 46.18

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2027, 2055 1508

Mt. Pleasant 35 Subtotal 7,022

Mt. Pleasant 36

Tract 46.18

Blocks: 1008, 1029, 1030, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2060, 2065 1500

Mt. Pleasant 36 Subtotal 1,500

County Charleston SC Subtotal 40,554

DISTRICT 80 Total 40,554

Area Population

DISTRICT 81

Area Population

County: Aiken SC

Aiken No. 1 1,505

Aiken No. 2

Tract 213

Blocks: 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1048, 1049, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3019, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3074, 3083 297

Tract 214.01

Blocks: 1026, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2161, 2162, 2163 168

Aiken No. 2 Subtotal 465

Aiken No. 47 1,460

Aiken No. 5

Tract 213

Blocks: 3096, 3097, 3098, 3100, 3101, 3102, 3103, 3104, 3105, 3106, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3115, 3116, 3121, 3122, 3123, 3124, 3125, 3127, 3128, 3129, 3130, 3131, 3132, 3133, 3134, 3135, 3136, 3137, 3176, 3177, 3178 105

Tract 214.01

Blocks: 2114, 2115, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2133, 2141, 2145, 2146, 2147 123

Tract 215

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1027, 1028, 1047, 1048, 2015, 2024, 2025, 2026, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3016, 3017, 3023 514

Aiken No. 5 Subtotal 742

Aiken No. 6 1,387

Anderson Pond No. 69 2,136

College Acres 2,379

Gem Lakes No. 60 1,461

Gem Lakes No. 77 1,882

Hitchcock No. 66 1,463

Hollow Creek 1,529

Levels No. 52 1,521

Levels No. 72

Tract 215

Blocks: 2017, 2041, 2043, 2044, 2045, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033 937

Tract 216.03

Blocks: 1032, 1033, 1034, 1039, 1040, 1041 436

Levels No. 72 Subtotal 1,373

Levels No. 83 1,492

Millbrook 2,408

Montmorenci No. 22 2,507

Pine Forest

Tract 209.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 779

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 3007 0

Pine Forest Subtotal 779

Sandstone No. 70 1,597

Sandstone No. 79 1,571

Silver Bluff

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1012, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1036, 2035, 2036, 2037, 3022 629

Silver Bluff Subtotal 629

Sleepy Hollow No. 65 2,170

South Aiken No. 75 2,359

South Aiken No. 76 2,642

Talatha

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 412

Talatha Subtotal 412

Warrenville

Tract 211.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2026, 2027 1768

Tract 212.01

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4041, 4049, 4050 690

Warrenville Subtotal 2,458

County Aiken SC Subtotal 40,327

DISTRICT 81 Total 40,327

Area Population

DISTRICT 82

Area Population

County: Aiken SC

Aiken No. 2

Tract 214.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1028, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 911

Tract 214.02

Blocks: 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2032, 2033 341

Aiken No. 2 Subtotal 1,252

Aiken No. 3 3,160

Aiken No. 4 1,087

Aiken No. 5

Tract 214.01

Blocks: 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160 67

Tract 215

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1046, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2049, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3008, 3009, 3010 673

Tract 216.01

Blocks: 1026, 1028, 1029, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040 134

Aiken No. 5 Subtotal 874

China Springs 2,546

Eureka

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060 1839

Eureka Subtotal 1,839

Graniteville

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 2017, 2018, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052 420

Tract 204.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 2037, 2038 958

Graniteville Subtotal 1,378

Levels No. 72

Tract 215

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2008, 2010, 2039, 2040, 2042, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2050 52

Levels No. 72 Subtotal 52

Redds Branch

Tract 216.01

Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3026 890

Redds Branch Subtotal 890

Six Points No. 35 2,953

Six Points No. 46 1,967

Vaucluse

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 1005, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1032, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2042 2487

Vaucluse Subtotal 2,487

County Aiken SC Subtotal 20,485

County: Edgefield SC

Brunson 711

Edgefield No. 1 1,211

Edgefield No. 2

Tract 9702.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4021 4023

Tract 9705.01

Blocks: 1000 9

Tract 9705.02

Blocks: 1000 5

Edgefield No. 2 Subtotal 4,037

Harmony 1,323

Johnston No. 1 1,815

Johnston No. 2 1,603

North Side 547

Trenton No. 1 2,025

Trenton No. 2 2,789

County Edgefield SC Subtotal 16,061

County: Saluda SC

Fruit Hill

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 2039, 2041, 2047, 3047, 3053, 3054, 3055, 4004, 4006, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4057, 4058, 4059, 4060, 4062, 4074 741

Fruit Hill Subtotal 741

Mayson

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 3017, 3018, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 4005 297

Mayson Subtotal 297

Pleasant Cross 285

Richland

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 1025, 1027, 1028, 1051 32

Tract 9604

Blocks: 1058 5

Richland Subtotal 37

Ridge Spring/Monetta

Tract 9604

Blocks: 3018, 3019, 3020, 3027, 3028, 3032, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3040, 3041, 3042 108

Ridge Spring/Monetta Subtotal 108

Saluda No. 1

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1023, 1024, 1026, 1029, 1046, 1048, 1049, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2080, 2081, 2082 1438

Saluda No. 1 Subtotal 1,438

Saluda No. 2

Tract 9602.01

Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2040, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 4033 347

Saluda No. 2 Subtotal 347

Ward

Tract 9602.02

Blocks: 1050, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1059 24

Tract 9604

Blocks: 1059, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 1127, 1128, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1138, 3003 559

Ward Subtotal 583

County Saluda SC Subtotal 3,836

DISTRICT 82 Total 40,382

Area Population

DISTRICT 83

Area Population

County: Aiken SC

Belvedere No. 44

Tract 206.03

Blocks: 1000, 1007, 1008, 1019, 2034, 2035 244

Belvedere No. 44 Subtotal 244

Belvedere No. 62 1,827

Belvedere No. 74 1,083

Belvedere No. 9 2,621

Carolina Heights

Tract 207.02

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 3011, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3023, 3024, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3031, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041 1427

Tract 209.04

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2077 223

Carolina Heights Subtotal 1,650

Fox Creek No. 58 2,036

Fox Creek No. 73 1,878

N. Augusta No. 25 2,565

N. Augusta No. 26 1,559

N. Augusta No. 27 1,927

N. Augusta No. 28 1,392

N. Augusta No. 29 2,320

N. Augusta No. 54 2,076

N. Augusta No. 55 1,352

N. Augusta No. 67 1,676

N. Augusta No. 68 3,300

N. Augusta No. 80 1,279

County Aiken SC Subtotal 30,785

County: Edgefield SC

Edgefield No. 2

Tract 9705.01

Blocks: 1002, 1003 36

Tract 9705.02

Blocks: 1004, 1005 84

Edgefield No. 2 Subtotal 120

Merriweather No. 1 3,369

Merriweather No. 2 4,776

Westside 1,331

County Edgefield SC Subtotal 9,596

DISTRICT 83 Total 40,381

Area Population

DISTRICT 84

Area Population

County: Aiken SC

Ascauga Lake No. 63 1,341

Ascauga Lake No. 84 1,548

Bath 1,431

Beech Island 2,354

Belvedere No. 44

Tract 206.03

Blocks: 1020, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050 1877

Tract 210.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2005, 2007, 2008 31

Belvedere No. 44 Subtotal 1,908

Breezy Hill 4,804

Carolina Heights

Tract 209.04

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 9

Tract 210.04

Blocks: 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1076, 1077 440

Carolina Heights Subtotal 449

Clearwater 1,424

Gloverville 1,678

Graniteville

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 1000, 2043 8

Tract 204.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036 544

Graniteville Subtotal 552

Hammond No. 48 1,613

Hammond No. 81 1,804

Jackson 2,182

Langley 2,324

Lynwood 1,463

Midland Valley No. 51 3,282

Midland Valley No. 71 2,999

Misty Lakes 3,058

Pine Forest

Tract 209.03

Blocks: 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2019, 2020 1889

Pine Forest Subtotal 1,889

Vaucluse

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2054, 2055, 2061, 2062 221

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 2044 365

Vaucluse Subtotal 586

Warrenville

Tract 211.01

Blocks: 2003, 2004, 2007, 2021, 2022, 2025, 2026, 2027 66

Tract 211.02

Blocks: 2006, 2011, 2012, 2014 415

Warrenville Subtotal 481

Willow Springs 2,282

County Aiken SC Subtotal 41,452

DISTRICT 84 Total 41,452

Area Population

DISTRICT 85

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

AMICKS FERRY

Tract 212.05

Blocks: 0002, 0003, 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 2321

Tract 212.06

Blocks: 0003, 0004, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026 1187

AMICKS FERRY Subtotal 3,508

BUSH RIVER

Tract 211.09

Blocks: 2016, 2017 0

Tract 211.15

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006 468

Tract 211.16

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 1634

BUSH RIVER Subtotal 2,102

CHALLEDON 2,449

CHAPIN 4,743

COLDSTREAM 2,431

DUTCHMAN SHORES

Tract 212.07

Blocks: 0001, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010 900

Tract 212.08

Blocks: 0003, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012 272

DUTCHMAN SHORES Subtotal 1,172

GRENADIER

Tract 205.10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1008, 1009 277

Tract 205.11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 2001 972

GRENADIER Subtotal 1,249

IRMO 3,241

LINCREEK 3,141

MURRAYWOOD 2,684

OLD LEXINGTON 4,121

QUAIL VALLEY 2,730

SEVEN OAKS

Tract 211.09

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1022, 1023 903

Tract 211.10

Blocks: 2024, 2025, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 559

Tract 211.11

Blocks: 1008, 1027, 1028 0

SEVEN OAKS Subtotal 1,462

ST. MICHAEL 2,685

WHITEHALL

Tract 211.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015 2750

WHITEHALL Subtotal 2,750

County Lexington SC Subtotal 40,468

DISTRICT 85 Total 40,468

Area Population

DISTRICT 86

Area Population

County: Aiken SC

Cedar Creek No. 64 1,897

Couchton 1,878

Eureka

Tract 202

Blocks: 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4015, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042 775

Eureka Subtotal 775

Monetta 1,868

Montmorenci No. 78 1,438

New Ellenton 2,247

New Holland 1,315

Oak Grove 1,804

Perry 1,242

Redds Branch

Tract 216.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1024, 1025, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1041, 1042, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2050, 2051, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3006, 3015, 3016, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3027, 3028 1421

Redds Branch Subtotal 1,421

Salley 888

Shaws Fork 970

Shiloh 2,730

Silver Bluff

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1031, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1037, 1038, 1039 438

Tract 220.04

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025 715

Tract 221

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1024, 1033, 1035, 1037, 1056, 1067, 1070, 1071, 1072 869

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1074, 1075 0

Silver Bluff Subtotal 2,022

SRS 0

Tabernacle 962

Talatha

Tract 220.01

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1034, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1078, 2000, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2039 878

Tract 220.03

Blocks: 1000, 1016, 1017, 1032, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033 943

Tract 220.04

Blocks: 1000, 1008, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2008, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2079, 2080, 2081 422

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1019, 1025 0

Talatha Subtotal 2,243

Wagener 2,870

Ward 2,206

White Pond 1,184

Windsor No. 43 2,037

Windsor No. 82 1,762

County Aiken SC Subtotal 35,759

County: Lexington SC

FAIRVIEW 2,329

MACK-EDISTO 1,323

MIMS

Tract 213.07

Blocks: 1046, 1047, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064 60

Tract 214.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040 894

MIMS Subtotal 954

County Lexington SC Subtotal 4,606

DISTRICT 86 Total 40,365

Area Population

DISTRICT 87

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

BARR ROAD 1 1,987

BARR ROAD 2 5,274

BEULAH CHURCH 3,318

LAKE MURRAY 1 3,078

LAKE MURRAY 2 5,407

LEXINGTON NO. 2

Tract 210.29

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1057, 1058, 1059, 2006, 2007, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 2845

Tract 210.40

Blocks: 1031 0

LEXINGTON NO. 2 Subtotal 2,845

LEXINGTON NO. 3

Tract 210.28

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2036, 2037, 2038 565

Tract 210.49

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036 254

Tract 210.50

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1014, 1015, 1019 1319

LEXINGTON NO. 3 Subtotal 2,138

MOUNT HOREB 3,132

PARK ROAD 1 3,091

PARK ROAD 2 1,852

PROVIDENCE CHURCH

Tract 210.25

Blocks: 0004, 0007, 1016, 1017, 1020, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 1951

PROVIDENCE CHURCH Subtotal 1,951

RED BANK

Tract 210.29

Blocks: 1055, 1056, 1060 0

Tract 210.35

Blocks: 1000, 1001 45

Tract 210.37

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1047, 1048 1232

RED BANK Subtotal 1,277

ROUND HILL 6,417

County Lexington SC Subtotal 41,767

DISTRICT 87 Total 41,767

Area Population

DISTRICT 88

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

CEDARCREST 2,743

CONGAREE 1 3,187

CONGAREE 2 1,720

EDMUND 1

Tract 209.05

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2025, 2030 444

Tract 209.08

Blocks: 2004, 2005, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024, 2025, 2026 624

EDMUND 1 Subtotal 1,068

EMMANUEL CHURCH 3,261

GASTON 2

Tract 207.05

Blocks: 2004, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2034, 2035 228

Tract 207.07

Blocks: 2024 0

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 1000, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1026 372

GASTON 2 Subtotal 600

KITTI WAKE 2,646

LEXINGTON NO. 4

Tract 210.30

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1057, 1058, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2020, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2034 2271

LEXINGTON NO. 4 Subtotal 2,271

OLD BARNWELL ROAD

Tract 210.34

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024 2731

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1008 0

OLD BARNWELL ROAD Subtotal 2,731

PINE RIDGE 1

Tract 206.04

Blocks: 3035, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056 0

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1027 479

Tract 207.05

Blocks: 2042 0

Tract 207.08

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2029, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2039, 2040 783

PINE RIDGE 1 Subtotal 1,262

PINE RIDGE 2 3,753

RED BANK

Tract 210.44

Blocks: 1017 8

Tract 210.51

Blocks: 1003, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013 803

RED BANK Subtotal 811

RED BANK SOUTH 1 3,973

RED BANK SOUTH 2

Tract 209.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2007 2606

RED BANK SOUTH 2 Subtotal 2,606

SAND HILL

Tract 209.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2026, 2027, 2029 880

SAND HILL Subtotal 880

ST. DAVIDS 3,939

WHITE KNOLL 4,115

County Lexington SC Subtotal 41,566

DISTRICT 88 Total 41,566

Area Population

DISTRICT 89

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

CAYCE 2A 2,176

CAYCE NO. 1 2,866

CAYCE NO. 2

Tract 201

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2032 2549

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 2062, 2063, 2064 0

Tract 202.02

Blocks: 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1042 290

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 2000, 2006, 2007, 2027 0

CAYCE NO. 2 Subtotal 2,839

CAYCE NO. 3 1,041

CHALK HILL

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2014, 2015, 2026 431

CHALK HILL Subtotal 431

EDENWOOD 3,352

HOOK’S STORE 3,746

LEAPHART ROAD 2,916

MT. HEBRON 2,040

OLD BARNWELL ROAD

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 2014, 2015, 2038, 2040, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052 536

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1006, 1007 0

OLD BARNWELL ROAD Subtotal 536

QUAIL HOLLOW 3,015

SALUDA RIVER 3,061

SPRINGDALE 2,813

SPRINGDALE SOUTH 1,069

WEST COLUMBIA NO. 1 1,929

WEST COLUMBIA NO. 2 1,650

WEST COLUMBIA NO. 3 1,034

WEST COLUMBIA NO. 4 2,838

WESTOVER 2,086

County Lexington SC Subtotal 41,438

DISTRICT 89 Total 41,438

Area Population

DISTRICT 90

Area Population

County: Bamberg SC 13,311

County: Colleton SC

Berea-Smoaks 1,245

Edisto 466

Ruffin 370

Williams 404

County Colleton SC Subtotal 2,485

County: Dorchester SC

Grover 1,184

Reevesville

Tract 101

Blocks: 1018, 1023, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1046, 1047, 1052, 1053, 1057, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1122, 1123, 1125, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2075 918

Tract 102

Blocks: 1046, 1048 13

Reevesville Subtotal 931

St. George No. 1

Tract 102

Blocks: 4017, 4018, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4054, 4056, 4058, 4060, 4061, 4062, 4063 119

St. George No. 1 Subtotal 119

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 2,234

County: Orangeburg SC

Bowman 1 1,720

Bowman 2 1,038

Branchville 1 1,425

Branchville 2 680

Brookdale

Tract 108.02

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1040 641

Tract 111

Blocks: 2018, 2024, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053 298

Tract 112

Blocks: 1009 0

Brookdale Subtotal 939

Cope 904

Cordova 1 2,071

Cordova 2

Tract 116

Blocks: 2003, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2029, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027 1240

Cordova 2 Subtotal 1,240

Edisto 1,541

Limestone 1

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2017, 2018, 2019, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3036, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4032 2033

Limestone 1 Subtotal 2,033

Limestone 2

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1027, 3000, 3003, 3004, 3017, 3023 151

Tract 110

Blocks: 1011 0

Limestone 2 Subtotal 151

Nix 1,579

Rowesville 758

Suburban 1

Tract 108.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2012 926

Tract 111

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1018, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033 370

Suburban 1 Subtotal 1,296

Suburban 5

Tract 115

Blocks: 1019, 1020 72

Suburban 5 Subtotal 72

Suburban 6

Tract 115

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3028, 3029, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029 1307

Suburban 6 Subtotal 1,307

Suburban 7

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3034, 3035, 3037, 3038, 3039, 4000, 4006, 4008, 4009, 4010 1202

Suburban 7 Subtotal 1,202

Suburban 8

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1028, 1029 0

Tract 110

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1038 794

Suburban 8 Subtotal 794

Suburban 9

Tract 110

Blocks: 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1039, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3012, 3016, 3018, 3019, 3022, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037 1988

Tract 111

Blocks: 1017 0

Suburban 9 Subtotal 1,988

County Orangeburg SC Subtotal 22,738

DISTRICT 90 Total 40,768

Area Population

DISTRICT 91

Area Population

County: Allendale SC 8,039

County: Barnwell SC 20,589

County: Orangeburg SC

Bolentown 1,973

Limestone 1

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 382

Tract 120

Blocks: 4017, 4020, 4021, 4023, 4024, 4028, 4044, 4045, 4058, 4059, 4060, 4061, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4065, 4066, 4067, 4068, 4069, 4074, 4075, 4076 201

Limestone 1 Subtotal 583

Limestone 2

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1025, 1026, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1040, 1041, 3001, 3002 884

Tract 120

Blocks: 4070, 4071, 4072, 4073, 4077, 4078, 4079 216

Limestone 2 Subtotal 1,100

Neeses-Livingston 1,757

North 1

Tract 118.04

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2046 436

Tract 119

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1014, 1015, 1016 226

Tract 120

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1070, 1080, 1081, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102 594

North 1 Subtotal 1,256

North 2

Tract 120

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2044, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006 378

North 2 Subtotal 378

Norway 1,671

Pine Hill 1,650

Springfield 1,601

County Orangeburg SC Subtotal 11,969

DISTRICT 91 Total 40,597

Area Population

DISTRICT 92

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Beverly Hills 2,179

Boulder Bluff 3,803

Central 3,890

Devon Forest 1 3,611

Devon Forest 2 2,516

Discovery

Tract 207.16

Blocks: 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019 2552

Discovery Subtotal 2,552

Liberty Hall

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 2012, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 3033, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030 2182

Liberty Hall Subtotal 2,182

Medway

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 1014, 1015, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3031, 3032, 3039, 3040 2402

Medway Subtotal 2,402

Stone Lake 1,899

Stratford 2 2,110

Stratford 3 3,338

Stratford 4

Tract 207.16

Blocks: 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022 1009

Tract 207.17

Blocks: 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013 568

Tract 207.21

Blocks: 1013, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2018 897

Stratford 4 Subtotal 2,474

Westview 1 1,824

Westview 2 2,417

Westview 3 2,624

Westview 4 2,092

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 41,913

DISTRICT 92 Total 41,913

Area Population

DISTRICT 93

Area Population

County: Calhoun SC 14,119

County: Lexington SC

CAYCE NO. 2

Tract 201

Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 0

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 2024 0

CAYCE NO. 2 Subtotal 0

CHALK HILL

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2025, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051 235

Tract 207.05

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2039, 2041 1718

Tract 207.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005 2977

CHALK HILL Subtotal 4,930

GASTON 1 2,574

PINE RIDGE 1

Tract 206.05

Blocks: 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045 614

PINE RIDGE 1 Subtotal 614

SANDY RUN 1,437

SWANSEA 1 1,997

County Lexington SC Subtotal 11,552

County: Orangeburg SC

Brookdale

Tract 108.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1038, 1039, 1041 501

Tract 111

Blocks: 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2049, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057 233

Brookdale Subtotal 734

Elloree 1 1,310

Elloree 2 950

Four Holes 753

Jamison 2,405

Limestone 2

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1024, 1039 769

Tract 120

Blocks: 3021, 4000, 4016, 4018, 4019, 4022, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043 410

Limestone 2 Subtotal 1,179

North 1

Tract 120

Blocks: 1029, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1103 533

North 1 Subtotal 533

North 2

Tract 120

Blocks: 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4053, 4054, 4055, 4056, 4057, 4080, 4081, 4082, 4083 1391

North 2 Subtotal 1,391

Santee 1 1,844

Santee 2 1,507

Suburban 2 748

Whittaker 1,613

County Orangeburg SC Subtotal 14,967

DISTRICT 93 Total 40,638

Area Population

DISTRICT 94

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Deer Park 1B

Tract 31.07

Blocks: 3043, 3044, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3066, 3067 86

Deer Park 1B Subtotal 86

Ladson

Tract 31.06

Blocks: 1070, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 2026, 3012, 4014 2013

Ladson Subtotal 2,013

Licolnville

Tract 31.06

Blocks: 1008, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1028, 1029, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1082, 1083, 1091, 1092 1274

Licolnville Subtotal 1,274

County Charleston SC Subtotal 3,373

County: Dorchester SC

Briarwood 2,153

Briarwood 2 1,522

Butternut

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 1016, 1018, 1019, 1029, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 1041, 1042 904

Butternut Subtotal 904

Carolina

Tract 107

Blocks: 3013, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3068 621

Carolina Subtotal 621

Central 2,206

Central 2 2,486

Coastal 2,082

Coastal 2

Tract 108.14

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023 1621

Coastal 2 Subtotal 1,621

Coastal 3 1,179

Dorchester 1,644

Dorchester 2 1,166

Germantown 2,026

Greenhurst 1,875

Greenwave 2,208

Irongate 2 836

Miles/Jamison 2,931

Newington 1,417

Newington 2 961

North Summerville 620

Sawmill Branch 2,109

Spann 1,788

Stallsville 1,429

Tupperway 1,344

Tupperway 2 1,657

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 38,785

DISTRICT 94 Total 42,158

Area Population

DISTRICT 95

Area Population

County: Dorchester SC

Indian Field 794

Indian Field 2 1,186

Reevesville

Tract 101

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1058, 1059, 1121 413

Tract 102

Blocks: 1047, 1049 0

Reevesville Subtotal 413

Rosinville 1,717

St. George No. 1

Tract 102

Blocks: 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 4020, 4021, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4044, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4049, 4050, 4051, 4052, 4053, 4055, 4057, 4059 703

St. George No. 1 Subtotal 703

St. George No. 2 1,053

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 5,866

County: Orangeburg SC

Bethel 895

Cordova 2

Tract 116

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2006, 2007, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023 1382

Cordova 2 Subtotal 1,382

Eutawville 1 1,861

Eutawville 2 2,519

Holly Hill 1 2,662

Holly Hill 2 2,468

Orangeburg Ward 1 1,035

Orangeburg Ward 10 1,018

Orangeburg Ward 2 988

Orangeburg Ward 3 2,075

Orangeburg Ward 4 2,768

Orangeburg Ward 5 1,022

Orangeburg Ward 6 1,095

Orangeburg Ward 7 958

Orangeburg Ward 8 1,022

Orangeburg Ward 9 805

Providence 1,372

Suburban 1

Tract 111

Blocks: 1034 0

Suburban 1 Subtotal 0

Suburban 3 2,035

Suburban 4 769

Suburban 5

Tract 115

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1021, 1022, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027 1733

Suburban 5 Subtotal 1,733

Suburban 6

Tract 115

Blocks: 3009, 3016 1

Suburban 6 Subtotal 1

Suburban 7

Tract 109.01

Blocks: 1000, 1004, 1020, 1021, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2026 362

Tract 109.02

Blocks: 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4007, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030 953

Suburban 7 Subtotal 1,315

Suburban 8

Tract 110

Blocks: 1035, 1040, 1041, 2000, 2009, 2012, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2023, 2025, 2027, 2032, 2035 375

Suburban 8 Subtotal 375

Suburban 9

Tract 110

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3010, 3011, 3014, 3023, 3026, 3038 472

Tract 111

Blocks: 1020 0

Suburban 9 Subtotal 472

Vance 1,904

County Orangeburg SC Subtotal 34,549

DISTRICT 95 Total 40,415

Area Population

DISTRICT 96

Area Population

County: Lexington SC

BOILING SPRINGS

Tract 210.36

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 1138

Tract 210.37

Blocks: 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1043 561

Tract 213.11

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1026, 1027, 1077 94

BOILING SPRINGS Subtotal 1,793

BOILING SPRINGS SOUTH 2,300

Carolina Springs 3,348

EDMUND 1

Tract 209.05

Blocks: 2021, 2022, 2024, 2028 1059

Tract 209.08

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2023 448

EDMUND 1 Subtotal 1,507

EDMUND 2 3,266

GASTON 2

Tract 208.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2035, 2036, 2039, 2042 168

Tract 208.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, 1008, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031 379

Tract 208.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031 1209

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042 1156

GASTON 2 Subtotal 2,912

PELION 1 2,527

PELION 2 2,508

Platt Springs 1 2,044

Platt Springs 2 5,471

RED BANK

Tract 210.35

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028 2961

Tract 210.37

Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1041, 1042, 1046 956

Tract 210.51

Blocks: 1014 10

RED BANK Subtotal 3,927

RED BANK SOUTH 2

Tract 209.08

Blocks: 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 150

RED BANK SOUTH 2 Subtotal 150

SAND HILL

Tract 208.06

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 1424

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1043 1334

SAND HILL Subtotal 2,758

SHARPE’S HILL 3,806

SWANSEA 2 2,666

County Lexington SC Subtotal 40,983

DISTRICT 96 Total 40,983

Area Population

DISTRICT 97

Area Population

County: Colleton SC

Bells 464

Canady’s 763

Cottageville 2,438

Horse Pen 1,050

Hudson Mill 734

Jacksonboro

Tract 9707.01

Blocks: 1031, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063 23

Tract 9708

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1016, 1018, 1027, 1029, 1031, 1032 81

Jacksonboro Subtotal 104

Maple Cane 1,477

Mashawville

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1057, 1058, 1060 274

Tract 9707.02

Blocks: 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055 72

Tract 9708

Blocks: 1015 5

Mashawville Subtotal 351

Peeples 2,134

Peniel

Tract 9703.01

Blocks: 2020, 2021, 2022, 2029, 2030, 2032, 2033, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2053, 2054, 2055 812

Peniel Subtotal 812

Round O 1,562

Sidneys 901

Sniders

Tract 9702

Blocks: 2037 0

Tract 9703.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1025, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045 832

Tract 9704.01

Blocks: 3051, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076 103

Sniders Subtotal 935

Stokes 980

Walterboro No. 2

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2023, 3022, 3023 772

Walterboro No. 2 Subtotal 772

Walterboro No. 5

Tract 9704.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2040, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3068 2136

Walterboro No. 5 Subtotal 2,136

Walterboro No. 6

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1029, 1030, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2031, 2036 408

Walterboro No. 6 Subtotal 408

Wolfe Creek 608

County Colleton SC Subtotal 18,629

County: Dorchester SC

Butternut

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022 98

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1017, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1035, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1047 1969

Butternut Subtotal 2,067

Clemson 2,367

Clemson 2 4,253

Clemson 3

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1012, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1019, 1022, 1030 282

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4028 1252

Clemson 3 Subtotal 1,534

Cypress

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013 3267

Cypress Subtotal 3,267

Cypress 2 1,273

Delemars 1,091

Givhans 1,419

Givhans 2 1,679

Knightsville 2,214

Rosses 1,375

St. George No. 1

Tract 102

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3013, 3018, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3059, 3060, 3061 889

St. George No. 1 Subtotal 889

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 23,428

DISTRICT 97 Total 42,057

Area Population

DISTRICT 98

Area Population

County: Dorchester SC

Ashborough East 2,166

Ashborough East 2 1,045

Ashborough West 924

Ashborough West 2 1,538

Brandymill 993

Brandymill 2 1,956

Briarwood 3 1,008

Coastal 2

Tract 108.13

Blocks: 3000, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4011 645

Coastal 2 Subtotal 645

Coosaw 4,919

Coosaw 2 3,371

Coosaw 3 2,322

Irongate 881

Irongate 3 880

King’s Grant 2,190

Lincoln

Tract 108.18

Blocks: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 418

Lincoln Subtotal 418

Oakbrook 6,235

Oakbrook 2 2,002

Tranquil 1,339

Tranquil 2 2,264

Tranquil 3 2,136

Trolley 2,522

Windsor

Tract 108.18

Blocks: 2003 53

Windsor Subtotal 53

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 41,807

DISTRICT 98 Total 41,807

Area Population

DISTRICT 99

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Daniel Island 1 2,858

Daniel Island 2 2,513

Daniel Island 3 2,658

Daniel Island 4 4,103

Foster Creek 1

Tract 208.11

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1010 981

Tract 208.12

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1022, 1025, 1035, 2001, 2003, 2004 321

Foster Creek 1 Subtotal 1,302

Foster Creek 2 2,960

Foster Creek 3 2,732

Hanahan 1

Tract 208.10

Blocks: 1012 0

Tract 208.12

Blocks: 1023, 1024 0

Tract 209.04

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 3000, 3003 3439

Hanahan 1 Subtotal 3,439

Hanahan 2 2,527

Hanahan 3 2,578

Hanahan 4 2,486

Hanahan 5 2,829

Sedgefield 2

Tract 207.24

Blocks: 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1158 524

Tract 208.12

Blocks: 2000, 2005, 2006 0

Tract 9801

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1061, 1062, 1063 0

Sedgefield 2 Subtotal 524

St. James

Tract 208.11

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1012, 1013, 1014 748

St. James Subtotal 748

The Village 3,549

Yellow House

Tract 204.04

Blocks: 1019, 1020, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1042, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 1122, 1123, 1124, 1126, 1127, 1131, 1132, 1133, 1134, 1135, 1136, 2056, 2057 3228

Yellow House Subtotal 3,228

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 41,034

DISTRICT 99 Total 41,034

Area Population

DISTRICT 100

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Bonneau

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 2056, 2057, 2058, 2069 16

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 1026, 1027 0

Tract 203.03

Blocks: 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1053, 1054, 1057, 1059 203

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 1007, 1009, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2035, 2039 754

Bonneau Subtotal 973

Bonneau Beach 2,100

Carnes Cross Roads 1

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036 0

Tract 207.07

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1024, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1097, 1098, 1101, 1102, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1111, 3000 1104

Carnes Cross Roads 1 Subtotal 1,104

Cross

Tract 201.01

Blocks: 3023, 3024, 3028, 3032, 3033, 3035, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3052 248

Cross Subtotal 248

Cypress 3,422

Fifty-two 2,566

Fox Bank 3,894

Horseshoe

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 2012, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 710

Tract 207.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007 1061

Horseshoe Subtotal 1,771

Macedonia

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 2028 51

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2033, 2034, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040, 2041 236

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2025, 2033, 2034 62

Macedonia Subtotal 349

McBeth 1,324

Medway

Tract 207.07

Blocks: 1089, 1090, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106 14

Tract 208.07

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1016 1610

Medway Subtotal 1,624

Moncks Corner 1 3,070

Moncks Corner 2 2,658

Moncks Corner 3 3,461

Moncks Corner 4 2,159

Old 52 2,162

Pimlico 1,586

Pinopolis 2,417

Whitesville 1 3,433

Whitesville 2

Tract 205.03

Blocks: 1031, 1032 0

Tract 206.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2014, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031 312

Tract 206.02

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 1043

Whitesville 2 Subtotal 1,355

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 41,676

DISTRICT 100 Total 41,676

Area Population

DISTRICT 101

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Alvin 1,230

Bethera

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 2019, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036 107

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2028, 2029, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2075, 2078, 2082, 2083 140

Bethera Subtotal 247

Cordesville

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2049, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2062, 2063, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2076, 2077, 2079, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106, 2107, 2127, 2128, 2187, 2188, 2189, 2190 749

Cordesville Subtotal 749

Jamestown

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1059, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065 375

Jamestown Subtotal 375

Macedonia

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2029, 2030, 2031 1815

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2026, 2027, 2030, 2031, 2032 81

Macedonia Subtotal 1,896

Macedonia 2 306

St. Stephen 2

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 1047, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2071, 2072 1060

St. Stephen 2 Subtotal 1,060

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 5,863

County: Florence SC

Lake City No. 1 2,213

Lake City No. 2 1,668

Lake City No. 3 2,414

Lake City No. 4 2,767

McAllister Mill 1,246

County Florence SC Subtotal 10,308

County: Williamsburg SC

Black River 430

Bloomingvale

Tract 9704

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2050, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 3019 446

Bloomingvale Subtotal 446

Cades 734

Cedar Swamp

Tract 9704

Blocks: 2004, 2017 19

Tract 9705.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2021 283

Cedar Swamp Subtotal 302

Central 1,032

Earles 1,016

Greeleyville 1,645

Harmony 466

Hebron 701

Indiantown

Tract 9702

Blocks: 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2026, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046 349

Tract 9703

Blocks: 4010, 4011, 4019, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043 422

Tract 9704

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006 96

Indiantown Subtotal 867

Kingstree No. 1 3,978

Kingstree No. 2 1,608

Kingstree No. 3 2,843

Kingstree No. 4 1,595

Lane 986

Mount Vernon 474

Pergamos 328

Salters 2,542

Sandy Bay 534

Singletary 358

Suttons 341

Trio 1,068

County Williamsburg SC Subtotal 24,294

DISTRICT 101 Total 40,465

Area Population

DISTRICT 102

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Bonneau

Tract 203.03

Blocks: 1018, 1024, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1055, 1056 857

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 1000, 1006 62

Bonneau Subtotal 919

Cane Bay 5,038

Cross

Tract 201.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3030, 3034, 3037, 3046, 3047, 3048 956

Tract 201.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1024, 1038 378

Tract 205.03

Blocks: 2001, 2004, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2015, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 48

Cross Subtotal 1,382

Eadytown 869

Hilton Cross Rd 2,729

Lebanon 1,161

Moultrie 1,770

Russellville 1,755

St. Stephen 1 2,059

St. Stephen 2

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1036, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2070 1118

St. Stephen 2 Subtotal 1,118

Wassamassaw 1 1,636

Wassamassaw 2 3,703

Weatherstone

Tract 207.10

Blocks: 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3042, 3043, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3059 2885

Weatherstone Subtotal 2,885

Wildcat Trail 459

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 27,483

County: Dorchester SC

Carolina

Tract 106.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1007 28

Tract 107

Blocks: 1025, 1031, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3047, 3065, 3066 2316

Carolina Subtotal 2,344

Clemson 3

Tract 106.03

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021 1315

Clemson 3 Subtotal 1,315

Cypress

Tract 105.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1011, 1017 1495

Cypress Subtotal 1,495

Four Hole 1,452

Harleyville 1,016

North Summerville 2 1,964

Ridgeville 1,268

Ridgeville 2 2,001

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 12,855

DISTRICT 102 Total 40,338

Area Population

DISTRICT 103

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Bethera

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 1068, 1129, 1130, 1131, 1132, 1135, 2002, 2004, 2080, 2081, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2088, 2089, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122 103

Bethera Subtotal 103

Bushy Park 42

Cainhoy 1,522

Cordesville

Tract 203.04

Blocks: 2047 0

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 2047, 2048, 2050, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2129, 2132, 2147, 2148, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2153, 2154, 2155, 2156, 2157, 2158, 2159, 2160, 2161, 2162, 2163, 2164, 2165, 2166, 2167, 2168, 2169, 2170, 2171, 2172, 2173, 2174, 2175, 2176, 2177, 2178, 2179, 2180, 2181, 2182, 2183, 2184, 2185, 2186 1028

Cordesville Subtotal 1,028

Huger 1,972

Jamestown

Tract 204.01

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1006, 1007, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1060, 1061, 1066, 1067, 1072, 1073, 1197 341

Jamestown Subtotal 341

Pine Grove 0

Pomflant 6

Sedgefield 2

Tract 207.24

Blocks: 1053, 1054, 1056, 1057, 1060, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1094, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110, 1124, 1125, 1146, 1148, 1149 3504

Tract 207.25

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008 1562

Sedgefield 2 Subtotal 5,066

Shulerville 488

Yellow House

Tract 204.04

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1017, 1018, 1021, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049 544

Yellow House Subtotal 544

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 11,112

County: Georgetown SC

ANDREWS 2,446

ANDREWS OUTSIDE 1,623

BETHEL 1,675

BROWN’S FERRY

Tract 9203.01

Blocks: 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2052, 2053, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040 2084

BROWN’S FERRY Subtotal 2,084

CARVER’S BAY 356

CHOPPEE 1,396

DREAM KEEPERS 1,275

FOLLY GROVE 1,148

GEORGETOWN NO. 3 2,283

KENSINGTON

Tract 9203.02

Blocks: 2004, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2013, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068 843

Tract 9206.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 2000, 2001, 2002 381

KENSINGTON Subtotal 1,224

LAMBERT TOWN 743

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 3

Tract 9204

Blocks: 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087 36

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 3 Subtotal 36

MYERSVILLE 531

PEE DEE 896

PENNY ROYAL

Tract 9207.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018 156

PENNY ROYAL Subtotal 156

PLANTERSVILLE

Tract 9204

Blocks: 1095, 1099, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1123, 1124, 1125, 1126, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2021, 2022, 2046, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076 757

PLANTERSVILLE Subtotal 757

PLEASANT HILL 1,153

POTATO BED FERRY 842

SAMPIT 1,257

SANTEE

Tract 9208

Blocks: 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2106, 2111, 2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120, 2121, 2122, 2123, 2124, 2125, 2126, 2127, 2128, 2129, 2130, 2131, 2132, 2139, 2140, 2141, 2142, 2144, 2145, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3113, 3114, 3115, 3123, 3124, 3138 1471

SANTEE Subtotal 1,471

SPRING GULLY

Tract 9202.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1060, 1105 223

Tract 9203.01

Blocks: 2054, 2055, 2061, 2062 24

Tract 9206.01

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1020, 2003, 2007 714

Tract 9206.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1031, 1032, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1045, 1046, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027 1914

SPRING GULLY Subtotal 2,875

County Georgetown SC Subtotal 26,227

County: Horry SC

INLAND 513

PAWLEYS SWAMP 1,045

PORT HARRELSON 742

TODDVILLE

Tract 706.02

Blocks: 1045, 1046, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2029, 3037, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050 624

TODDVILLE Subtotal 624

County Horry SC Subtotal 2,924

DISTRICT 103 Total 40,263

Area Population

DISTRICT 104

Area Population

County: Horry SC

BROOKSVILLE #1 4,354

BROOKSVILLE #2 1,727

CHERRY GROVE #1 3,035

CHERRY GROVE #2 1,554

CRESENT

Tract 404

Blocks: 1016, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1051, 1053, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1068, 1069, 1077, 1078, 1083, 2014, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091, 2092, 2093, 2094, 2095, 2096, 2097, 2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2111, 2112 2138

Tract 405

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1046, 1061 121

Tract 9901

Blocks: 0007 0

CRESENT Subtotal 2,259

DOGWOOD

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3010, 3011, 3012 1526

DOGWOOD Subtotal 1,526

LITTLE RIVER #1 2,524

LITTLE RIVER #2 4,425

LITTLE RIVER #3 2,014

NIXONS XROADS #1 3,233

NIXONS XROADS #2 4,312

NIXONS XROADS #3

Tract 401.01

Blocks: 3000, 3009, 3021, 3025, 3026, 3027 213

Tract 401.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 3012 1274

NIXONS XROADS #3 Subtotal 1,487

OCEAN DRIVE #1 2,720

OCEAN DRIVE #2 2,024

OCEAN DRIVE #3 2,220

WAMPEE

Tract 401.01

Blocks: 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3023 748

Tract 401.02

Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 185

Tract 603.01

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030 771

Tract 603.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1031, 1032, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1052, 1055, 1056, 1072, 1073, 1075 497

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1012, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017 662

WAMPEE Subtotal 2,863

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,277

DISTRICT 104 Total 42,277

Area Population

DISTRICT 105

Area Population

County: Horry SC

ADRIAN

Tract 701.01

Blocks: 1002, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1009, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 3002, 3003, 3004 832

Tract 707.01

Blocks: 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4043 1481

ADRIAN Subtotal 2,313

ALLSBROOK

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 2007, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3054, 3056 1054

Tract 203.02

Blocks: 2038 0

ALLSBROOK Subtotal 1,054

BAYBORO-GURLEY

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051 207

BAYBORO-GURLEY Subtotal 207

DAISY 2,329

DOGWOOD

Tract 603.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3024, 3031, 3032, 3033 621

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 1008 20

DOGWOOD Subtotal 641

EAST CONWAY

Tract 701.01

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2039, 2040, 2049, 2050, 2051, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3066, 3068 495

Tract 701.02

Blocks: 2031, 2032, 2034, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2044, 2050 253

EAST CONWAY Subtotal 748

EAST LORIS

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1040, 1042, 2006, 2007 1027

Tract 202.02

Blocks: 1112, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2007, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2073, 2074, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091 1594

Tract 203.01

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006 81

EAST LORIS Subtotal 2,702

EBENEZER 2,832

HICKORY GROVE 2,334

HOMEWOOD

Tract 701.01

Blocks: 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1042, 3060 129

Tract 702

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1015, 1016, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1031, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2005 758

Tract 707.01

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3024, 3025, 3039, 4041 70

HOMEWOOD Subtotal 957

JERIGANS CROSSROADS

Tract 201

Blocks: 1087, 1088, 1089, 1094, 1097, 1104, 1105, 1108, 2044, 2045, 2053, 2054 128

Tract 202.02

Blocks: 1008, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1113 20

JERIGANS CROSSROADS Subtotal 148

LEON 2,435

LIVE OAK

Tract 203.02

Blocks: 2000, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2034, 2035, 3004, 3036, 3037, 3038 104

LIVE OAK Subtotal 104

MAPLE 2,147

MT. VERNON 1,028

NIXONS XROADS #3

Tract 401.01

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3024, 3028 965

NIXONS XROADS #3 Subtotal 965

NORTH CONWAY #2

Tract 702

Blocks: 1008, 1023, 1030, 1032 23

NORTH CONWAY #2 Subtotal 23

RED BLUFF 1,749

SALEM

Tract 603.01

Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021 1127

Tract 603.09

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 2003 1561

Tract 604.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1103, 1104 607

Tract 604.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 0

SALEM Subtotal 3,295

SHELL 2,021

SWEET HOME

Tract 202.01

Blocks: 1034, 1035, 1039, 1041, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2025, 2026, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 233

Tract 301.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035 1332

SWEET HOME Subtotal 1,565

TILLY SWAMP

Tract 603.01

Blocks: 1000, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023 1963

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 3013, 3014, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026 831

TILLY SWAMP Subtotal 2,794

WAMPEE

Tract 603.01

Blocks: 3000, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023 298

WAMPEE Subtotal 298

WEST LORIS 1,421

WHITE OAK 1,094

WILD WING

Tract 604.03

Blocks: 1009, 1010, 1013, 1015, 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1067, 1068, 1085, 1105 2593

Tract 604.04

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1034, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1045, 1046, 1047 772

WILD WING Subtotal 3,365

County Horry SC Subtotal 40,569

DISTRICT 105 Total 40,569

Area Population

DISTRICT 106

Area Population

County: Horry SC

BURGESS #1 2,897

BURGESS #2 3,853

BURGESS #3 2,697

BURGESS #4 2,435

BURGESS #5 2,276

DEERFIELD

Tract 514.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010 2929

Tract 514.04

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 2002, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003 861

DEERFIELD Subtotal 3,790

GARDEN CITY #1 2,768

GARDEN CITY #2 1,528

GARDEN CITY #3 2,475

GARDEN CITY #4 1,553

GLENNS BAY 2,976

JET PORT #2 1,778

SEA WINDS

Tract 516.07

Blocks: 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030 258

SEA WINDS Subtotal 258

SURFSIDE #1 3,054

SURFSIDE #2 1,068

SURFSIDE #3 3,248

SURFSIDE #4 3,405

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,059

DISTRICT 106 Total 42,059

Area Population

DISTRICT 107

Area Population

County: Horry SC

COASTAL LANE #1 1,778

COASTAL LANE #2 3,667

DUNES #1

Tract 501.02

Blocks: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 213

Tract 503.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2047, 2048, 2049 2368

Tract 603.10

Blocks: 2016, 2023, 2024, 2034, 2042, 2043, 2044 0

Tract 9901

Blocks: 0013 0

DUNES #1 Subtotal 2,581

DUNES #2 2,274

DUNES #3 1,246

JET PORT #1 2,911

JET PORT #3 2,309

JET PORT #4 3,298

MYRTLEWOOD #1 2,332

MYRTLEWOOD #2 2,301

MYRTLEWOOD #3 2,458

OCEAN FOREST #1 1,813

OCEAN FOREST #2 2,330

OCEAN FOREST #3 2,972

SEA OATS #1 3,365

SEA OATS #2 4,298

SOCASTEE #4

Tract 509.02

Blocks: 1038, 1039, 1040 0

Tract 515.03

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2036 107

SOCASTEE #4 Subtotal 107

County Horry SC Subtotal 42,040

DISTRICT 107 Total 42,040

Area Population

DISTRICT 108

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Christ Church 1,164

McClellanville 1,975

County Charleston SC Subtotal 3,139

County: Georgetown SC

BLACK RIVER 2,338

BROWN’S FERRY

Tract 9203.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4014 51

BROWN’S FERRY Subtotal 51

GEORGETOWN NO. 1 1,032

GEORGETOWN NO. 4 658

GEORGETOWN NO. 5 2,691

KENSINGTON

Tract 9203.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1057, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2008, 2012, 2014, 2020, 2021, 2031, 2032, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043 380

KENSINGTON Subtotal 380

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 1 3,991

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 2 3,000

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 3

Tract 9205.02

Blocks: 1003, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015, 2017, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031 1189

Tract 9205.10

Blocks: 1020, 1021 8

Tract 9901

Blocks: 0002 0

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 3 Subtotal 1,197

MURRELL’S INLET NO. 4 1,927

PAWLEY’S ISLAND NO. 1 3,539

PAWLEY’S ISLAND NO. 2 4,544

PAWLEY’S ISLAND NO. 3 2,809

PAWLEY’S ISLAND NO. 4 3,231

PAWLEY’S ISLAND NO. 5 3,367

PENNY ROYAL

Tract 9207.01

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1025, 1026, 1045 333

Tract 9207.02

Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3034, 3035, 3038, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3076, 3077, 3078 473

PENNY ROYAL Subtotal 806

PLANTERSVILLE

Tract 9204

Blocks: 2000, 2002, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2047, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2084 117

PLANTERSVILLE Subtotal 117

SANTEE

Tract 9208

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061, 3062, 3063, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3094, 3095, 3096, 3097, 3098, 3099, 3100, 3101, 3102, 3103, 3104, 3105, 3106, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3110, 3111, 3112, 3116, 3117, 3118, 3119, 3120, 3121, 3122, 3125, 3126, 3127, 3128, 3129, 3130, 3131, 3132, 3133, 3134, 3135, 3136, 3137 200

Tract 9901

Blocks: 0012, 0013, 0014, 0015, 0016 0

SANTEE Subtotal 200

SPRING GULLY

Tract 9206.02

Blocks: 1039, 1040 0

Tract 9207.02

Blocks: 1031, 1032, 1033, 1036, 1040 0

SPRING GULLY Subtotal 0

WINYAH BAY 1,299

County Georgetown SC Subtotal 37,177

DISTRICT 108 Total 40,316

Area Population

DISTRICT 109

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

North Charleston 18 3,448

North Charleston 19 1,843

North Charleston 2

Tract 39

Blocks: 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2046, 3009 1213

Tract 40

Blocks: 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032 12

North Charleston 2 Subtotal 1,225

North Charleston 20 1,280

North Charleston 21 2,704

North Charleston 22 2,642

North Charleston 23 3,360

North Charleston 24

Tract 31.08

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028 3354

North Charleston 24 Subtotal 3,354

North Charleston 3 1,594

North Charleston 4 1,807

North Charleston 5

Tract 38

Blocks: 1001, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1028, 1029, 1030, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017 1469

Tract 40

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017 1240

North Charleston 5 Subtotal 2,709

County Charleston SC Subtotal 25,966

County: Dorchester SC

Archdale 1,733

Archdale 2 2,115

Ashley River 3,361

Lincoln

Tract 108.18

Blocks: 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049 3362

Lincoln Subtotal 3,362

Patriot 3,087

Windsor

Tract 108.17

Blocks: 1013 0

Tract 108.18

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2014, 2015, 4000, 4001 1352

Windsor Subtotal 1,352

Windsor 2 1,044

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 16,054

DISTRICT 109 Total 42,020

Area Population

DISTRICT 110

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Charleston 1 795

Charleston 2 976

Charleston 3 1,062

Charleston 4 1,145

Charleston 5 1,053

Charleston 6 1,736

Charleston 7 2,498

James Island 11 2,559

James Island 12 1,661

James Island 13 2,088

James Island 14 1,129

James Island 17

Tract 19.02

Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1025, 1026, 1029, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055 1696

Tract 20.02

Blocks: 3002 0

James Island 17 Subtotal 1,696

Mt. Pleasant 1 1,904

Mt. Pleasant 13 1,630

Mt. Pleasant 14 2,113

Mt. Pleasant 15 2,919

Mt. Pleasant 16 948

Mt. Pleasant 17

Tract 46.13

Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012 0

Tract 46.14

Blocks: 3017 0

Mt. Pleasant 17 Subtotal 0

Mt. Pleasant 18 1,528

Mt. Pleasant 2 1,564

Mt. Pleasant 3 1,914

Mt. Pleasant 4 2,032

Mt. Pleasant 5 1,644

Mt. Pleasant 6 2,648

St. Andrews 4

Tract 30

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1065, 1068 1055

St. Andrews 4 Subtotal 1,055

County Charleston SC Subtotal 40,297

DISTRICT 110 Total 40,297

Area Population

DISTRICT 111

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Charleston 10 1,336

Charleston 11 2,040

Charleston 12 4,169

Charleston 13 1,457

Charleston 14 1,748

Charleston 15 2,793

Charleston 16 1,384

Charleston 17 1,307

Charleston 18 1,735

Charleston 19 986

Charleston 20 1,576

Charleston 21 1,168

Charleston 8 1,697

Charleston 9 1,389

North Charleston 1 1,110

North Charleston 2

Tract 40

Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2023 266

Tract 44

Blocks: 1003, 1004, 2030, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2046, 2048, 2049, 2053, 2055 298

North Charleston 2 Subtotal 564

North Charleston 6 2,048

St. Andrews 10 1,484

St. Andrews 15 2,036

St. Andrews 18 2,724

St. Andrews 19 424

St. Andrews 20

Tract 26.12

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 3015, 3016, 3018, 3020, 3034, 3036, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 5011, 5013, 5017, 5022, 5023, 5024, 5025, 5026, 5028, 5072 2076

St. Andrews 20 Subtotal 2,076

St. Andrews 3 1,571

St. Andrews 8 1,100

St. Andrews 9 1,743

County Charleston SC Subtotal 41,665

DISTRICT 111 Total 41,665

Area Population

DISTRICT 112

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Awendaw 1,621

Isle Of Palms 1A 1,120

Isle of Palms 1B 1,524

Isle of Palms 1C 1,758

Mt. Pleasant 10 1,358

Mt. Pleasant 11 1,903

Mt. Pleasant 12 3,436

Mt. Pleasant 20 1,715

Mt. Pleasant 21 2,194

Mt. Pleasant 22 2,266

Mt. Pleasant 23 2,724

Mt. Pleasant 35

Tract 46.18

Blocks: 2006, 2007, 2008, 2026, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2056, 2057 517

Mt. Pleasant 35 Subtotal 517

Mt. Pleasant 36

Tract 46.09

Blocks: 4006, 4016, 4019, 4020, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4032, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039 964

Tract 46.10

Blocks: 1020 17

Mt. Pleasant 36 Subtotal 981

Mt. Pleasant 37 4,732

Mt. Pleasant 38 2,331

Mt. Pleasant 39 5,875

Mt. Pleasant 7 1,353

Mt. Pleasant 8 1,193

Mt. Pleasant 9 1,354

Sullivans Island 1,891

County Charleston SC Subtotal 41,846

DISTRICT 112 Total 41,846

Area Population

DISTRICT 113

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Deer Park 1B

Tract 31.07

Blocks: 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3045, 3051, 3052, 3054, 3060, 3061, 3068, 3076, 3077 2967

Deer Park 1B Subtotal 2,967

Deer Park 2A

Tract 31.16

Blocks: 1001, 1002 798

Deer Park 2A Subtotal 798

Deer Park 2B

Tract 31.16

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3023, 3024 260

Deer Park 2B Subtotal 260

Ladson

Tract 31.06

Blocks: 2018, 2019, 2021, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2027, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018 3147

Ladson Subtotal 3,147

Licolnville

Tract 31.06

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1027, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1069, 1093, 1094, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2022 2197

Licolnville Subtotal 2,197

North Charleston 10 2,970

North Charleston 11 1,055

North Charleston 12 1,379

North Charleston 13 1,662

North Charleston 14 931

North Charleston 15 2,365

North Charleston 16 1,555

North Charleston 17 1,526

North Charleston 24

Tract 31.05

Blocks: 2033 0

Tract 31.08

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 443

Tract 32

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059 1638

North Charleston 24 Subtotal 2,081

North Charleston 25 1,018

North Charleston 26 922

North Charleston 27 3,061

North Charleston 28 3,038

North Charleston 30 2,995

North Charleston 5

Tract 38

Blocks: 1000 0

North Charleston 5 Subtotal 0

North Charleston 7 2,354

North Charleston 8 1,267

North Charleston 9 2,754

County Charleston SC Subtotal 42,302

DISTRICT 113 Total 42,302

Area Population

DISTRICT 114

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

St. Andrews 20

Tract 26.12

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015 485

St. Andrews 20 Subtotal 485

St. Andrews 22 1,516

St. Andrews 23 1,491

St. Andrews 31 1,800

St. Andrews 32 1,476

St. Andrews 33 1,037

St. Andrews 34 3,060

St. Andrews 35 2,078

St. Andrews 36 2,058

St. Andrews 37 6,444

County Charleston SC Subtotal 21,445

County: Dorchester SC

Bacons Bridge 3,470

Bacons Bridge 2 1,332

Beech Hill 1,657

Beech Hill 2 2,209

Flowertown 3,521

Flowertown 2 2,389

Flowertown 3 2,321

King’s Grant 2 2,819

Saul Dam 793

County Dorchester SC Subtotal 20,511

DISTRICT 114 Total 41,956

Area Population

DISTRICT 115

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Folly Beach 1 920

Folly Beach 2 1,196

James Island 10 2,195

James Island 15 2,166

James Island 17

Tract 19.01

Blocks: 1090, 1091 0

Tract 19.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019, 2020, 2021 659

Tract 20.02

Blocks: 3003, 3004, 3006, 3071, 3072 0

James Island 17 Subtotal 659

James Island 19 2,233

James Island 1A 2,687

James Island 1B

Tract 20.08

Blocks: 2029, 2032, 2035, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2051, 2052, 2054, 2055, 2056 61

Tract 20.09

Blocks: 1088, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023 9

James Island 1B Subtotal 70

James Island 20 1,976

James Island 5A 1,875

James Island 5B 1,108

James Island 6 2,102

James Island 7 2,684

James Island 8A 1,842

James Island 8B 2,568

James Island 9 1,837

Johns Island 1B

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 2051, 2052, 2053, 2059, 2060 154

Johns Island 1B Subtotal 154

Johns Island 3A

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038 4695

Johns Island 3A Subtotal 4,695

Johns Island 3B 2,184

Johns Island 4

Tract 20.08

Blocks: 2064 0

Tract 21.03

Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 4004, 4010, 4012, 4054, 4055, 4058, 4059, 4060, 4061, 4062, 4063, 4064, 4065, 4066 1835

Johns Island 4 Subtotal 1,835

Kiawah Island 2,012

Town of Seabrook 2,178

County Charleston SC Subtotal 41,176

DISTRICT 115 Total 41,176

Area Population

DISTRICT 116

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

Edisto Island 1,884

Johns Island 1A 2,742

Johns Island 1B

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1047, 1049 1243

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4003, 4005, 4006, 4008, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4029, 4030, 4031, 4033, 4034, 4035, 4036, 4037, 4038, 4039, 4040, 4041, 4042, 4043, 4045, 4046, 4047, 4048, 4056, 4057 1916

Johns Island 1B Subtotal 3,159

St. Andrews 27 6,553

St. Andrews 28 4,758

St. Andrews 29 5,106

St. Pauls 1 1,103

St. Pauls 2A 1,261

St. Pauls 2B 1,786

St. Pauls 3 2,385

St. Pauls 4 2,400

St. Pauls 5 1,821

St. Pauls 6 2,907

Wadmalaw Island 1 1,406

Wadmalaw Island 2 1,442

County Charleston SC Subtotal 40,713

County: Colleton SC

Edisto Beach 1,253

County Colleton SC Subtotal 1,253

DISTRICT 116 Total 41,966

Area Population

DISTRICT 117

Area Population

County: Berkeley SC

Cane Bay East 1,877

Cane Bay North 2,008

Cane Bay South 3,131

Carnes Cross Road 2 1,460

Carnes Cross Roads 1

Tract 207.12

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030 1370

Carnes Cross Roads 1 Subtotal 1,370

Cobblestone 3,345

Discovery

Tract 207.16

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 5010, 5011, 5012 1105

Discovery Subtotal 1,105

Horseshoe

Tract 207.11

Blocks: 3004 234

Horseshoe Subtotal 234

Live Oak 2,502

Nexton 2,619

North Creek 1,017

Royle 1,991

Sangaree 1 2,055

Sangaree 2 2,316

Sangaree 3 2,109

Seventy Eight 2,595

Stratford 1 4,310

Stratford 4

Tract 207.16

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008 542

Stratford 4 Subtotal 542

Stratford 5 2,648

Tramway 2,172

Weatherstone

Tract 207.10

Blocks: 3019, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3041, 3061 614

Weatherstone Subtotal 614

Whitesville 2

Tract 205.03

Blocks: 1028, 1029, 1030 56

Tract 207.11

Blocks: 3000, 3010, 3011, 3012 100

Whitesville 2 Subtotal 156

County Berkeley SC Subtotal 42,176

DISTRICT 117 Total 42,176

Area Population

DISTRICT 118

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Bluffton 1A 2,885

Bluffton 1D

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3049, 3050, 3051, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014 2702

Bluffton 1D Subtotal 2,702

Bluffton 2B 2,351

Bluffton 2C 3,831

Bluffton 2D 2,976

Bluffton 2E

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2035 1428

Bluffton 2E Subtotal 1,428

Bluffton 4A

Tract 21.10

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027 38

Bluffton 4A Subtotal 38

Bluffton 4B

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 2004, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2030, 2036, 2037 726

Bluffton 4B Subtotal 726

Bluffton 4C 3,038

Bluffton 4D 2,483

New River 4,169

Sandy Pointe 2,470

Sun City 1 1,417

Sun City 2 1,148

Sun City 3 1,662

Sun City 4 1,336

Sun City 5 1,463

Sun City 6 1,345

Sun City 7 1,222

Sun City 8 2,685

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 41,375

DISTRICT 118 Total 41,375

Area Population

DISTRICT 119

Area Population

County: Charleston SC

James Island 1B

Tract 20.08

Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2033, 2034, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2053, 2057, 2058, 2059, 3005, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035 763

Tract 20.09

Blocks: 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1069, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1076, 1077, 1094 575

James Island 1B Subtotal 1,338

James Island 2 7,318

James Island 22 1,920

James Island 3 1,069

Johns Island 3A

Tract 21.03

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2023, 2025 748

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 2003 0

Johns Island 3A Subtotal 748

Johns Island 4

Tract 21.03

Blocks: 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2036 25

Johns Island 4 Subtotal 25

St. Andrews 1 885

St. Andrews 11 1,127

St. Andrews 12 1,305

St. Andrews 13 1,603

St. Andrews 14 1,977

St. Andrews 16 1,233

St. Andrews 17 2,290

St. Andrews 2 1,393

St. Andrews 20

Tract 26.12

Blocks: 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4014, 4015, 4016, 4021, 4022, 4023, 4024, 4025, 4026, 4027, 4028, 4030, 4031, 4033, 5000, 5001, 5002, 5003, 5004, 5005, 5006, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5012, 5014, 5015, 5016, 5018, 5020, 5044, 5045, 5047, 5048, 5049, 5050, 5051, 5052, 5053, 5054, 5055, 5056, 5057, 5058, 5059, 5060, 5063, 5064, 5065, 5066, 5067, 5070, 5071, 5073 1361

St. Andrews 20 Subtotal 1,361

St. Andrews 21 1,385

St. Andrews 24 2,004

St. Andrews 25 2,305

St. Andrews 26 1,848

St. Andrews 30 2,771

St. Andrews 4

Tract 30

Blocks: 1005, 1008, 1009, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1067, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2017, 2034 938

St. Andrews 4 Subtotal 938

St. Andrews 5 1,669

St. Andrews 6 1,432

St. Andrews 7 2,117

County Charleston SC Subtotal 42,061

DISTRICT 119 Total 42,061

Area Population

DISTRICT 120

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Belfair 2,568

Bluffton 1B 1,769

Bluffton 1C 3,263

Bluffton 1D

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030 1054

Tract 21.08

Blocks: 1020 20

Bluffton 1D Subtotal 1,074

Bluffton 2A 2,380

Bluffton 2E

Tract 21.07

Blocks: 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008 1769

Bluffton 2E Subtotal 1,769

Bluffton 3 1,289

Bluffton 4A

Tract 21.05

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018 0

Tract 22.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015 1326

Tract 22.02

Blocks: 1096, 1097, 1098, 1103, 1104, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113 20

Bluffton 4A Subtotal 1,346

Bluffton 4B

Tract 21.05

Blocks: 1066, 1069 0

Tract 21.06

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2006, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2038, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020 1582

Bluffton 4B Subtotal 1,582

Bluffton 5A 2,881

Bluffton 5B 1,906

Burton 1A

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 3021, 3022, 3037 1189

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1083, 1091, 1092 2067

Burton 1A Subtotal 3,256

Burton 1C

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 2005, 3006, 3007, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3062, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3067, 3068, 3069, 3070, 3071, 3072, 3073, 3074, 3075, 3076, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3094, 3095, 3096, 3097, 3098, 3099, 3100, 3101, 3102, 3103, 3104 1681

Burton 1C Subtotal 1,681

Burton 1D

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014 466

Burton 1D Subtotal 466

Burton 2B

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1029, 1038, 1059, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1070 386

Burton 2B Subtotal 386

Chechessee 1 1,772

Chechessee 2 2,442

Hilton Head 1B

Tract 105

Blocks: 2000, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2050 1212

Hilton Head 1B Subtotal 1,212

Hilton Head 4B

Tract 105

Blocks: 2001, 2006 0

Hilton Head 4B Subtotal 0

Moss Creek 1,677

Palmetto Bluff 931

Rose Hill 2,053

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 37,703

County: Jasper SC

OAKATIE 2 1,893

SUN CITY 2,688

County Jasper SC Subtotal 4,581

DISTRICT 120 Total 42,284

Area Population

DISTRICT 121

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Beaufort 1

Tract 6

Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1045, 1046, 2017, 2021, 2022 775

Beaufort 1 Subtotal 775

Beaufort 2

Tract 6

Blocks: 1001, 1006, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1030, 1031, 1060, 1061, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 2014, 2015, 2016 124

Beaufort 2 Subtotal 124

Burton 1A

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1006, 1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1053, 1054, 1056 524

Burton 1A Subtotal 524

Burton 1B 2,305

Burton 1C

Tract 2

Blocks: 1086, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093 495

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3061, 3063 667

Burton 1C Subtotal 1,162

Burton 1D

Tract 3

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1019, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021 2766

Burton 1D Subtotal 2,766

Burton 2B

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1008, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1055, 1057, 1058, 1069, 1084 665

Burton 2B Subtotal 665

Burton 3

Tract 2

Blocks: 1063, 1072, 1074, 1075, 1084, 1085, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1098 0

Tract 4

Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1086 1976

Tract 5.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1022, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039 487

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2029, 2030, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2067, 2086 506

Tract 6

Blocks: 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1062, 1067, 1068 115

Burton 3 Subtotal 3,084

Dale Lobeco 1,448

Hilton Head 2B

Tract 108

Blocks: 1002 0

Hilton Head 2B Subtotal 0

Seabrook 1 2,057

Seabrook 2 1,196

Seabrook 3 2,161

Sheldon 1

Tract 1

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065, 1066, 1067, 1068, 1069, 1070, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1079, 1080, 1081, 1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090, 1091, 1092, 1093, 1094, 1095, 1096, 1097, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115, 1116, 1117, 1118, 1119, 1120, 1121, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2073, 2074, 2080 1428

Sheldon 1 Subtotal 1,428

Sheldon 2

Tract 1

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2031, 2032, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2067, 2068, 2069, 2070, 2071, 2072, 2075, 2076, 2077, 2078, 2079, 3020 994

Sheldon 2 Subtotal 994

St. Helena 1A

Tract 11.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1019, 1020, 1032, 1033, 1034 658

Tract 11.04

Blocks: 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015 701

St. Helena 1A Subtotal 1,359

St. Helena 1B 1,663

St. Helena 2A

Tract 11.01

Blocks: 2001, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3022, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3036 1269

St. Helena 2A Subtotal 1,269

St. Helena 2B 1,756

St. Helena 2C 1,192

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 27,928

County: Colleton SC

Green Pond 1,105

Hendersonville 1,353

Jacksonboro

Tract 9708

Blocks: 1017, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1028, 1030, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1054, 1055, 1062 353

Jacksonboro Subtotal 353

Mashawville

Tract 9706.02

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2044, 2045, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054 597

Mashawville Subtotal 597

Peniel

Tract 9703.01

Blocks: 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3049, 3050, 3051, 3052, 3053, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3058, 3059, 3060, 3061 942

Peniel Subtotal 942

Ritter 924

Sniders

Tract 9703.01

Blocks: 1026, 1027, 1051 43

Sniders Subtotal 43

Walterboro No. 1 1,918

Walterboro No. 2

Tract 9705.01

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 2009, 2021, 2022 1117

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 2020, 2021, 2024, 2025, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034 107

Walterboro No. 2 Subtotal 1,224

Walterboro No. 3 1,960

Walterboro No. 4 2,161

Walterboro No. 5

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 3024, 3026 0

Walterboro No. 5 Subtotal 0

Walterboro No. 6

Tract 9705.01

Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026 534

Tract 9706.01

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1027, 1028, 1031, 1040, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1059, 2029, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035 1177

Walterboro No. 6 Subtotal 1,711

County Colleton SC Subtotal 14,291

DISTRICT 121 Total 42,219

Area Population

DISTRICT 122

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Sheldon 1

Tract 1

Blocks: 2035, 2036, 2038, 2039 6

Sheldon 1 Subtotal 6

Sheldon 2

Tract 1

Blocks: 2004, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2033, 2034, 2037 106

Sheldon 2 Subtotal 106

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 112

County: Colleton SC

Ashton-Lodge 734

Petits 365

Rice Patch 847

County Colleton SC Subtotal 1,946

County: Hampton SC 18,561

County: Jasper SC

COOSAWHATCHIE 599

GILLISONVILLE 816

GRAHAMVILLE 1 1,675

GRAHAMVILLE 2 4,213

GRAYS 943

HARDEEVILLE 1 2,211

HARDEEVILLE 2 1,668

HARDEEVILLE 3 941

OAKATIE 1,178

PINELAND 966

RIDGELAND 1 1,593

RIDGELAND 2 1,993

RIDGELAND 3 1,348

TILLMAN 1,007

County Jasper SC Subtotal 21,151

DISTRICT 122 Total 41,770

Area Population

DISTRICT 123

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Daufuskie 557

Hilton Head 10 2,663

Hilton Head 11 1,505

Hilton Head 12 969

Hilton Head 13 1,196

Hilton Head 14 1,050

Hilton Head 15A 588

Hilton Head 15B 936

Hilton Head 1A 2,249

Hilton Head 1B

Tract 104

Blocks: 2016 0

Tract 105

Blocks: 2010, 2011, 2012, 2024, 2025, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034 711

Hilton Head 1B Subtotal 711

Hilton Head 2A 2,048

Hilton Head 2B

Tract 107

Blocks: 1011, 1012, 2006, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019 293

Tract 108

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1025, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 3017

Tract 109

Blocks: 1004, 1007, 1009, 2004 378

Tract 110

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 121

Hilton Head 2B Subtotal 3,809

Hilton Head 2C 1,703

Hilton Head 3 1,002

Hilton Head 4A 906

Hilton Head 4B

Tract 106

Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011 1300

Hilton Head 4B Subtotal 1,300

Hilton Head 4C 1,125

Hilton Head 4D 1,140

Hilton Head 5A 1,078

Hilton Head 5B 975

Hilton Head 5C 1,041

Hilton Head 6 1,474

Hilton Head 7A 1,608

Hilton Head 7B 1,716

Hilton Head 8 1,059

Hilton Head 9A 1,878

Hilton Head 9B 1,462

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 37,748

County: Jasper SC

LEVY 3,059

County Jasper SC Subtotal 3,059

DISTRICT 123 Total 40,807

Area Population

DISTRICT 124

Area Population

County: Beaufort SC

Beaufort 1

Tract 6

Blocks: 2013, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2023, 2024 118

Tract 7

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2032, 2033, 2051, 2052, 2057, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3044, 3053, 3058, 3067 713

Beaufort 1 Subtotal 831

Beaufort 2

Tract 6

Blocks: 1000, 1032, 1033, 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1069, 1070, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2057, 2058, 2059, 2060, 2061, 2062, 2063, 2064, 2065 1184

Tract 7

Blocks: 3000, 3013, 3014, 3027, 3028, 3029, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3054, 3055, 3056, 3057, 3064, 3065, 3066, 3068 130

Beaufort 2 Subtotal 1,314

Beaufort 3 1,932

Burton 2A 8,096

Burton 2B

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1071, 1072, 1073, 1074, 1075, 1076, 1077, 1078, 1082, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090 293

Tract 5.03

Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 3031, 3032, 3033, 3034, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3077, 3078, 3079, 3080, 3081, 3082, 3083, 3084, 3085, 3086, 3087, 3088, 3089, 3090, 3091, 3092, 3093, 3094, 3095, 3096, 3097, 3098, 3099, 3100, 3101, 3102, 3103, 3104, 3105, 3106, 3107, 3108, 3109, 3110 2066

Tract 7

Blocks: 6006, 6007 0

Tract 8

Blocks: 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020 0

Burton 2B Subtotal 2,359

Burton 2C 2,785

Burton 3

Tract 5.02

Blocks: 2016, 2033 25

Burton 3 Subtotal 25

Ladys Island 1A 2,323

Ladys Island 1B 2,121

Ladys Island 2A 2,096

Ladys Island 2B 1,732

Ladys Island 2C 1,336

Ladys Island 3A 1,138

Ladys Island 3B 1,738

Ladys Island 3C 1,568

Mossy Oaks 1A 1,447

Mossy Oaks 1B 1,624

Mossy Oaks 2 1,781

Port Royal 1 1,960

Port Royal 2 2,070

St. Helena 1A

Tract 9.02

Blocks: 3038, 3039, 3040 0

Tract 11.01

Blocks: 2005, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2047, 2048, 2049 292

St. Helena 1A Subtotal 292

St. Helena 1C 1,396

St. Helena 2A

Tract 11.01

Blocks: 2002, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015 287

St. Helena 2A Subtotal 287

County Beaufort SC Subtotal 42,251

DISTRICT 124 Total 42,251”

B. Section 2‑1‑45 of the 1976 Code is repealed, provided that until the members of the House of Representatives elected in the 2024 General Election from the districts enumerated in Section 2‑1‑46 qualify and take office, the districts now provided for by law in Section 2-1-45 continue to apply for purposes of vacancies in office for members of the House of Representatives.

C. Upon the effective date of this SECTION:

(A)(1) The President of the Senate has an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of the Senate in a state court action and may provide evidence or argument, written or oral, if a party to that court action challenges the constitutionality of this act, the validity of this legislation, or any action of the General Assembly.

(2) The Speaker of the House of Representatives has an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of the House of Representatives in a state court action and may provide evidence or argument, written or oral, if a party to that court action challenges the constitutionality of this act, the validity of this legislation, or any action of the General Assembly.

(B)(1) In a federal court action that challenges the constitutionality of this act, the validity of this legislation, or any action of the General Assembly, the President of the Senate has standing to intervene as a party on behalf of the Senate, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action. A federal court presiding over any action in which the State of South Carolina, or any state agency, is a named party is requested to allow the President, on behalf of the Senate, to participate in any such action as a party.

(2) In a federal court action that challenges the constitutionality of this act, the validity of this legislation, or any action of the General Assembly, the Speaker of the House of Representatives has standing to intervene as a party on behalf of the House of Representatives, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action. A federal court presiding over any action in which the State of South Carolina, or any state agency, is a named party is requested to allow the Speaker, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to participate in any such action as a party.

(C)(1) A request to intervene or the participation of the President of the Senate as a party or otherwise, in any action challenging the constitutionality of a state statute, the validity of legislation, or any action of the General Assembly does not constitute a waiver of:

(a) legislative immunity or legislative privilege for any individual legislator, legislative officer, or legislative staff; or

(b) sovereign immunity or any other rights, privileges, or immunities of the State that arise under the United States Constitution or the South Carolina Constitution.

(2) A request to intervene or the participation of the Speaker of the House of Representatives as a party or otherwise, in any action challenging the constitutionality of a state statute, the validity of legislation, or any action of the General Assembly does not constitute a waiver of:

(a) legislative immunity or legislative privilege for any individual legislator, legislative officer, or legislative staff; or

(b) sovereign immunity or any other rights, privileges, or immunities of the State that arise under the United States Constitution or the South Carolina Constitution.

(D) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of this act.

(E) In any action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

(F)(1) The Senate is hereby authorized and empowered to employ attorneys other than the Attorney General to defend any law enacted creating legislative or congressional districts.

(2) The House of Representatives is hereby authorized and empowered to employ attorneys other than the Attorney General to defend any law enacted creating legislative or congressional districts.

D. The President of the Senate is authorized to initiate or otherwise participate in litigation on behalf of the Senate regarding redistricting.

E. The Speaker of the House is authorized to initiate or otherwise participate in litigation on behalf of the House of Representatives regarding redistricting as the Chief Administrative Officer of the House of Representatives pursuant to Section 2‑3‑110.

F. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective.

G. This SECTION takes effect upon approval by the Governor and applies as provided in B. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. JORDAN explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 102; Nays 7

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Anderson | Bailey |
| Ballentine | Bamberg | Bannister |
| Bennett | Bernstein | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brawley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Haddon | Hardee |
| Hart | Henderson-Myers | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Hosey | Howard |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | King |
| Kirby | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| Matthews | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | J. Moore |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | B. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Parks | Pendarvis | Pope |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Taylor | Tedder |
| Thayer | Thigpen | Trantham |
| Weeks | West | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | White | Whitmire |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--102**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Alexander | Atkinson | Henegan |
| McDaniel | Murray | Rivers |
| R. Williams |  |  |

**Total--7**

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

RECORD FOR VOTING

I was temporarily out of the Chamber on constituent business during the vote on S. 1024. If I had been present, I would have voted in favor of the Bill.

Rep. Wm.Weston Newton

Further proceedings were interrupted by expiration of time on the uncontested Calendar.

**RECURRENCE TO THE MORNING HOUR**

Rep. SIMRILL moved that the House recur to the morning hour, which was agreed to.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5374 -- Reps. Matthews, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE STRATFORD HIGH SCHOOL GIRLS TRACK AND FIELD TEAM AND COACHES FOR WINNING THE BERKELEY COUNTY GIRLS TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIP AND TO WISH THEM CONTINUED SUCCESS IN THE DAYS AHEAD.

The Resolution was adopted.

**S. 236--AMENDED AND DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 236 -- Senator Young: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-7-1000, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO POOLING PRECINCTS IN MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT ANY PRECINCT CONTAINING THREE THOUSAND OR MORE VOTERS, AN INCREASE FROM FIVE HUNDRED OR MORE VOTERS, HAVE ITS OWN POLLING PLACE; THAT THE TOTAL NUMBER OF REGISTERED VOTERS IN THE MUNICIPAL POOLED PRECINCTS CANNOT EXCEED THREE THOUSAND, AN INCREASE FROM ONE THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED; AND THAT POOLED MUNICIPAL POLLING PLACES CANNOT BE MORE THAN FIVE MILES, AN INCREASE FROM THREE MILES, FROM THE NEAREST PART OF ANY POOLED PRECINCT.

Rep. MAGNUSON proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to   
S. 236 (COUNCIL\HB\236C006.BH.HB22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Section 7-7-1000 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑7‑1000. (A) For purposes of municipal general elections only, a municipality may pool one or more precincts with other precincts and have one voting place for all of these pooled precincts upon the following conditions:

(1) Any precinct which contains five hundred or more registered voters within the municipality must have its own voting place.

(2) The total number of registered voters within the municipality in each group of pooled precincts cannot exceed onethousand five hundred.

(3) The voting place of any precinct pooled with others cannot be more than three miles from the nearest part of any pooled precinct.

(4) The notice requirements of Section 7‑7‑15 must be complied with and in addition to this requirement, the location of voting places for all precincts including those pooled must be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality on the day of the election. If the newspaper is not published daily, then on the date of publication nearest and prior to the date of election.

(5) Whenever precincts are pooled in a municipal general election, the voter registration lists, poll lists, and ballots for each precinct represented must be used by the managers of election. Results of the election must also be reported and certified by individual precinct.

(B) For purposes of municipal primary elections only, a municipality may pool one or more precincts with other precincts and have one voting place for all of these pooled precincts upon the following conditions:

(1) Any precinct which contains three thousand or more registered voters within the municipality must have its own voting place.

(2) The total number of registered voters within the municipality in each group of pooled precincts cannot exceed three thousand.

(3) The voting place of any precinct pooled with others cannot be more than three miles from the nearest part of any pooled precinct.

(4) The notice requirements of Section 7‑7‑15 must be complied with and in addition to this requirement, the location of voting places for all precincts including those pooled must be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality on the day of the election. If the newspaper is not published daily, then on the date of publication nearest and prior to the date of election.

(5) Whenever precincts are pooled in a municipal primary election, the voter registration lists, poll lists, and ballots for each precinct represented must be used by the managers of election. Results of the election must also be reported and certified by individual precinct.”

SECTION 2. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter or Chapter 5 of this title, the authority charged by law with conducting an election shall establish a procedure by which a qualified elector may cast his ballot, without excuse, during an early voting period for all elections. The qualified elector may cast a ballot during an early voting period pursuant to this section.

(B) Early voting centers must be established and maintained to ensure that voters may cast only one ballot.

(C) A qualified elector may cast his ballot at an early voting center in the county in which he resides.

(D) Each county board of voter registration and elections must establish at least one early voting center and may establish up to seven early voting centers. Each early voting center must be supervised by employees of the county board of voter registration and elections or the State Election Commission.

(E) The early voting period shall be from Monday through Saturday for the two-week period immediately preceding an election.

(F) The county board of voter registration and elections shall provide the hours of operation for the early voting center or centers in accordance with the following:

(1) for statewide general elections, the early voting centers must be open from 8:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period;

(2) for any election that is not a statewide general election or primary runoff election, the early voting centers must be open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. during the early voting period;

(3) for any primary runoff election, the early voting centers must be open on the Wednesday through Friday immediately preceding the election and must be open from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.; and

(4) for any election, the early voting centers must not be open on Sundays.

(G)(1) Each county board of voter registration and elections must determine locations for its early voting centers. In selecting locations for early voting centers, the county board of voter registration and elections must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. The county board of voter registration and elections must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible.

(2) Each county board of voter registration and elections must identify locations it intends to utilize as early voting centers for a statewide primary and a statewide general election by March 10 before that primary election.

(3) The Executive Director of the State Election Commission must approve the addition or relocation of early voting centers after March 10, and may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution throughout each county.

(H) The county board of voter registration and elections must publish the location and hours of each early voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county board of voter registration and elections.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.

(J) Upon the daily closure of each early voting center, all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(K) A sign must be posted prominently in each early voting center and shall have printed on it: ‘VOTING MORE THAN ONCE IS A FELONY AND, UPON CONVICTION, A PERSON MUST BE FINED NOT LESS THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS NOR MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND IMPRISONED NOT MORE THAN FIVE YEARS’.

(L) The provisions of this section do not apply to presidential preference primaries held pursuant to Section 7‑11‑20.”

SECTION 3. A. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ must not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate must not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate must not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

B. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name must not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

SECTION 4. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed by a person who is at least eighteen years of age. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Address of Witness”

SECTION 5. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in ~~any of~~ the following categories who are unable to vote during early voting hours for the duration of the early voting period, and during the hours the polls are open on election day, must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in ~~all elections~~ an election ~~when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open , to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person~~:

(1) persons with employment obligations who present written certification of the obligations to the county board of voter registration and elections ~~students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~;

(2) persons who will be attending sick or physically disabled persons ~~serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~;

(3) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial ~~governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~; or

(4) persons who are going to be absent from their county of residence ~~on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ ~~overseas citizens~~.

(B) Qualified electors in the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in an election, regardless of whether the elector is able to vote during early voting hours for the duration of the early voting period, and during the hours the polls are open ~~all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence~~ on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons sixty‑five years of age or older ~~persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections~~;

(3) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them ~~certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day~~; or

(4) ~~attending sick or physically disabled persons~~

~~(5)~~ persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election, as provided in Section 7-15-330;

~~(6)~~ ~~persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;~~

~~(7)~~ ~~persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;~~

~~(8)~~ ~~persons sixty‑five years of age or older;~~

~~(9)~~ ~~persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or~~

~~(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~.”

SECTION 6. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, reads:

“Section 7-15-330. (A) To vote by absentee ballot~~,~~:

(1) a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family, as defined in Section 7-15-310(8), must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the county board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence~~.~~ ;or

(2) A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of an authorized representative. ~~This~~ The signed oath must be kept on file with the county board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate, ~~or~~ a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, or a ~~including~~ campaign volunteer ~~volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family.

(B)(1) A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held.

(2) A person who makes a request for an application to vote by absentee ballot, either for himself or on behalf of another elector as permitted by this section, must provide the following:

(a) for the elector for whom the request is being made, the elector’s:

(i) name;

(ii) date of birth; and

(iii) last four digits of his social security number; and

(b) if someone is making a request on behalf of an elector, the requestor’s:

(i) name;

(ii) address;

(iii) date of birth; and

(iv) relation to the elector, as required by subsection (A).

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections must verify the information required in this section for the elector for whom the absentee ballot is being requested, and must record the information provided for the individual who makes a request on behalf of an elector before providing an absentee ballot application.

(4) A person must not request absentee applications for more than five qualified electors per election, in addition to himself.

(C) ~~However,~~ ~~completed~~ Completed applications must be returned ~~to the county board of voter registration and elections~~:

in person, by either the elector, a member of the elector’s immediate family, or the elector’s authorized representative, or by mail, by the elector, to the county board of voter registration and elections no later than ~~before~~ 5:00 p.m. on the ~~fourth~~ eleventh day before the day of the election to vote by absentee ballot. ~~Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320.~~

(D) ~~A member of the immediate family of~~ Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (C), if an elector is ~~a person who is~~ admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election, then a member of the elector’s immediate family may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the county board of voter registration and elections.

(E) The county board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election.

(F) A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

SECTION 7. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed by a person who is at least eighteen years of age. The address, printed name, and signature of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_

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Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

SECTION 8. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must ~~then~~ return the return‑addressed envelope ~~to the board of voter registration and elections~~ only by:

(1) mail~~,~~ to the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections;

(2) ~~by~~ personal delivery~~,~~ to an election official during office hours at the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections or to an election official during office hours at an early voting center; or

(3) ~~by~~ authorizing ~~another person~~ a member of the applicant’s immediate family, as defined in Section 7-15-310(8), or an authorized representative, to return the return-addressed envelope for him to an election official during office hours at the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections or to an election official during office hours at an early voting center.

(B) An applicant who authorizes a member of his immediate family or an authorized representative to return the return-addressed envelope for him pursuant to this section must complete an ~~The~~ authorization ~~must be given in writing on a~~ form prescribed by the State Election Commission ~~and~~ that must be turned in ~~to the board of voter registration and elections~~ by the immediate family member or authorized representative at the time the return-addressed envelope is returned. The ~~voter~~ applicant must sign the form, or in the event the ~~voter~~ applicant cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, then the ~~voter~~ applicant must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the ~~voter~~ applicant.

(C) The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which an election official must record the specific form of government-issued photo identification presented by the immediate family member or authorized representative who is authorized by the applicant to deliver the return-addressed envelope. The authorization form must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the county board of voter registration and elections must note the time and date of receipt of the authorization form, ~~and~~ the name of the ~~authorized returnee~~, immediate family member or authorized representative, his relationship to the applicant, and the immediate family member’s or authorized representative’s form of government-issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330.

(D)(1) When an applicant, or an applicant’s authorized immediate family member or authorized representative, presents himself to deliver a return‑addressed envelope pursuant to this section, he must produce a valid and current:

(a) driver’s license issued by a state within the United States;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles or its equivalent by a state within the United States;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter.

(2) An election official must verify that the name and photograph on the identification is the applicant, or the applicant’s authorized immediate family member or authorized representative, as applicable.

(E) An election official must not accept a return-addressed envelope until the provisions of this section have been met.

(F) ~~A candidate or a member of a candidate's paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter's immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7-15-380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7-15-330 the date the return-addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board.~~ The board of voter registration and elections must securely store ~~the~~ return-addressed envelopes in ~~a~~ locked ~~box~~ boxes within the main office of the board of voter registration and elections as prescribed by the State Election Commission.

(G) It is unlawful for a person to return more than five return-addressed envelopes in an election, in addition to his own. A person who violates this subsection, upon conviction, must be punished as provided in Section 7-25-190.”

SECTION 9. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, reads:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots.

(B) ~~At 9:00 a.m.~~ Beginning no earlier than 7:00 a.m. on the second day immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7-13-72 ~~7‑5‑10, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name, signature and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure.

(C) After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied ~~in this manner~~, but no earlier than 7:00 a.m. on election day, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest.

(D) Beginning no earlier than ~~at 9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot.

(E) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.

(F) The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.”

SECTION 10. Section 7‑15‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑430. (A) Prior to the distribution of voter registration lists to the various precincts, the county board of voter registration and elections shall note, opposite the name of each registered voter, who is provided an absentee ballot and who has returned an absentee ballot ~~has voted by absentee ballot the fact of such voting or that an absentee ballot has been issued to a voter, as the case may be~~.

(B) No voter whose name is so marked on the registration list as having returned an absentee ballot ~~voted~~ shall be permitted to vote in person in his resident precinct or at an early voting center in his county. ~~and no~~ A voter who is provided an absentee ballot, but who has not returned an ~~been issued an~~ absentee ballot, may cast a provisional ballot at his resident precinct or at an early voting center in his county. The provisional ballot must only be counted if the absentee ballot is not received by the time for the closing of the polls on election day ~~vote whether such ballot has been cast or not, unless he shall furnish to the officials of his resident precinct a certificate from the county board of voter registration and elections that his absentee ballot has been returned to the board unmarked~~.

(C) Should any voter be issued an absentee ballot, or should any voter return an absentee ballot, after the board has released the registration books to be used in the election to the county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, county committee, executive committee of any municipal party, or poll managers, the board of voter registration and elections shall immediately notify in writing the county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, county committee, executive committee of any municipal party, or poll manager, as the case may be, of the name, address, and certificate number of each voter who has since been issued an absentee ballot, or who has since returned an absentee ballot, and the registration books must be appropriately marked that the voter has been issued an absentee ballot, or has returned an absentee ballot.”

SECTION 11. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

SECTION 12. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

SECTION 13. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

SECTION 14. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before a decision is made to procure a statewide voting system, the State Election Commission must provide a public comment period of not less than thirty days. The input must be considered in the procurement of a statewide voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. If the federal voting system standards and guidelines have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, then the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) An optical scan voting system must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast in a manner that protects the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter.

(N) All electronic records for a statewide election must be preserved for not less than twenty-four months following the election.”

SECTION 15. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ disables, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) the capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) the establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; and

(4) automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for further review.”

SECTION 16. Sections 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. If the federal voting system standards and guidelines have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, then the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.”

“(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

SECTION 17. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from the county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) Anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot the voting machine and any counting device must have disabled:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) the capability of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) the establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; and

(4) automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for further review.”

(E) All electronic records for a statewide election must be preserved for not less than twenty-four months following the election.”

SECTION 18. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

SECTION 19. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all individuals eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. ~~The bureau must provide this information at no charge.~~”

SECTION 20. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-5-186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct an annual general registration list maintenance program to maintain accurate voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system.   
 ~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~ ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector's actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both.~~  
 ~~(c)~~ ~~A county board of voter registration and elections shall contact a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection (A)(2)(a) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency.~~  
 ~~(3)~~(C) The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall send a notice, as described in Section 7-5-330(F)(2), to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if a discrepancy exists between information provided under this section and information that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database.

(E) Information provided under this section for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector must only be updated as a result of the elector's actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both.”

SECTION 21. Section 7‑5‑330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of ~~this item~~ item (1) is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the official list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct ~~an~~ the official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.”

SECTION 22. Section 7-5-340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑340. (A) The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; ~~or~~

(d) the elector is not a citizen of the United States; or

~~(b)~~(e) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official ~~lists~~ list of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from the official ~~lists~~ list of eligible voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

SECTION 23. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State. It shall promptly review all reported violations and take action as it determines appropriate.”

SECTION 24. Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-5-350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database and voter registration list maintenance. This report shall include, but is not limited to, the number of: (1) voters removed from the voter registration list and the reason for the removal; (2) voters placed on inactive status; (3) voters placed on archive status; (4) new voter registrations; and (5) voter registration updates, including elector address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

SECTION 25. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) A request to intervene or the participation of the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, as a party or otherwise, in an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted does not constitute a waiver of:

(1) legislative immunity or legislative privilege for any individual legislator, legislative officer, or legislative staff member; or

(2) sovereign immunity or any other rights, privileges, or immunities of the State that arise under the United States Constitution or the South Carolina Constitution.

(E) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(F) In an action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

(G) The Senate and the House of Representatives may employ attorneys other than the Attorney General to defend any action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.”

SECTION 26. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) establish methods of auditing election results, which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

SECTION 27. A. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

B. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

C. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

D. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

E. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

SECTION 28. Section 7-3-10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑10. ~~(a)~~(A) There is hereby created the State Election Commission composed of five members, to be appointed by the Governor, at least one of whom shall be a member of the majority political party represented in the General Assembly, and at least one of whom shall be a member of the largest minority political party represented in the General Assembly~~, to be appointed by the Governor to serve terms of four years and until their successors have been elected and qualify, except of those first appointed three shall serve for terms of two years~~. In considering appointments to the commission, race, gender, and other geographic and demographic factors must be considered to assure nondiscrimination, inclusion, and representation to the greatest extent possible of all segments of the population of the State.

(B)(1) The terms of the members of the State Election Commission shall be for four years and until their successors are appointed and qualify, provided, however, that a member may not serve in holdover status for more than one year.

(2) Any vacancy on the ~~Commission~~ commission shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term in the same manner as the original appointment.

~~(b)~~(C) The Governor shall appoint one of the members to serve as chairman for a term of two years and until his successor has been appointed and qualifies. The ~~Commission~~ commission shall select such other officers from among its members as it may deem necessary.

~~(c)~~(D) The commission shall meet at its offices in Columbia at least once each month or at such times as considered necessary by the commission. However, the commission may change the location of the meeting if the change is more convenient for the commission or any parties scheduled to appear before the commission.

~~(d)~~(E) The ~~Commission~~ commission shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title.

~~(e)~~(F) No member of the commission may participate in political management or in a political campaign during the member's term of office. No member of the commission may make a contribution to a candidate or knowingly attend a fundraiser held for the benefit of a candidate. Violation of this subsection subjects the commissioner to removal by the Governor.

(G) The commission shall promulgate regulations to establish standardized processes for the administration of elections and voter registration, which must be followed by county boards of voter registration and elections, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7. The standards established by the commission must comply with federal and state statutory, regulatory, and constitutional standards. The commission is prohibited from promulgating emergency regulations pursuant to Section 1-23-130. The standardized processes promulgated pursuant to this subsection must take into account unique circumstances around the State, including, but not limited to, population and geographic disparities among the various counties.

(H) The commission shall provide for the supervision of the conduct of county boards of voter registration and elections, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7, which administer elections and voter registration in the State. The commission is ultimately responsible for ensuring those boards' compliance with the requirements of applicable state or federal law and State Election Commission policies, procedures, and standardized processes with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process.”

SECTION 29. A. Section 7-3-20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑20. (A) The State Election Commission shall ~~elect~~ appoint an executive director, upon the advice and consent of the Senate, who shall be directly responsible to the commission and who shall serve at the pleasure of the commission. The executive director shall be the chief administrative officer for the State Election Commission. In the event of a vacancy in the position of executive director, an interim director must be appointed by the State Election Commission, and an appointment for a permanent executive director must be submitted to the Senate as soon as practicable. If a person is appointed by the State Election Commission to be executive director and is not confirmed by the Senate by the date for the sine die adjournment of the General Assembly following the appointment, then the person must not serve as an interim or permanent executive director.

(B) The executive director shall receive such compensation and employ such staff, subject to the approval of the State Election Commission, as may be provided by law.

(C) The executive director shall:

(1) direct and supervise the implementation of the standardized processes established by the commission pursuant to Section 7-3-10(G);

(2) supervise the conduct of county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, which administers elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards' compliance with the requirements with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies and procedures with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process;

~~(2)~~(3) conduct reviews, audits, or other postelection analysis of county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, to ensure those boards' compliance with the requirements with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process;

~~(3)~~(4) maintain a complete master file of all qualified electors by county and by precincts;

~~(4)~~(5) delete the name of any elector:

(a) who is deceased;

(b) who is no longer qualified to vote in the precinct where currently registered;

(c) who has been convicted of a disqualifying crime;

(d) who is otherwise no longer qualified to vote as may be provided by law; or

(e) who requests in writing that his name be removed;

~~(5)~~(6) enter names on the master file as they are reported by the county boards of voter registration and elections;

~~(6)~~(7) furnish each county board of voter registration and elections with a master list of all registered voters in the county, together with a copy of all registered voters in each precinct of the county, at least ten days prior to each election. The precinct copies shall be used as the official list of voters;

~~(7)~~(8) maintain all information furnished to his office relating to the inclusion or deletion of names from the master file for four years;

~~(8)~~(9) purchase, lease, or contract for the use of such equipment as may be necessary to properly execute the duties of his office, subject to the approval of the State Election Commission;

~~(9)~~(10) secure from the United States courts and federal and state agencies available information as to persons convicted of disqualifying crimes;

~~(10)~~(11) obtain information from any other source which may assist him in carrying out the purposes of this section;

~~(11)~~(12) perform such other duties relating to elections as may be assigned him by the State Election Commission;

~~(12)~~(13) furnish at reasonable price any precinct lists to a qualified elector requesting them;

~~(13)~~(14) serve as the chief state election official responsible for implementing and coordinating the state's responsibilities under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993;

~~(14)~~(15) serve as the chief state election official responsible for implementing and enforcing the state's responsibilities under the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as set forth in the U.S.C., Title 42, Section 1973ff, et seq.; ~~and~~

~~(15)~~(16) establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that shall be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law~~.~~;

(17) promulgate regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities; and

(18) enter into the master file a separate designation for each voter casting an absentee ballot or an early ballot in an election.

(D) The State Election Commission shall publish on the commission's website each change to voting procedures enacted by state or local governments. State and local governments shall file notice of all changes in voting procedures, including, but not limited to, changes to precincts with the State Election Commission within five days after adoption of the change or thirty‑five days prior to the implementation, whichever is earlier. All voting procedure changes must remain on the commission's website at least through the date of the next general election. However, if changes are made within three months prior to the next general election, then the changes shall remain on the commission's website through the date of the following general election.”

B. The commission must provide an appointment for executive director to the Senate for advice and consent no later than January 10, 2023. This appointment must be made even if there is not a vacancy in the position at that time and the commission desires that the executive director continue to serve as the agency’s executive director.

SECTION 30. Section 7-3-25 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑25. (A) In the event that the State Election Commission, acting through its executive director, determines that a county board of elections and voter registration has failed to comply with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the conduct of the election or voter registration process, the State Election Commission, acting through its executive director or other designee, must supervise, pursuant to Section 7‑3‑20(C)(1) and (2), the county board to the extent necessary to:

(1) identify the failure to comply with state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes;

(2) establish a plan to correct the failure; and

(3) implement the plan to correct the failure. The officials and employees of the State Election Commission and the county board must work together, in good faith, to remedy the failure of the county board to adhere to state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, or standardized processes. In the event of a difference of policy or opinion between a county election official or employee and the State Election Commission or its designee, pertaining to the manner in which particular functions must be performed, the policy or opinion of the State Election Commission shall control.

(B) If a county board of voter registration and elections does not or cannot determine and certify the results of an election or referendum for which it is responsible by the time set for certification by applicable law, the responsibility to determine and certify the results is devolved upon the State Election Commission.

(C) If the State Election Commission determines that an official or an employee of a county board of voter registration and elections has negligently failed to comply with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the election or voter registration process or fails to comply with or cooperate with the corrective plan established by the State Election Commission or its designee under the provisions of subsection (A), the commission may order the decertification of that official or employee and if decertified the commission shall require that official to participate in a retraining program approved by the commission prior to recertification. If the commission finds that the failure to comply with state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes by an official is wilful, it shall recommend the termination of that official to the Governor or it shall recommend termination of a staff member to the director of the appropriate county board of voter registration and elections.”

SECTION 31. Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑50. Notwithstanding another provision of law, the State Election Commission and the county boards of voter registration and elections may not receive, accept, or expend gifts, donations, or funding from private individuals, corporations, partnerships, trusts, or any third party not provided through ordinary state or county appropriations.”

SECTION 32. Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code of Laws is amended by adding:

“Section 7-5-190. The State Election Commission shall ensure that voter registration information, the voting system, and electronic poll books are protected by security measures that meet or exceed current best practices for protecting data integrity. To do so, the State Election Commission shall consider security standards and best practices issued by federal security and intelligence services, including, but not limited to, the Department of Homeland Security and the Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify on an annual basis to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives that the agency has substantially complied with the requirements of this subsection.”

SECTION 33. A. Section 7-3-70 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“(c) The Department of Motor Vehicles must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all non-United States citizens who are issued a driver’s license or identification card. All reports must contain the name of the driver or identification cardholder, social security number, if any, and date of birth. The department must provide this information at no charge.

B. The first monthly report provided by the Department of Motor Vehicles pursuant to this SECTION must include every non-United States citizen in this State with a driver’s license or identification card.”

SECTION 34. Section 7-13-35 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-13-35. The authority charged by law with conducting an election must publish two notices of general, municipal, special, and primary elections held in the county in a newspaper of general circulation in the county or municipality, as appropriate. Included in each notice must be a reminder of the last day persons may register to be eligible to vote in the election for which notice is given, notification of the date, time, and location of the hearing on ballots challenged in the election, a list of the precincts involved in the election, the location of the polling places in each of the precincts, and notification that the process of examining the return-addressed envelopes containing absentee ballots may begin at ~~2:00 p.m.~~ 7:00 a.m. on the second day immediately preceding election day at a place designated in the notice by the authority charged with conducting the election. The first notice must appear not later than sixty days before the election and the second notice must appear not later than two weeks after the first notice.”

SECTION 35. Chapter 3, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-3-45. Each county probate court must furnish to the Executive Director of the State Election Commission a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have been declared mentally incapacitated by the county probate court. All reports must include the name, county of residence, social security number or other identification number, and date and place of birth of any incapacitated persons. The county probate court must provide the information to the Executive Director of the State Election Commision free of charge.”

SECTION 36. The State Election Commission must establish a voter education program concerning the provisions contained in this legislation. The State Elections Commission must educate the public as follows:

(1) Post information concerning changes contained in this legislation in a conspicuous location at each county board of registration and elections, each satellite office, the State Elections Commission office, and their respective websites.

(2) Train poll managers and poll workers at their mandatory training sessions to answer questions by electors concerning the changes in this legislation.

(3) Require documentation describing the changes in this legislation to be disseminated by poll managers and poll workers at every election held from the effective date of this act until October 21, 2022.

(4) Coordinate with each county board of voter registration and elections so that at least one seminar is conducted with each county’s election officials prior to September 16, 2022.

(5) Coordinate with local and service organizations to provide for additional informational seminars at a local or statewide level.

(6) Send a media release describing the changes in this legislation in South Carolina newspapers of general circulation by no later than June 20, 2022.

(7) Coordinate with local media outlets to disseminate information concerning the changes in this legislation.

In addition to the items above, the State Election Commission may implement additional educational programs in its discretion.

SECTION 37. Section 7-15-310 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-15-310. (7) ‘Authorized representative’ means a registered elector who, with the voter's permission, acts on behalf of a voter unable to go to the polls because of illness or disability resulting in his confinement in a hospital, sanatorium, nursing home, or place of residence, or a voter unable because of a physical handicap to go to his polling place or because of a handicap is unable to vote at his polling place due to existing architectural barriers that deny him physical access to the polling place, voting booth, or voting apparatus or machinery. Under no circumstance shall a candidate, ~~or~~ a member of a candidate's paid campaign staff, or a campaign volunteer ~~volunteers reimbursed for the time they expend on campaign activity~~ be considered an ‘authorized representative’ of an elector desiring to vote by absentee ballot.’

SECTION 38. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-15-400. No absentee ballot application or absentee ballot may be provided by an election official to a qualified elector unless pursuant to a provision of this article or Article 9 of this chapter.”

SECTION 39. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-25-65. (A) It is unlawful for a person to provide, offer to provide, or accept anything of value in exchange for requesting, collecting, or delivering an absentee ballot. A person who violates this section is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than five years.

(B) This section does not apply to an election official in the course and scope of the election official’s duties or a public or private mail service provider acting in the course and scope of the mail service provider’s duties to carry and deliver mail.”

SECTION 40. Section 7-25-180 of the 1976 Code of Laws is amended to read:

“Section 7-25-180. (A) ~~It is unlawful on an election day within two hundred feet of any entrance used by the voters to enter the polling place for a person to distribute any type of campaign literature or place any political posters~~. It is unlawful for a person to distribute any type of campaign literature or place any political posters within five hundred feet of any entrance used by the voters to enter the polling place, during polling hours on an election day and during the early voting period. The poll manager shall use every reasonable means to keep the area within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of any such entrance clear of political literature and displays, and the county and municipal law enforcement officers, upon request of a poll manager, shall remove or cause to be removed any material within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of any such entrance distributed or displayed in violation of this section.

(B) A candidate may wear within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of the polling place a label no larger than four and one‑fourth inches by four and one‑fourth inches that contains the candidate's name and the office he is seeking. If the candidate enters the polling place, he may not display any of this identification including, but not limited to, campaign stickers or buttons.”

SECTION 41. A. Any changes to forms required by this act must be implemented as soon as possible, but not later than May 31, 2022.

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of this act, a county board of voter registration and elections must honor any request made for absentee ballot for an election during the 2022 calendar year, provided that the request was: (1) received by the county board of voter registration and elections before 5:00 p.m. on May 31, 2022; and (2) made in accordance with the law as of April 21, 2022.

C. An absentee ballot requested prior to the Governor’s approval of this act must not be counted towards the limit on absentee ballot requests as prescribed in Section 7-15-330(B)(4), as added by this act.

D. For the 2022 statewide elections, each county board of voter registration and elections must identify each early voting center it intends to utilize and provide the locations to the State Election Commission Executive Director as follows: (1) for the primary election, no later than May 24, 2022; and (2) for the general election, no later than July 1, 2022. The Executive Director must approve any additions or changes to these early voting centers, and may direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution throughout each county.

SECTION 42. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

SECTION 43. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

SECTION 44. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

SECTION 45. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective.

SECTION 46. A. Except as provided in B. and C. below, all SECTIONS shall take effect upon approval by the Governor.

B. SECTION 3 shall take effect on January 1, 2023.

C. SECTIONS 4 and 7 shall take effect on July 1, 2022. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. MAGNUSON explained the amendment.

Rep. J. L. JOHNSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. MAGNUSON demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 18; Nays 86

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Brawley | Clyburn |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Hosey |
| Howard | Jefferson | J. L. Johnson |
| McDaniel | Murray | Rivers |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | R. Williams |

**Total--18**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Allison | Atkinson | Bailey |
| Ballentine | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Dillard | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Garvin |
| Gilliam | Gilliard | Haddon |
| Hardee | Henegan | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | King | Kirby |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| J. Moore | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Robinson | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | White | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--86**

So, the House refused to table the amendment.

The question then recurred to the adoption of the amendment.

Rep. MAGNUSON demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 89; Nays 12

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Atkinson | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Parks | Pendarvis | Pope |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| Weeks | West | Wheeler |
| White | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--89**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Brawley | Hart |
| Hosey | Howard | J. L. Johnson |
| King | Matthews | McDaniel |
| J. Moore | Murray | Rivers |

**Total—12**

So, the amendment was adopted.

Reps. MORGAN, MAY, TRANTHAM, MAGNUSON, HADDON, BURNS, LONG, JONES, OREMUS, CHUMLEY, MCCABE, DABNEY and B. COX proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to   
S. 236 (COUNCIL\HB\236C005.BH.HB22):

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Section 7-7-1000 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑7‑1000. (A) For purposes of municipal general elections only, a municipality may pool one or more precincts with other precincts and have one voting place for all of these pooled precincts upon the following conditions:

(1) Any precinct which contains five hundred or more registered voters within the municipality must have its own voting place.

(2) The total number of registered voters within the municipality in each group of pooled precincts cannot exceed onethousand five hundred.

(3) The voting place of any precinct pooled with others cannot be more than three miles from the nearest part of any pooled precinct.

(4) The notice requirements of Section 7‑7‑15 must be complied with and in addition to this requirement, the location of voting places for all precincts including those pooled must be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality on the day of the election. If the newspaper is not published daily, then on the date of publication nearest and prior to the date of election.

(5) Whenever precincts are pooled in a municipal general election, the voter registration lists, poll lists, and ballots for each precinct represented must be used by the managers of election. Results of the election must also be reported and certified by individual precinct.

(B) For purposes of municipal primary elections only, a municipality may pool one or more precincts with other precincts and have one voting place for all of these pooled precincts upon the following conditions:

(1) Any precinct which contains three thousand or more registered voters within the municipality must have its own voting place.

(2) The total number of registered voters within the municipality in each group of pooled precincts cannot exceed three thousand.

(3) The voting place of any precinct pooled with others cannot be more than three miles from the nearest part of any pooled precinct.

(4) The notice requirements of Section 7‑7‑15 must be complied with and in addition to this requirement, the location of voting places for all precincts including those pooled must be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the municipality on the day of the election. If the newspaper is not published daily, then on the date of publication nearest and prior to the date of election.

(5) Whenever precincts are pooled in a municipal primary election, the voter registration lists, poll lists, and ballots for each precinct represented must be used by the managers of election. Results of the election must also be reported and certified by individual precinct.”

SECTION 2. Article 1, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑25. (A) Notwithstanding the provisions of this chapter or Chapter 5 of this title, the authority charged by law with conducting an election shall establish a procedure by which a qualified elector may cast his ballot, without excuse, during an early voting period for all elections. The qualified elector may cast a ballot during an early voting period pursuant to this section.

(B) Early voting centers must be established and maintained to ensure that voters may cast only one ballot.

(C) A qualified elector may cast his ballot at an early voting center in the county in which he resides.

(D) Each county board of voter registration and elections must establish at least one early voting center and may establish up to seven early voting centers. Each early voting center must be supervised by employees of the county board of voter registration and elections or the State Election Commission.

(E) The early voting period shall be from Monday through Saturday for the one-week period immediately preceding an election.

(F) The county board of voter registration and elections shall provide the hours of operation for the early voting center or centers in accordance with the following:

(1) for statewide general elections, the early voting centers must be open from 8:30 a.m. until 6:00 p.m. on each day of the early voting period;

(2) for any election that is not a statewide general election or primary runoff election, the early voting centers must be open Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m. during the early voting period;

(3) for any primary runoff election, the early voting centers must be open on the Wednesday through Friday immediately preceding the election and must be open from 8:30 a.m. until 5:00 p.m.; and

(4) for any election, the early voting centers must not be open on Sundays.

(G)(1) Each county board of voter registration and elections must determine locations for its early voting centers. In selecting locations for early voting centers, the county board of voter registration and elections must consider geography, population, and ADA compliant accessibility. The county board of voter registration and elections must distribute the locations throughout the county to maximize accessibility for all voters in the county to the greatest extent possible.

(2) Each county board of voter registration and elections must identify locations it intends to utilize as early voting centers for a statewide primary and a statewide general election by March 10 before that primary election.

(3) The Executive Director of the State Election Commission must approve the addition or relocation of early voting centers after March 10, and may, at his discretion, direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution throughout each county.

(H) The county board of voter registration and elections must publish the location and hours of each early voting center at least fourteen days before the early voting period begins. Publication of the schedule must be made, at a minimum, to a website or webpage managed by, or on behalf of, each respective county board of voter registration and elections.

(I) Each early voting center must have available every ballot style in use in the particular county for that election.

(J) Upon the daily closure of each early voting center, all ballots must be transported to the county board of voter registration and elections and stored in a secure location.

(K) A sign must be posted prominently in each early voting center and shall have printed on it: ‘VOTING MORE THAN ONCE IS A FELONY AND, UPON CONVICTION, A PERSON MUST BE FINED NOT LESS THAN ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS NOR MORE THAN FIVE THOUSAND DOLLARS AND IMPRISONED NOT MORE THAN FIVE YEARS’.

(L) The provisions of this section do not apply to presidential preference primaries held pursuant to Section 7‑11‑20.”

SECTION 3. A. Section 7‑11‑10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑11‑10. (A) Nominations for candidates for the offices to be voted on in a general or special election may be by political party primary, by political party convention, or by petition; however, a person who was defeated as a candidate for nomination to an office in a party primary or party convention ~~shall~~ must not have his name placed on the ballot for the ensuing general or special election, except that this section does not prevent a defeated candidate from later becoming his party’s nominee for that office in that election if the candidate first selected as the party’s nominee dies, resigns, is disqualified, or otherwise ceases to become the party’s nominee for that office before the election is held.

(B) A candidate must not file more than one statement of intention of candidacy for a single office for the same election.

(C) A candidate must not be nominated by more than one political party for a single office for the same election.”

B. Section 7‑13‑320(D) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(D) The names of candidates offering for ~~any other~~ another office ~~shall~~ must be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. A candidate’s name must not appear on the ballot more than once for any single office for the same election.”

SECTION 4. Section 7‑15‑220(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, a copy of which is required by Section 7‑15‑200(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant and which is required by Section 7‑15‑230 to be returned with the absentee ballot applicant’s ballot, shall be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed by a person who is at least eighteen years of age. The oath shall be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots with which this oath is enclosed is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_

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Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

SECTION 5. Section 7‑15‑320 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑320. (A) Qualified electors in ~~any of~~ the following categories who are unable to vote during early voting hours for the duration of the early voting period, and during the hours the polls are open on election day, must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in ~~all elections~~ an election ~~when they are absent from their county of residence on election day during the hours the polls are open , to an extent that it prevents them from voting in person~~:

(1) persons with employment obligations who present written certification of the obligations to the county board of voter registration and elections ~~students, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~;

(2) persons who will be attending sick or physically disabled persons ~~serving with the American Red Cross or with the United Service Organizations (USO) who are attached to and serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~;

(3) persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial ~~governmental employees, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~; or

(4) persons who are going to be absent from their county of residence ~~on vacation (who by virtue of vacation plans will be absent from their county of residence on election day); or~~

~~(5)~~ ~~overseas citizens~~.

(B) Qualified electors in the following categories must be permitted to vote by absentee ballot in an election, regardless of whether the elector is able to vote during early voting hours for the duration of the early voting period, and during the hours the polls are open ~~all elections, whether or not they are absent from their county of residence~~ on election day:

(1) physically disabled persons;

(2) persons sixty‑five years of age or older ~~persons whose employment obligations require that they be at their place of employment during the hours that the polls are open and present written certification of that obligation to the county board of voter registration and elections~~;

(3) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them ~~certified poll watchers, poll managers, county board of voter registration and elections members and staff, county and state election commission members and staff working on election day~~; or

(4) ~~attending sick or physically disabled persons~~

~~(5)~~ persons admitted to hospitals as emergency patients on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election, as provided in Section 7-15-330;

~~(6)~~ ~~persons with a death or funeral in the family within a three‑day period before the election;~~

~~(7)~~ ~~persons who will be serving as jurors in a state or federal court on election day;~~

~~(8)~~ ~~persons sixty‑five years of age or older;~~

~~(9)~~ ~~persons confined to a jail or pretrial facility pending disposition of arrest or trial; or~~

~~(10) members of the Armed Forces and Merchant Marines of the United States, their spouses, and dependents residing with them~~.

SECTION 6. Section 7‑15‑330 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, reads:

“Section 7-15-330. (A) To vote by absentee ballot~~,~~:

(1) a qualified elector or a member of his immediate family, as defined in Section 7-15-310(8), must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person, by telephone, or by mail from the county board of voter registration and elections, or at an extension office of the county board of voter registration and elections as established by the county governing body, for the county of the voter’s residence~~.~~ ;or

(2) A person requesting an application for a qualified elector as the qualified elector’s authorized representative must request an application to vote by absentee ballot in person or by mail only and must himself be a registered voter and must sign an oath to the effect that he fits the statutory definition of an authorized representative. ~~This~~ The signed oath must be kept on file with the county board of voter registration and elections until the end of the calendar year or until all contests concerning a particular election have been finally determined, whichever is later. A candidate, ~~or~~ a member of a candidate’s paid campaign staff, or a ~~including~~ campaign volunteer ~~volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity~~, is not allowed to request applications for absentee voting for any person designated in this section unless the person is a member of the immediate family.

(B)(1) A request for an application to vote by absentee ballot may be made anytime during the calendar year in which the election in which the qualified elector desires to be permitted to vote by absentee ballot is being held.

(2) A person who makes a request for an application to vote by absentee ballot, either for himself or on behalf of another elector as permitted by this section, must provide the following:

(a) for the elector for whom the request is being made, the elector’s:

(i) name;

(ii) date of birth; and

(iii) last four digits of his social security number; and

(b) if someone is making a request on behalf of an elector, the requestor’s:

(i) name;

(ii) address;

(iii) date of birth; and

(iv) relation to the elector, as required by subsection (A).

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections must verify the information required in this section for the elector for whom the absentee ballot is being requested, and must record the information provided for the individual who makes a request on behalf of an elector before providing an absentee ballot application.

(4) A person must not request absentee applications for more than five qualified electors per election, in addition to himself.

(C) ~~However,~~ ~~completed~~ Completed applications must be returned ~~to the county board of voter registration and elections~~:

in person, by either the elector, a member of the elector’s immediate family, or the elector’s authorized representative, or by mail, by the elector, to the county board of voter registration and elections no later than ~~before~~ 5:00 p.m. on the ~~fourth~~ eleventh day before the day of the election to vote by absentee ballot. ~~Applications must be accepted by the county board of voter registration and elections until 5:00 p.m. on the day immediately preceding the election for those who appear in person and are qualified to vote absentee pursuant to Section 7‑15‑320.~~

(D) ~~A member of the immediate family of~~ Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (C), if an elector is ~~a person who is~~ admitted to a hospital as an emergency patient on the day of an election or within a four‑day period before the election, then a member of the elector’s immediate family may obtain an application from the board on the day of an election, complete it, receive the ballot, deliver it personally to the patient who shall vote, and personally carry the ballot back to the county board of voter registration and elections.

(E) The county board of voter registration and elections shall serially number each absentee ballot application form and keep a record book in which must be recorded the number of the form, the name, home address, and absentee mailing address of the person for whom the absentee ballot application form is requested; the name, address, voter registration number, and relationship of the person requesting the form, if other than the applicant; the date upon which the form is requested; the date upon which the form is issued; and the date and method upon which the absentee ballot is returned. This information becomes a public record at 9:00 a.m. on the day immediately preceding the election, except that forms issued for emergency hospital patients must be made public by 9:00 a.m. on the day following an election.

(F) A person who violates the provisions of this section is subject to the penalties provided in Section 7‑25‑170.”

SECTION 7. Section 7‑15‑380(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The oath, which is required by Section 7‑15‑370 to be imprinted on the return‑addressed envelope, furnished each absentee ballot applicant, must be signed by the absentee ballot applicant and witnessed by a person who is at least eighteen years of age. The address, printed name, and signature of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, the voter must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the voter. The oath must be in the following form:

‘I hereby swear (or affirm) that I am duly qualified to vote at this election according to the Constitution of the State of South Carolina, that I have not voted during this election, that the ballot or ballots contained in this envelope is my ballot and that I have received no assistance in voting my ballot that I would not have been entitled to receive had I voted in person at my voting precinct.’

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Signature of Voter

Dated on this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ 20 \_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

Signature of Witness Printed Name of Witness

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Address of Witness”

SECTION 8. Section 7‑15‑385 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑385. (A) Upon receipt of the ballot or ballots, the absentee ballot applicant must mark each ballot on which he wishes to vote and place each ballot in the single envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ which in turn must be placed in the return‑addressed envelope. The applicant must ~~then~~ return the return‑addressed envelope ~~to the board of voter registration and elections~~ only by:

(1) mail~~,~~ to the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections;

(2) ~~by~~ personal delivery~~,~~ to an election official during office hours at the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections or to an election official during office hours at an early voting center; or

(3) ~~by~~ authorizing ~~another person~~ a member of the applicant’s immediate family, as defined in Section 7-15-310(8), or an authorized representative, to return the return-addressed envelope for him to an election official during office hours at the main office of the county board of voter registration and elections or to an election official during office hours at an early voting center.

(B) An applicant who authorizes a member of his immediate family or an authorized representative to return the return-addressed envelope for him pursuant to this section must complete an ~~The~~ authorization ~~must be given in writing on a~~ form prescribed by the State Election Commission ~~and~~ that must be turned in ~~to the board of voter registration and elections~~ by the immediate family member or authorized representative at the time the return-addressed envelope is returned. The ~~voter~~ applicant must sign the form, or in the event the ~~voter~~ applicant cannot write because of a physical handicap or illiteracy, then the ~~voter~~ applicant must make his mark and have the mark witnessed by someone designated by the ~~voter~~ applicant.

(C) The authorization form prescribed by the State Election Commission must include a designated space in which an election official must record the specific form of government-issued photo identification presented by the immediate family member or authorized representative who is authorized by the applicant to deliver the return-addressed envelope. The authorization form must be preserved as part of the record of the election, and the county board of voter registration and elections must note the time and date of receipt of the authorization form, ~~and~~ the name of the ~~authorized returnee~~, immediate family member or authorized representative, his relationship to the applicant, and the immediate family member’s or authorized representative’s form of government-issued photo identification in the record book required by Section 7‑15‑330.

(D)(1) When an applicant, or an applicant’s authorized immediate family member or authorized representative, presents himself to deliver a return‑addressed envelope pursuant to this section, he must produce a valid and current:

(a) driver’s license issued by a state within the United States;

(b) another form of identification containing a photograph issued by the Department of Motor Vehicles or its equivalent by a state within the United States;

(c) passport;

(d) military identification containing a photograph issued by the federal government; or

(e) South Carolina voter registration card containing a photograph of the voter.

(2) An election official must verify that the name and photograph on the identification is the applicant, or the applicant’s authorized immediate family member or authorized representative, as applicable.

(E) An election official must not accept a return-addressed envelope until the provisions of this section have been met.

(F) ~~A candidate or a member of a candidate's paid campaign staff including volunteers reimbursed for time expended on campaign activity is not permitted to serve as an authorized returnee for any person unless the person is a member of the voter's immediate family as defined in Section 7‑15‑310. The oath set forth in Section 7-15-380 must be signed and witnessed on each returned envelope. The board of voter registration and elections must record in the record book required by Section 7-15-330 the date the return-addressed envelope with witnessed oath and enclosed ballot or ballots is received by the board.~~ The board of voter registration and elections must securely store ~~the~~ return-addressed envelopes in ~~a~~ locked ~~box~~ boxes within the main office of the board of voter registration and elections as prescribed by the State Election Commission.

(G) It is unlawful for a person to return more than five return-addressed envelopes in an election, in addition to his own. A person who violates this subsection, upon conviction, must be punished as provided in Section 7-25-190.”

SECTION 9. Section 7‑15‑420 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 133 of 2020, reads:

“Section 7‑15‑420. (A) The county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, or executive committee of each municipal party in the case of municipal primary elections is responsible for the tabulation and reporting of absentee ballots.

(B) ~~At 9:00 a.m.~~ Beginning no earlier than 7:00 a.m. on the second day immediately preceding election day, the managers appointed pursuant to Section 7-13-72 ~~7‑5‑10, and in the presence of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860,~~ may begin the process of examining the return‑addressed envelopes that have been received by the county board of voter registration and elections making certain that each oath has been properly signed and witnessed and includes the printed name, signature and address of the witness. All return‑addressed envelopes received by the county board of voter registration and elections before the time for closing the polls must be examined in this manner. A ballot may not be counted unless the oath is properly signed and witnessed nor may any ballot be counted which is received by the county board of voter registration and elections after time for closing of the polls. The printed instructions required by Section 7‑15‑370(2) to be sent each absentee ballot applicant must notify him that his vote will not be counted in either of these events. If a ballot is not challenged, the sealed return‑addressed envelope must be opened by the managers, and the enclosed envelope marked ‘Ballot Herein’ removed, ~~and~~ placed in a locked box or boxes, and kept secure.

(C) After all return‑addressed envelopes have been emptied ~~in this manner~~, but no earlier than 7:00 a.m. on election day, the managers shall remove the ballots contained in the envelopes marked ‘Ballot Herein’, placing each one in the ballot box provided for the applicable contest.

(D) Beginning no earlier than ~~at 9:00~~ 7:00 a.m. on election day, the absentee ballots may be tabulated, including any absentee ballots received on election day before the polls are closed. If any ballot is challenged, the return‑addressed envelope must not be opened, but must be put aside and the procedure set forth in Section 7‑13‑830 must be utilized; but the absentee voter must be given reasonable notice of the challenged ballot.

(E) Results of the absentee ballot tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. An election official, election worker, candidate, or watcher who intentionally violates the prohibition contained in this subsection is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisoned not more than five years.

(F) The processes of examining the return‑addressed envelopes, opening the sealed return‑addressed envelopes to remove the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes, and removing the ballots from the ‘Ballot Herein’ envelopes for tabulation must be conducted in the presence of any candidate who elects to be present, and of any watchers who have been appointed pursuant to Section 7‑13‑860. Provided, any candidates or watchers present must be located a reasonable distance in order to maintain both the right to observe and the secrecy of the ballots.”

SECTION 10. Section 7‑15‑430 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑15‑430. (A) Prior to the distribution of voter registration lists to the various precincts, the county board of voter registration and elections shall note, opposite the name of each registered voter, who is provided an absentee ballot and who has returned an absentee ballot ~~has voted by absentee ballot the fact of such voting or that an absentee ballot has been issued to a voter, as the case may be~~.

(B) No voter whose name is so marked on the registration list as having returned an absentee ballot ~~voted~~ shall be permitted to vote in person in his resident precinct or at an early voting center in his county. ~~and no~~ A voter who is provided an absentee ballot, but who has not returned an ~~been issued an~~ absentee ballot, may cast a provisional ballot at his resident precinct or at an early voting center in his county. The provisional ballot must only be counted if the absentee ballot is not received by the time for the closing of the polls on election day ~~vote whether such ballot has been cast or not, unless he shall furnish to the officials of his resident precinct a certificate from the county board of voter registration and elections that his absentee ballot has been returned to the board unmarked~~.

(C) Should any voter be issued an absentee ballot, or should any voter return an absentee ballot, after the board has released the registration books to be used in the election to the county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, county committee, executive committee of any municipal party, or poll managers, the board of voter registration and elections shall immediately notify in writing the county board of voter registration and elections, municipal election commission, county committee, executive committee of any municipal party, or poll manager, as the case may be, of the name, address, and certificate number of each voter who has since been issued an absentee ballot, or who has since returned an absentee ballot, and the registration books must be appropriately marked that the voter has been issued an absentee ballot, or has returned an absentee ballot.”

SECTION 11. Section 7‑5‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑170. (1) Written application required.—A person may not be registered to vote except upon written application or electronic application pursuant to Section 7‑5‑185, which shall become a part of the permanent records of the board to which it is presented and which must be open to public inspection. However, the social security number contained in the application must not be open to public inspection.

(2) Form of application. — The application must be on a form prescribed and provided by the executive director and shall contain the following information: name, sex, race, social security number, date of birth, residence address, mailing address, telephone number of the applicant, and location of prior voter registration. The applicant must affirm that he is not under a court order declaring him mentally incompetent, confined in any public prison, has never been convicted of a felony or offense against the election laws, or if previously convicted that he has served his entire sentence, including probation and parole time, or has received a pardon for the conviction. Additionally, the applicant must take the following oath: ‘I, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I am a citizen of the United States and that on the date of the next ensuing election, I will have attained the age of eighteen years and am a resident of South Carolina, this county, and of my precinct. I further swear (or affirm) that the present residence address listed herein is my sole legal place of residence, ~~and~~ that I claim no other place as my legal residence, and that, to my knowledge, I am neither registered nor intend to register to vote in another state or county.’ Any applicant convicted of fraudulently applying for registration is guilty of perjury and is subject to the penalty for that offense.

(3) Date stamp voter registration applications. — The county board of voter registration and elections shall date stamp all voter registration applications delivered in person, electronically, or by mail as of the date received.

~~(3)~~(4) Administration of oaths. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or any registration clerk must be qualified to administer oaths in connection with the application.

~~(4)~~(5) Decisions on applications. — Any member of the county board of voter registration and elections, deputy registrar, or registration clerk may pass on the qualifications of the prospective voter. In case of a question of an applicant being refused registration, at least one member of the board shall pass on the qualifications of the voter. A concise statement of the reasons for the refusal must be written on the application.”

SECTION 12. Section 7‑13‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot shall be printed on paper of such thickness that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and shall be of such size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in any election, each such ballot shall be printed upon different colored paper;”

SECTION 13. Section 7‑13‑610(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) Other than ballots delivered electronically to qualified electors who are entitled to vote by absentee ballot under the federal Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act, 52 U.S.C. Section 20301, et seq., the ballots shall incorporate features which can be used to authenticate the ballot as an official ballot but which do not make the ballot identifiable to a particular elector. The ballot must be printed on paper of a thickness so that the printing cannot be distinguished from the back and must be of a size and color as directed by the State Election Commission. If more than one ballot is to be used in a primary, each ballot must be printed on different colored paper. The ballot must contain a voting square opposite the name of each candidate, and the voter shall vote by putting a mark in the voting square opposite the name of the candidate of his choice. The State Election Commission may establish, under Chapter 23 of Title 1, such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper administration of this section.”

SECTION 14. Section 7‑13‑1330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑13‑1330. (A) Before a decision is made to procure a statewide voting system, the State Election Commission must provide a public comment period of not less than thirty days. The input must be considered in the procurement of a statewide voting system.

(B) Before any kind of optical scan voting system is used at any election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the optical scan voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of optical scan voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. An optical scan voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. If the federal voting system standards and guidelines have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, then the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.

~~(B)~~(C) No kind of vote recorder not approved pursuant to this section shall be used at any election and if, upon the reexamination of any type vote recorder previously approved, it appears that the vote recorder so reexamined can no longer be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections as provided by law, the approval of the vote recorder must immediately be revoked by the State Election Commission, and no such type vote recorder shall thereafter be purchased for use or used in this State.

~~(C)~~(D) If a vote recorder, including an optical scan voting system, which was approved for use before July 1, 1999, is improved or otherwise changed in a way since its approval that does not impair its accuracy, efficiency, or capacity, the vote recorder may be used in elections. However, if the software, hardware, or firmware of the system is improved or otherwise changed, the system must comply with the requirements of subsection ~~(A)~~ (B).

~~(D)~~(E) Any person or company who requests an examination of any type of vote recorder or optical scan voting system shall pay a nonrefundable examination fee of one thousand dollars for a new voting system and a nonrefundable examination fee of five hundred dollars for an upgrade to any existing system to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission may at any time, in its discretion, reexamine any vote recorder or optical scan voting system when evidence is presented to the commission that the accuracy or the ability of the system to be used satisfactorily in the conduct of elections is in question.

~~(E)~~(F) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system in this State must file with the State Election Commission a list of all states or jurisdictions in which the system has been approved for use. This list must state how long the system has been used in the state; contain the name, address, and telephone number of that state or jurisdiction’s chief election official; and must disclose any reports compiled by state or local government concerning the performance of the system. The vendor is responsible for filing this information on an ongoing basis.

~~(F)~~(G) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must file with the State Election Commission copies of all contracts and maintenance agreements used in connection with the sale of the voting system. All changes to standard contracts and maintenance agreements must be filed with the State Election Commission.

~~(G)~~(H) Any person or company who seeks approval for any vote recorder or optical scan voting system must conduct, under the supervision of the State Election Commission and any county board of voter registration and elections, a field test for any new voting system, as part of the certification process. The field test shall involve South Carolina voters and election officials and must be conducted as part of a scheduled primary, general, or special election. This test must be held in two or more precincts, and all costs relating to the voting system must be borne by the vendor. The test must be designed to gauge voter reaction to the system, problems that voters have with the system, and the number of voting units required for the efficient operation of an election. The test must also demonstrate the accuracy of votes cast and reported on the system.

~~(H)~~(I) Before an optical scan voting system may be used in elections in the State, all source codes for the system must be placed in escrow by the manufacturer, at the manufacturer’s expense, with the authority approved by the Federal Election Assistance Commission. These source codes must be available to the State Election Commission in case the company goes out of business, pursuant to court order, or if the State Election Commission determines that an examination of these source codes is necessary. The manufacturer shall place all updates of these source codes in escrow, and notify the State Election Commission that this requirement has been met.

~~(I)~~(J) After a vote recorder or optical scan voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section; however, this requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer ~~or reader to electronically count and record votes~~ or ~~to a~~ printer to accurately reproduce vote totals.

~~(J)~~(K) If the State Election Commission determines that a vote recorder or optical scan voting system that was approved no longer meets the requirements set forth in subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D) or Section 7‑13‑1340, the commission may decertify that system. A decertified system shall not be used in elections unless the system is reapproved by the commission under subsections ~~(A)~~ (B) and ~~(C)~~ (D).

~~(K)~~(L) Neither a member of the State Election Commission, any county board of voter registration and elections or custodian, nor a member of a county governing body shall have any pecuniary interest in any vote recorder, or in the manufacture or sale of the vote recorder.

(M) An optical scan voting system must maintain an image of each ballot that is cast in a manner that protects the integrity of the data and the anonymity of each voter.

(N) All electronic records for a statewide election must be preserved for not less than twenty-four months following the election.”

SECTION 15. Section 7‑13‑1340(k) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(k) ~~if approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1330 (C), is able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections to the State Election Commission in a format and timeframe specified by the commission~~ disables, at all times while utilized in a current election, the following:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) the capability to establish a wireless connection to an external network;

(3) the establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem or any other mechanism or process; and

(4) automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for further review.”

SECTION 16. Sections 7‑13‑1620(A) and (G) of the 1976 Code are amended to read:

“(A) Before any kind of voting system, including an electronic voting system, is used at an election, it must be approved by the State Election Commission, which shall examine the voting system and make and file in the commission’s office a report, attested to by the signature of the commission’s executive director, stating whether, in the commission’s opinion, the kind of voting system examined may be accurately and efficiently used by electors at elections, as provided by law. A voting system may not be approved for use in the State unless certified by a testing laboratory accredited by the Federal Election Assistance Commission as meeting or exceeding the minimum requirements of the latest federal voting system standards and guidelines. If the federal voting system standards and guidelines have been amended less than thirty‑six months prior to an election, then the State Election Commission may approve and certify a voting system that meets the prior standards after determining:

(1) the effect that such approval would have on the integrity and security of elections; and

(2) the procedure and cost involved to bring the voting system into compliance with the amended standards.”

“(G) After a voting system is approved, an improvement or change in the system must be submitted to the State Election Commission for approval pursuant to this section. This requirement does not apply to the technical capability of a general purpose computer, reader, or printer used for election preparation or ballot ~~tallying~~ tally reporting.”

SECTION 17. Section 7‑13‑1640(C) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(C) If approved after July 1, 1999, or if an upgrade in software, hardware, or firmware is submitted for approval as required by Section 7‑13‑1620(B), the voting system must be able to electronically transmit vote totals for all elections from the county board of voter registration and elections to the State Election Commission in a format and time frame specified by the commission.

(D) Anytime a voter is eligible to cast a ballot the voting machine and any counting device must have disabled:

(1) a connection to the Internet or an external network;

(2) the capability of establishing a wireless connection;

(3) the establishment of a connection to an external network through a cable, a wireless modem, or any other mechanism or process; and

(4) automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for further review.”

(E) All electronic records for a statewide election must be preserved for not less than twenty-four months following the election.”

SECTION 18. Section 7‑13‑440 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

SECTION 19. Section 7‑3‑40 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑40. The Bureau of Vital Statistics must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have died in the State and all individuals eighteen years of age or older who have died out‑of‑state. All reports must contain the name of the deceased, county of residence, his social security or other identification number, and his date and place of birth. ~~The bureau must provide this information at no charge.~~”

SECTION 20. Section 7‑5‑186 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-5-186. (A)~~(1)~~ The State Election Commission shall establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that must be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law. The executive director must conduct an annual general registration list maintenance program to maintain accurate voter registration records in the statewide voter registration system.   
 ~~(2)(a)~~(B) State agencies, including, but not limited to, the Department of Health and Environmental Control, Office of Vital Statistics, Department of Motor Vehicles, Department of Employment and Workforce, and the Department of Corrections, shall provide information and data to the State Election Commission that the commission considers necessary in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section, except where prohibited by federal law or regulation. The State Election Commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the State Election Commission, which is confidential in the possession of the entity providing the data, remains confidential while in the possession of the State Election Commission.

~~(b)~~ ~~Information provided under this division for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector only must be updated as a result of the elector's actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both.~~  
 ~~(c)~~ ~~A county board of voter registration and elections shall contact a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if information provided under subsection (A)(2)(a) of this section identifies a discrepancy between the information regarding that elector that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database and maintained by a state agency.~~  
 ~~(3)~~(C) The State Election Commission may enter into agreements to share information or data with other states or groups of states, as the commission considers necessary, in order to maintain the statewide voter registration database established pursuant to this section. Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the commission shall ensure that any information or data provided to the commission that is confidential in the possession of the state providing the data remains confidential while in the possession of the commission. The commission may provide such otherwise confidential information or data to persons or organizations that are engaging in legitimate governmental purposes related to the maintenance of the statewide voter registration database.

(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall send a notice, as described in Section 7-5-330(F)(2), to a registered elector by mail at the address on file with the board to verify the accuracy of the information in the statewide voter registration database regarding that elector if a discrepancy exists between information provided under this section and information that is maintained in the statewide voter registration database.

(E) Information provided under this section for maintenance of the statewide voter registration database must not be used to update the name or address of a registered elector. The name or address of a registered elector must only be updated as a result of the elector's actions in filing a notice of change of name, change of address, or both.”

SECTION 21. Section 7‑5‑330 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑5‑330. (A) In the case of registration with a motor vehicle application under Section 7‑5‑320, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the Department of Motor Vehicles no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(B) In the case of registration by mail under Section 7‑5‑155, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be postmarked no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(C) In the case of registration at a voter registration agency, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be completed at the voter registration agency no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(D) In any other case, the valid voter registration form of the applicant must be received by the county board of voter registration and elections no later than thirty days before the date of the election.

(E)(1) The county board of voter registration and elections shall:

(a) send notice to each applicant of the disposition of the application; and

(b) ensure that the identity of the voter registration agency through which a particular voter is registered is not disclosed to the public.

(2) If the notice sent pursuant to the provisions of subitem (a) of ~~this item~~ item (1) is returned to the county board of voter registration and elections as undeliverable, the elector to whom it was sent must be reported by the board to the State Election Commission. The State Election Commission must place the elector in an inactive status on the master file within seven days after receipt of the report from the county board of voter registration and elections and ~~may~~ shall remove this elector upon compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F).

(F)(1) The State Election Commission may not remove the name of a qualified elector from the official list of eligible voters on the ground that the qualified elector has changed residence unless the qualified elector:

(a) confirms in writing that the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered; or

(b)(i) has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2); and

(ii) has not voted or appeared to vote and, if necessary, correct the county board of voter registration and elections record of the qualified elector’s address, in an election during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice.

(2) ‘Notice’, as used in this item, means a postage prepaid and preaddressed return card, sent by forwardable mail, on which the qualified elector may state his current address, together with a statement to the following effect:

(a) if the qualified elector did not change his residence, or changed residence but remained in the same county, the qualified elector shall return the card no later than thirty days before the date of the election. If the card is not returned, affirmation or confirmation of the qualified elector’s address may be required before the qualified elector is permitted to vote during the period beginning on the date of the notice and ending on the day after the date of the second general election that occurs after the date of the notice, and if the qualified elector does not vote in an election during that period, the qualified elector’s name must be removed from the official list of eligible voters;

(b) if the qualified elector has changed residence to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered, information as to how the qualified elector can re‑register to vote.

(3) The county board of voter registration and elections shall correct ~~an~~ the official list of eligible voters in accordance with change of residence information obtained pursuant to the provisions of this subsection.

(4) The program required pursuant to the provisions of subsection (F) of this section must be completed no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election.”

SECTION 22. Section 7-5-340 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

Section 7‑5‑340. (A) The State Election Commission shall:

(1) ensure that the name of a qualified elector ~~may not be~~ is removed from the official list of eligible voters ~~except~~ within seven days of receipt of information confirming:

(a) ~~at~~ the request of the qualified elector to be removed;

(b) ~~if~~ the elector is adjudicated mentally incompetent by a court of competent jurisdiction; ~~or~~

(c) ~~as provided under item (2);~~

~~(2)~~ ~~conduct a general program that makes a reasonable effort to remove the names of ineligible voters from the official lists of eligible voters by reason of:~~

~~(a)~~ the death of the qualified elector; ~~or~~

(d) the elector is not a citizen of the United States; or

~~(b)~~(e) a change in the residence ~~of the qualified elector~~ to a place outside the county in which the qualified elector is registered when such confirmation is received from the qualified elector in writing;

~~(3)~~(2) inform applicants under Sections 7‑5‑155, 7‑5‑310, and 7‑5‑320 of:

(a) voter eligibility requirements; and

(b) penalties provided by law for submission of a false voter registration application;

~~(4)~~(3) complete, no later than ninety days before the date of a statewide primary or general election, a program to systematically remove the names of ineligible voters from the official ~~lists~~ list of eligible voters in compliance with the provisions of Section 7‑5‑330(F); this ~~subitem~~ item may not be construed to preclude:

(a) the removal of names from the official ~~lists~~ list of eligible voters on a basis described in ~~items~~ item (1) ~~and (2)~~; or

(b) correction of registration records pursuant to this article.”

SECTION 23. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑25‑30. The State Law Enforcement Division shall establish a public reporting hotline telephone number and email address for receiving reports of possible election fraud or other violations of the election laws of this State. It shall promptly review all reported violations and take action as it determines appropriate.”

SECTION 24. Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-5-350. The State Election Commission shall report to the General Assembly annually regarding the commission’s actions taken to maintain the accuracy of the statewide voter registration database and voter registration list maintenance. This report shall include, but is not limited to, the number of: (1) voters removed from the voter registration list and the reason for the removal; (2) voters placed on inactive status; (3) voters placed on archive status; (4) new voter registrations; and (5) voter registration updates, including elector address changes. This annual report must be delivered to the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives by January fifteenth of each year.”

SECTION 25. Chapter 1, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑1‑110. (A) The President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have an unconditional right to intervene on behalf of their respective bodies in a state court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(B) In a federal court action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted, the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, have standing to intervene as a party on behalf of their respective bodies, to file an amicus brief, or to provide evidence or argument, written or oral, in accordance with the federal rules of procedure, irrespective of whether any other officer of the State has appeared in the action.

(C) A federal court presiding over an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted is requested to allow the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, to intervene in any such action as a party.

(D) A request to intervene or the participation of the President of the Senate, on behalf of the Senate, or the Speaker of the House of Representatives, on behalf of the House of Representatives, as a party or otherwise, in an action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted does not constitute a waiver of:

(1) legislative immunity or legislative privilege for any individual legislator, legislative officer, or legislative staff member; or

(2) sovereign immunity or any other rights, privileges, or immunities of the State that arise under the United States Constitution or the South Carolina Constitution.

(E) The State Election Commission and the Attorney General must notify the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives within twenty‑four hours of the receipt of service of a complaint that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

(F) In an action in which the Senate or the House of Representatives intervenes or participates pursuant to this section, the Senate and the House of Representatives must function independently from each other in the representation of their respective bodies, unless otherwise agreed to by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives.

(G) The Senate and the House of Representatives may employ attorneys other than the Attorney General to defend any action that challenges the validity of an election law, an election policy, or the manner in which an election is conducted.

SECTION 26. Section 7‑3‑20(C) of the 1976 Code is amended by adding appropriately numbered items to read:

“( ) establish methods of auditing election results, which may include risk-limiting audits, hand‑count audits, results verification through independent third‑party vendors that specialize in election auditing, ballot reconciliation, or any other method deemed appropriate by the executive director. Election result audits must be conducted in all statewide elections after the election concludes, but prior to certification by the State Board of Canvassers, and may be performed following any other election held in the State at the discretion of the executive director. Once completed, audit reports must be published on the commission’s website;”

SECTION 27. A. Section 7‑25‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑20. It is unlawful for a person to fraudulently:

(1) procure the registration of a name on the books of registration;

(2) offer or attempt to vote that name;

(3) offer or attempt to vote in violation of this title or under any false pretense as to circumstances affecting his qualifications to vote; or

(4) aid, counsel, or abet another in fraudulent registration or fraudulent offer or attempt to vote.

A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars nor more than five ~~hundred~~ thousand dollars ~~or~~ and imprisoned not more than ~~one year, or both~~ five years.”

B. Section 7‑25‑110 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑110. It is unlawful for a person qualified to vote at any general, special, or primary election for an office whether local, state, or federal to vote more than once at such election, for the same office. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined ~~in the discretion of the court or~~ not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

C. Section 7‑25‑120 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑120. It is unlawful for a person to impersonate or attempt to impersonate another person for the purpose of voting in a general, special, or primary election, whether municipal or State. A person who violates the provisions of this section is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years ~~or~~ and fined not less than ~~three hundred~~ one thousand dollars nor more than ~~twelve hundred~~ five thousand dollars~~, or both~~. When a person who violates the provisions of this section is placed under bond, the bond may not be less than six hundred dollars nor more than twelve hundred dollars.”

D. Section 7‑25‑160 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑160. A manager at any general, special, or primary election in this State who wilfully violates any of the duties devolved by law upon such position is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years~~, or both~~.”

E. Section 7‑25‑170 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑25‑170. An officer, other than a manager at any election, on whom a duty is imposed by this title, except under Section 7‑13‑1170, Articles 1 and 3 of Chapter 17 and Chapters 19 and 23 of this title, who wilfully neglects such duty or engages in corrupt conduct in executing it is guilty of a ~~misdemeanor~~ felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not ~~more~~ less than ~~five hundred~~ one thousand dollars ~~or~~ nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than ~~three~~ five years.”

SECTION 28. Section 7-3-10 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑10. ~~(a)~~(A) There is hereby created the State Election Commission composed of five members, to be appointed by the Governor, at least one of whom shall be a member of the majority political party represented in the General Assembly, and at least one of whom shall be a member of the largest minority political party represented in the General Assembly~~, to be appointed by the Governor to serve terms of four years and until their successors have been elected and qualify, except of those first appointed three shall serve for terms of two years~~.

(B)(1) The terms of the members of the State Election Commission shall be for four years and until their successors are appointed and qualify, provided, however, that a member may not serve in holdover status for more than one year.

(2) Any vacancy on the ~~Commission~~ commission shall be filled for the unexpired portion of the term in the same manner as the original appointment.

~~(b)~~(C) The Governor shall appoint one of the members to serve as chairman for a term of two years and until his successor has been appointed and qualifies. The ~~Commission~~ commission shall select such other officers from among its members as it may deem necessary.

~~(c)~~(D) The commission shall meet at its offices in Columbia at least once each month or at such times as considered necessary by the commission. However, the commission may change the location of the meeting if the change is more convenient for the commission or any parties scheduled to appear before the commission.

~~(d)~~(E) The ~~Commission~~ commission shall have the powers and duties as enumerated in this title.

~~(e)~~(F) No member of the commission may participate in political management or in a political campaign during the member's term of office. No member of the commission may make a contribution to a candidate or knowingly attend a fundraiser held for the benefit of a candidate. Violation of this subsection subjects the commissioner to removal by the Governor.

(G) The commission shall promulgate regulations to establish standardized processes for the administration of elections and voter registration, which must be followed by county boards of voter registration and elections, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7. The standards established by the commission must comply with federal and state statutory, regulatory, and constitutional standards. The commission is prohibited from promulgating emergency regulations pursuant to Section 1-23-130. The standardized processes promulgated pursuant to this subsection must take into account unique circumstances around the State, including, but not limited to, population and geographic disparities among the various counties.

(H) The commission shall provide for the supervision of the conduct of county boards of voter registration and elections, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7, which administer elections and voter registration in the State. The commission is ultimately responsible for ensuring those boards' compliance with the requirements of applicable state or federal law and State Election Commission policies, procedures, and standardized processes with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process.”

SECTION 29. Section 7-3-20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑20. (A) The State Election Commission shall ~~elect~~ appoint an executive director who shall be directly responsible to the commission and who shall serve at the pleasure of the commission. The executive director shall be the chief administrative officer for the State Election Commission.

(B) The executive director shall receive such compensation and employ such staff, subject to the approval of the State Election Commission, as may be provided by law.

(C) The executive director shall:

(1) direct and supervise the implementation of the standardized processes established by the commission pursuant to Section 7-3-10(G);

(2) supervise the conduct of county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, which administers elections and voter registration in the State and ensure those boards' compliance with the requirements with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies and procedures with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process;

~~(2)~~(3) conduct reviews, audits, or other postelection analysis of county board of elections and voter registration, as established pursuant to Article 1, Chapter 5, to ensure those boards' compliance with the requirements with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the conduct of elections or the voter registration process by all persons involved in the elections process;

~~(3)~~(4) maintain a complete master file of all qualified electors by county and by precincts;

~~(4)~~(5) delete the name of any elector:

(a) who is deceased;

(b) who is no longer qualified to vote in the precinct where currently registered;

(c) who has been convicted of a disqualifying crime;

(d) who is otherwise no longer qualified to vote as may be provided by law; or

(e) who requests in writing that his name be removed;

~~(5)~~(6) enter names on the master file as they are reported by the county boards of voter registration and elections;

~~(6)~~(7) furnish each county board of voter registration and elections with a master list of all registered voters in the county, together with a copy of all registered voters in each precinct of the county, at least ten days prior to each election. The precinct copies shall be used as the official list of voters;

~~(7)~~(8) maintain all information furnished to his office relating to the inclusion or deletion of names from the master file for four years;

~~(8)~~(9) purchase, lease, or contract for the use of such equipment as may be necessary to properly execute the duties of his office, subject to the approval of the State Election Commission;

~~(9)~~(10) secure from the United States courts and federal and state agencies available information as to persons convicted of disqualifying crimes;

~~(10)~~(11) obtain information from any other source which may assist him in carrying out the purposes of this section;

~~(11)~~(12) perform such other duties relating to elections as may be assigned him by the State Election Commission;

~~(12)~~(13) furnish at a reasonable price, not to exceed five hundred dollars, any precinct lists to a qualified elector requesting them;

~~(13)~~(14) serve as the chief state election official responsible for implementing and coordinating the state's responsibilities under the National Voter Registration Act of 1993;

~~(14)~~(15) serve as the chief state election official responsible for implementing and enforcing the state's responsibilities under the Uniformed and Overseas Citizens Absentee Voting Act (UOCAVA), as set forth in the U.S.C., Title 42, Section 1973ff, et seq.; ~~and~~

~~(15)~~(16) establish and maintain a statewide voter registration database that shall be administered by the commission and made continuously available to each county board of voter registration and elections and to other agencies as authorized by law~~.~~;

(17) promulgate regulations for voter registrations performed by private entities; and

(18) enter into the master file a separate designation for each voter casting an absentee ballot or an early ballot in an election.

(D) The State Election Commission shall publish on the commission's website each change to voting procedures enacted by state or local governments. State and local governments shall file notice of all changes in voting procedures, including, but not limited to, changes to precincts with the State Election Commission within five days after adoption of the change or thirty‑five days prior to the implementation, whichever is earlier. All voting procedure changes must remain on the commission's website at least through the date of the next general election. However, if changes are made within three months prior to the next general election, then the changes shall remain on the commission's website through the date of the following general election.”

SECTION 30. Section 7-3-25 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7‑3‑25. (A) In the event that the State Election Commission, acting through its executive director, determines that a county board of elections and voter registration has failed to comply with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the conduct of the election or voter registration process, the State Election Commission, acting through its executive director or other designee, must supervise, pursuant to Section 7‑3‑20(C)(1) and (2), the county board to the extent necessary to:

(1) identify the failure to comply with state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes;

(2) establish a plan to correct the failure; and

(3) implement the plan to correct the failure. The officials and employees of the State Election Commission and the county board must work together, in good faith, to remedy the failure of the county board to adhere to state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, procedures, or standardized processes. In the event of a difference of policy or opinion between a county election official or employee and the State Election Commission or its designee, pertaining to the manner in which particular functions must be performed, the policy or opinion of the State Election Commission shall control.

(B) If a county board of voter registration and elections does not or cannot determine and certify the results of an election or referendum for which it is responsible by the time set for certification by applicable law, the responsibility to determine and certify the results is devolved upon the State Election Commission.

(C) If the State Election Commission determines that an official or an employee of a county board of voter registration and elections has negligently failed to comply with applicable state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes with regard to the election or voter registration process or fails to comply with or cooperate with the corrective plan established by the State Election Commission or its designee under the provisions of subsection (A), the commission may order the decertification of that official or employee and if decertified the commission shall require that official to participate in a retraining program approved by the commission prior to recertification. If the commission finds that the failure to comply with state or federal law or State Election Commission policies, ~~and~~ procedures, or standardized processes by an official is wilful, it shall recommend the termination of that official to the Governor or it shall recommend termination of a staff member to the director of the appropriate county board of voter registration and elections.”

SECTION 31. Article 1, Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑5‑50. Notwithstanding another provision of law, the State Election Commission and the county boards of voter registration and elections may not receive, accept, or expend gifts, donations, or funding from private individuals, corporations, partnerships, trusts, or any third party not provided through ordinary state or county appropriations.”

SECTION 32. Chapter 5, Title 7 of the 1976 Code of Laws is amended by adding:

“Section 7-5-190. The State Election Commission shall ensure that voter registration information, the voting system, and electronic poll books are protected by security measures that meet or exceed current best practices for protecting data integrity. To do so, the State Election Commission shall consider security standards and best practices issued by federal security and intelligence services, including, but not limited to, the Department of Homeland Security and the Election Assistance Commission. The State Election Commission shall certify on an annual basis to the Governor, the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Representatives that the agency has substantially complied with the requirements of this subsection.”

SECTION 33. A. Section 7-3-70 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“(c) The Department of Motor Vehicles must furnish the executive director a monthly report of all non-United States citizens who are issued a driver’s license or identification card. All reports must contain the name of the driver or identification cardholder, social security number, if any, and date of birth. The department must provide this information at no charge.

B. The first monthly report provided by the Department of Motor Vehicles pursuant to this SECTION must include every non-United States citizen in this State with a driver’s license or identification card.”

SECTION 34. Section 7-13-35 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-13-35. The authority charged by law with conducting an election must publish two notices of general, municipal, special, and primary elections held in the county in a newspaper of general circulation in the county or municipality, as appropriate. Included in each notice must be a reminder of the last day persons may register to be eligible to vote in the election for which notice is given, notification of the date, time, and location of the hearing on ballots challenged in the election, a list of the precincts involved in the election, the location of the polling places in each of the precincts, and notification that the process of examining the return-addressed envelopes containing absentee ballots may begin at ~~2:00 p.m.~~ 7:00 a.m. on the second day immediately preceding election day at a place designated in the notice by the authority charged with conducting the election. The first notice must appear not later than sixty days before the election and the second notice must appear not later than two weeks after the first notice.”

SECTION 35. Chapter 3, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-3-45. Each county probate court must furnish to the Executive Director of the State Election Commission a monthly report of all persons eighteen years of age or older who have been declared mentally incapacitated by the county probate court. All reports must include the name, county of residence, social security number or other identification number, and date and place of birth of any incapacitated persons. The county probate court must provide the information to the Executive Director of the State Election Commision free of charge.”

SECTION 36. The State Election Commission must establish a voter education program concerning the provisions contained in this legislation. The State Elections Commission must educate the public as follows:

(1) Post information concerning changes contained in this legislation in a conspicuous location at each county board of registration and elections, each satellite office, the State Elections Commission office, and their respective websites.

(2) Train poll managers and poll workers at their mandatory training sessions to answer questions by electors concerning the changes in this legislation.

(3) Require documentation describing the changes in this legislation to be disseminated by poll managers and poll workers at every election held from the effective date of this act until October 21, 2022.

(4) Coordinate with each county board of voter registration and elections so that at least one seminar is conducted with each county’s election officials prior to September 16, 2022.

(5) Coordinate with local and service organizations to provide for additional informational seminars at a local or statewide level.

(6) Send a media release describing the changes in this legislation in South Carolina newspapers of general circulation by no later than June 20, 2022.

(7) Coordinate with local media outlets to disseminate information concerning the changes in this legislation.

In addition to the items above, the State Election Commission may implement additional educational programs in its discretion.

SECTION 37. Section 7-15-310 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 7-15-310. (7) ‘Authorized representative’ means a registered elector who, with the voter's permission, acts on behalf of a voter unable to go to the polls because of illness or disability resulting in his confinement in a hospital, sanatorium, nursing home, or place of residence, or a voter unable because of a physical handicap to go to his polling place or because of a handicap is unable to vote at his polling place due to existing architectural barriers that deny him physical access to the polling place, voting booth, or voting apparatus or machinery. Under no circumstance shall a candidate, ~~or~~ a member of a candidate's paid campaign staff, or a campaign volunteer ~~volunteers reimbursed for the time they expend on campaign activity~~ be considered an ‘authorized representative’ of an elector desiring to vote by absentee ballot.’

SECTION 38. Article 5, Chapter 15, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-15-400. No absentee ballot application or absentee ballot may be provided by an election official to a qualified elector unless pursuant to a provision of this article or Article 9 of this chapter.”

SECTION 39. Chapter 25, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7-25-65. (A) It is unlawful for a person to provide, offer to provide, or accept anything of value in exchange for requesting, collecting, or delivering an absentee ballot. A person who violates this section is guilty of a felony and, upon conviction, must be fined not less than one thousand dollars nor more than five thousand dollars and imprisoned not more than five years.

(B) This section does not apply to an election official in the course and scope of the election official’s duties or a public or private mail service provider acting in the course and scope of the mail service provider’s duties to carry and deliver mail.”

SECTION 40. Section 7-25-180 of the 1976 Code of Laws is amended to read:

“Section 7-25-180. (A) ~~It is unlawful on an election day within two hundred feet of any entrance used by the voters to enter the polling place for a person to distribute any type of campaign literature or place any political posters~~. It is unlawful for a person to distribute any type of campaign literature or place any political posters within five hundred feet of any entrance used by the voters to enter the polling place, during polling hours on an election day and during the early voting period. The poll manager shall use every reasonable means to keep the area within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of any such entrance clear of political literature and displays, and the county and municipal law enforcement officers, upon request of a poll manager, shall remove or cause to be removed any material within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of any such entrance distributed or displayed in violation of this section.

(B) A candidate may wear within ~~two~~ five hundred feet of the polling place a label no larger than four and one‑fourth inches by four and one‑fourth inches that contains the candidate's name and the office he is seeking. If the candidate enters the polling place, he may not display any of this identification including, but not limited to, campaign stickers or buttons.”

SECTION 41. A. Any changes to forms required by this act must be implemented as soon as possible, but not later than May 31, 2022.

B. Notwithstanding the provisions of this act, a county board of voter registration and elections must honor any request made for absentee ballot for an election during the 2022 calendar year, provided that the request was: (1) received by the county board of voter registration and elections before 5:00 p.m. on May 31, 2022; and (2) made in accordance with the law as of April 21, 2022.

C. An absentee ballot requested prior to the Governor’s approval of this act must not be counted towards the limit on absentee ballot requests as prescribed in Section 7-15-330(B)(4), as added by this act.

D. For the 2022 statewide elections, each county board of voter registration and elections must identify each early voting center it intends to utilize and provide the locations to the State Election Commission Executive Director as follows: (1) for the primary election, no later than May 24, 2022; and (2) for the general election, no later than July 1, 2022. The Executive Director must approve any additions or changes to these early voting centers, and may direct the move of early voting centers to ensure proper distribution throughout each county.

SECTION 42. Section 7‑15‑470 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

SECTION 43. The General Assembly finds that the sections presented in this act constitute one subject as required by Section 17, Article III of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895, in particular finding that each change and each topic relates directly to or in conjunction with other sections to the subject of election reform as clearly enumerated in the title.

The General Assembly further finds that a common purpose or relationship exists among the sections, representing a potential plurality but not disunity of topics, notwithstanding that reasonable minds might differ in identifying more than one topic contained in the act.

SECTION 44. The repeal or amendment by this act of any law, whether temporary or permanent or civil or criminal, does not affect pending actions, rights, duties, or liabilities founded thereon, or alter, discharge, release or extinguish any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under the repealed or amended law, unless the repealed or amended provision shall so expressly provide. After the effective date of this act, all laws repealed or amended by this act must be taken and treated as remaining in full force and effect for the purpose of sustaining any pending or vested right, civil action, special proceeding, criminal prosecution, or appeal existing as of the effective date of this act, and for the enforcement of rights, duties, penalties, forfeitures, and liabilities as they stood under the repealed or amended laws.

SECTION 45. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective.

SECTION 46. A. Except as provided in B. and C. below, all SECTIONS shall take effect upon approval by the Governor.

B. SECTION 3 shall take effect on January 1, 2023.

C. SECTIONS 4 and 7 shall take effect on July 1, 2022. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. MORGAN explained the amendment.

Rep. B. NEWTON moved to adjourn debate on the Bill.

Rep. MAGNUSON moved to table the motion.

Rep. MAY demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 41; Nays 68

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Bailey | Blackwell |
| Burns | Bustos | Carter |
| Chumley | Dabney | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Forrest | Fry | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Herbkersman | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | Jones | Ligon |
| Long | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | T. Moore |
| Morgan | V. S. Moss | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Thayer |
| Trantham | West | White |
| Willis | Yow |  |

**Total--41**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Ballentine | Bamberg | Bannister |
| Bennett | Bernstein | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Calhoon | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Daning | Dillard | Finlay |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Hardee | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Hewitt |
| Hosey | Howard | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| Jordan | King | Kirby |
| Lowe | Matthews | McCravy |
| McDaniel | McGarry | J. Moore |
| D. C. Moss | Murphy | Murray |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Ott |
| Parks | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Tedder | Thigpen |
| Weeks | Wetmore | Whitmire |
| R. Williams | Wooten |  |

**Total--68**

So, the House refused to table the motion.

The question then recurred to the motion to adjourn debate, which was agreed to.

**SPEAKER IN CHAIR**

**H. 5278--ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Joint Resolution was taken up:

H. 5278 -- Rep. G. M. Smith: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTINUING AUTHORITY TO PAY THE EXPENSES OF STATE GOVERNMENT IF THE 2022-2023 FISCAL YEAR BEGINS WITHOUT A GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS ACT FOR THAT YEAR IN EFFECT, AND TO PROVIDE EXCEPTIONS.

Rep. SIMRILL explained the Joint Resolution.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 107; Nays 1

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Bamberg |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brawley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Garvin |
| Gilliam | Gilliard | Govan |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hiott | Hixon |
| Hosey | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | Matthews | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McDaniel |
| McGarry | J. Moore | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | Murray | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Ott | Parks | Pendarvis |
| Pope | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | White |
| Whitmire | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--107**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Hill |  |  |

**Total--1**

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

**S. 1032--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1032 -- Senators Martin, Verdin, Kimbrell, Garrett, Senn and Climer: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 23-3-80 SO AS TO CREATE THE ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT UNIT WITHIN THE SOUTH CAROLINA LAW ENFORCEMENT DIVISION, TO PROVIDE FOR ITS ADMINISTRATION AND DUTIES, AND TO REQUIRE A MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT WITH UNITED STATES IMMIGRATION AND CUSTOMS ENFORCEMENT; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 23-6-60 RELATING TO THE CREATION OF THE ILLEGAL IMMIGRATION ENFORCEMENT UNIT WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF SAFETY.

Rep. MURPHY moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 1087--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1087 -- Senators Peeler, Alexander, Kimbrell, Shealy, Turner, Climer, M. Johnson, Martin, Corbin, Davis, Massey, Rice, Adams, Garrett, Cash, Young, Malloy, Williams, Loftis, Gambrell, Talley, Cromer, Scott, Jackson, Stephens, Campsen, Verdin, Grooms, McElveen and Gustafson: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, SO AS TO ENACT THE "COMPREHENSIVE TAX CUT ACT OF 2022"; TO AMEND SECTION 12-6-510, RELATING TO THE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX, SO AS TO REDUCE THE TOP MARGINAL RATE TO 5.7 PERCENT; TO AMEND SECTION 12-6-1171, RELATING TO THE MILITARY RETIREMENT DEDUCTION, SO AS TO EXEMPT ALL MILITARY RETIREMENT INCOME; TO AMEND SECTION 12-37-220, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS, SO AS TO INCREASE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURING PROPERTY; TO APPROPRIATE ONE BILLION DOLLARS FROM THE CONTINGENCY RESERVE FUND TO THE TAXPAYER REBATE FUND TO PROVIDE REBATES TO TAXPAYERS; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 12-6-515 RELATING TO AN ARCHAIC INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX PROVISION.

The Committee on Ways and Means proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 1087 (COUNCIL\DG\1087C002.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Section 12‑6‑510 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 12‑6‑510. (A) Subject to the provisions of subsection (B), for taxable years beginning after 1994, a tax is imposed on the South Carolina taxable income of individuals, estates, and trusts and any other entity except those taxed or exempted from taxation under Sections 12‑6‑530 through 12‑6‑550 computed at the following rates with the income brackets indexed in accordance with Section 12‑6‑520:

Not over $2,220 2.5 percent of taxable income

Over $2,220 but not over $4,440 $56 plus 3 percent of the excess over $2,220;

Over $4,440 but not over $6,660 $123 plus 4 percent of the excess over $4,440;

Over $6,660 but not over $8,880 $212 plus 5 percent of the excess of $6,660;

Over $8,880 but not over $11,100 $323 plus 6 percent of the excess over $8,880;

Over $11,100 $456 plus 7 percent of the excess over $11,100.

(B)(1) Notwithstanding subsection (A), for taxable years beginning after 2021, a tax is imposed on the South Carolina taxable income of individuals, estates, and trusts and any other entity except those taxed or exempted from taxation under Sections 12‑6‑530 through 12‑6‑550 computed at the following rates with the income brackets indexed in accordance with Section 12‑6‑520:

At Least But less than Compute the tax as follows

$0 $3,200 0% times the amount

$3,200 $16,040 3% times the amount minus $96

$16,040 or more 6% times the amount minus $577

(2) Notwithstanding the provisions of item (1), the reduction in the top marginal rate contained in this item, as compared to the same in subsection (A), must be phased‑in as provided in item (3). Until the top marginal rate is fully phased‑in, the bracket to which this reduced top marginal rate applies must be the same as the bracket for the top marginal rate provided in subsection (A). All reductions are permanent and cumulative. During the phase‑in and after, the department shall continue to adjust the brackets as provided in Section 12‑6‑520. Other than the top marginal rate, no other component of this item is phased-in.

(3) For Tax Year 2022, the top marginal rate shall equal 6.5%. Beginning with Tax Year 2023, and each year thereafter until the top marginal rate equals 6%, the top marginal rate must decrease by one‑tenth of one percent if general fund revenues are projected to increase by at least five percent in the fiscal year that begins during the tax year. For purposes of this subsection, beginning with the initial forecast required pursuant to Section 11‑9‑1130, the general fund revenues projection must be determined by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office by comparing the current fiscal year’s recurring general fund expenditure base with the Board of Economic Advisors’ most recent projection of recurring general fund revenue for the upcoming fiscal year. Upon the issuance of the initial forecast, the Executive Director of the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office, or his designee, shall notify the Department of Revenue of the projected percentage adjustment. The executive director, or his designee, shall provide similar notice if subsequent modifications to the forecast change the projected percentage adjustment. However, the forecast in effect on February fifteenth of the current fiscal year is the final forecast for which the percentage adjustment is determined, and no subsequent forecast modifications may have any effect on that determination. For purposes of this section, ‘recurring general fund revenue’ and ‘recurring general fund expenditure base’ have the same meaning as provided in Section 6‑27‑30.

(C) The department may prescribe tax tables consistent with the rates set pursuant to ~~subsection (A)~~ this section.”

SECTION 2. A. Section 12‑6‑1171(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A)~~(1)~~ An individual taxpayer ~~who has~~ may deduct all military retirement income~~, each year may deduct an amount of his South Carolina earned income from South Carolina taxable income equal to the amount of military retirement income that is included in South Carolina taxable income, not to exceed seventeen thousand five hundred dollars. In the case of married taxpayers who file a joint federal income tax return, the deduction allowed by this section shall be calculated separately as though they had not filed a joint return, so that each individual’s deduction is based on the same individual’s retirement income and earned income. For purposes of this item, ‘South Carolina earned income’ has the same meaning as provided in Section 12‑6‑3330.~~

~~(2)~~ ~~Notwithstanding item (1), beginning in the year in which an individual taxpayer reaches age sixty‑five, an individual taxpayer who has military retirement income may deduct up to thirty thousand dollars of military retirement income~~ that is included in South Carolina taxable income.”

B. This SECTION takes effect upon approval by the Governor and first applies to tax years beginning after 2021.

SECTION 3. A. Section 12‑6‑515 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

B. This SECTION takes effect on January first of the first tax year in which the provisions of Section 12-6-510(B) are fully phased-in and the top marginal rate equals six percent.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. SIMRILL explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. SIMRILL proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1087 (COUNCIL\DG\1087C004.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding appropriately numbered SECTIONS to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. A. Section 12‑37‑220(52) of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 39 of 2021, is further amended to read:

“(52)(a)(i) 14.2857 percent of the property tax value of manufacturing property assessed for property tax purposes pursuant to Section 12‑43‑220(a)(1). The exemption allowed by this item does not apply to property owned or leased by a public utility, as defined in Section 58‑3‑5, that is regulated by the Public Service Commission, regardless of whether the property is used for manufacturing. For purposes of this item, if the exemption is applied to real property, then it must be applied to the property tax value as it may be adjusted downward to reflect the limit imposed pursuant to Section 6, Article X of the South Carolina Constitution, 1895;

(ii) To the extent any such monies are refunded or otherwise credited under this item to a public utility that is regulated by the Public Service Commission, regardless of whether the property is used for manufacturing, any such refund or credits must be flowed through to customers as a reduction in rates, as appropriate.

(b) The revenue loss resulting from the exemption allowed by this item must be reimbursed and allocated to the political subdivisions of this State, including school districts, in the same manner as the Trust Fund for Tax Relief, not to exceed ~~eighty‑five~~ one hundred seventy million dollars per year. In calculating estimated state individual and corporate income tax revenues for a fiscal year, the Board of Economic Advisors shall deduct amounts sufficient to account for the reimbursement required by this item.

(c) Notwithstanding the exemption allowed by this item, in any year in which reimbursements are projected by the Revenue and Fiscal Affairs Office to exceed the reimbursement cap in subitem (b), the exemption amount shall be proportionally reduced so as not to exceed the reimbursement cap.

(d) Notwithstanding any other provision of law, property exempted from property taxes in the manner provided in this item is considered taxable property for purposes of bonded indebtedness pursuant to Section 15, Article X of the Constitution of this State.”

B. This SECTION takes effect upon approval by the Governor and applies to property tax years after 2021.

SECTION \_\_\_. (A) From the Contingency Reserve Fund, there is appropriated one dollar to the Taxpayer Rebate Fund which is created in the State Treasury. The fund is separate and distinct from the general fund and all other funds of the State.

(B) The fund must be used by the Department of Revenue to provide a one‑time rebate for individual income taxpayers that filed a return for tax year 2021. Each return filed for 2021 shall receive a rebate equal to the amount of tax liability on the return, except that:

(1) if a return has one dollar or less of liability, the rebate shall equal one dollar, and

(2) if a return has one dollar or more of liability, the rebate shall equal one dollar.

The department must issue these refunds by December 31, 2022.

(C) The department may retain funds sufficient to administer the rebate, but not to exceed their actual costs.

(D) Any funds remaining in the fund after every rebate has been accounted for shall lapse to the Contingency Reserve Fund, at which time the fund is dissolved.

(e) Rebates in the amount of one dollar shall not be disbursed. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. SIMRILL explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. BRAWLEY proposed the following Amendment No. 3 to   
S. 1087 (COUNCIL\SA\1087C001.JN.SA22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ “SECTION \_\_. A. Section 12‑37‑250(A)(1) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(1) The first ~~fifty~~ seventy‑five thousand dollars of the fair market value of the dwelling place of a person is exempt from county, municipal, school, and special assessment real estate property taxes when the person:

(i) has been a resident of this State for at least one year and has reached the age of sixty‑five years on or before December thirty‑first;

(ii) has been classified as totally and permanently disabled by a state or federal agency having the function of classifying persons; or

(iii) is legally blind as defined in Section 43‑25‑20, preceding the tax year in which the exemption is claimed and holds complete fee simple title or a life estate to the dwelling place. A person claiming to be totally and permanently disabled, but who has not been classified by one of the agencies, may apply to the state agency of Vocational Rehabilitation. The agency shall make an evaluation of the person using its own standards.”

B. Section 12‑37‑245 of the 1976 Code is repealed.

C. This SECTION takes effect upon approval by the Governor and applies for property tax years beginning after 2020. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. BRAWLEY explained the amendment.

Rep. SIMRILL moved to table the amendment.

Rep. COBB-HUNTER demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 41

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Collins |
| W. Cox | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | J. E. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | Ligon |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Oremus |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Bamberg | Bernstein | Brawley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Dillard |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Hart | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Hill | Hosey | Howard |
| Jefferson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Long |
| Matthews | McDaniel | Murray |
| Nutt | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Thigpen | Weeks | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--41**

So, the amendment was tabled.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 110; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brawley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Dillard | Elliott |
| Erickson | Felder | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Garvin | Gilliam | Gilliard |
| Govan | Haddon | Hardee |
| Hart | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| J. Moore | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| Murray | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Parks | Pendarvis | Pope |
| Rivers | Robinson | Rose |
| Rutherford | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Thigpen |
| Trantham | Weeks | West |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | White |
| Whitmire | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--110**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

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

Further proceedings were interrupted by expiration of time on the uncontested Calendar.

**S. 1314--RECALLED FROM COMMITTEE ON REGULATIONS AND ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES**

On motion of Rep. HUGGINS, with unanimous consent, the following Joint Resolution was ordered recalled from the Committee on Regulations and Administrative Procedures:

S. 1314 -- Transportation Committee: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO APPROVE REGULATIONS OF THE DEPARTMENT OF MOTOR VEHICLES, RELATING TO DRIVER TRAINING SCHOOLS, DESIGNATED AS REGULATION DOCUMENT NUMBER 5105, PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF ARTICLE 1, CHAPTER 23, TITLE 1 OF THE 1976 CODE.

**S. 152--REQUESTS FOR DEBATE WITHDRAWN**

Reps. JEFFERSON, MURRAY, HART and NUTT with unanimous consent, withdrew their requests for debate on the following Bill:

S. 152 -- Senators Davis, Campsen, Goldfinch, Senn, M. Johnson, Hutto, Malloy, Harpootlian, Cromer, Matthews, K. Johnson, Rice, Hembree, Scott, Climer and Kimpson: A BILL TO ENACT THE "COUNTY GREEN SPACE SALES TAX ACT"; TO AMEND CHAPTER 10, TITLE 4 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO COUNTY LOCAL SALES AND USE TAXES, BY ADDING ARTICLE 10, TO CREATE THE COUNTY GREEN SPACE SALES TAX, TO IMPOSE THE TAX, TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONTENTS OF THE BALLOT AND THE PURPOSE FOR WHICH TAX PROCEEDS MAY BE USED, TO PROVIDE FOR THE IMPOSITION AND TERMINATION OF THE TAX, TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SHALL ADMINISTER AND COLLECT THE TAX, TO PROVIDE FOR DISTRIBUTIONS TO COUNTIES AND CONFIDENTIALITY, AND TO PROVIDE FOR UNIDENTIFIED FUNDS, TRANSFERS, AND SUPPLEMENTAL DISTRIBUTIONS.

**H. 3346--SENATE AMENDMENTS AMENDED AND RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 3346 -- Reps. W. Cox, White, Fry, Haddon, Long, Forrest, G. M. Smith, Caskey, Gagnon, Hyde, West, Thayer, Ligon, Daning, Erickson, Bradley, Weeks, B. Newton, McGarry, Carter, Calhoon and Hixon: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 11-11-310, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE STATUTORY GENERAL RESERVE FUND, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE GENERAL RESERVE FUND OF FIVE PERCENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE OF THE LATEST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR MUST BE INCREASED EACH YEAR BY ONE-HALF OF ONE PERCENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE OF THE LATEST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR UNTIL IT EQUALS SEVEN PERCENT OF SUCH REVENUES; TO AMEND SECTION 11-11-320, RELATING TO THE STATUTORY CAPITAL RESERVE FUND OF TWO PERCENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE OF THE LATEST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR, SO AS TO INCREASE IT TO THREE PERCENT OF GENERAL FUND REVENUE OF THE LATEST COMPLETED FISCAL YEAR; AND TO PROVIDE THAT THE ABOVE PROVISIONS TAKE EFFECT UPON RATIFICATION OF AMENDMENTS TO SECTION 36, ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE PROVIDING FOR THE ABOVE.

Rep. W. COX proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to H. 3346 (COUNCIL\DG\3346C001.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. Section 11‑11‑310 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 11‑11‑310. (A) The State Fiscal Accountability Authority shall provide for a General Reserve Fund. Funds accumulating in excess of the annual operating expenditures must be transferred to the General Reserve Fund and the transfer must continue to be made in succeeding fiscal years until the accumulated total in this reserve reaches an amount equal to the applicable percentage amount of the general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year.

(B) If there is a year‑end operating deficit, so much of the General Reserve Fund as is necessary must be used to cover the deficit. The amount so applied must be restored to the General Reserve Fund out of future revenues as provided in Section 36, Article III of the Constitution of this State and out of funds accumulating in excess of annual operating expenditures as provided in this section until the applicable percentage amount is reached and actually maintained.

(C) In the event of a year‑end operating deficit, so much of the reserve fund as may be necessary must be used to cover the deficit, and the amount must be restored to the reserve fund within five fiscal years out of future revenues until the applicable percentage amount required to be transferred to the General Reserve Fund, is reached and maintained. Provided, that a minimum of one percent of the general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year, if so much is necessary, must be restored to the reserve fund each year following the deficit until the applicable percentage amount required by general law to be transferred to the General Reserve Fund is restored.

(D) For purposes of this section ‘applicable percentage amount’ means ~~five~~ seven percent of general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year. The ~~five~~ seven percent requirement shall be reached by adding a cumulative one‑half of one percent of such revenue in each fiscal year succeeding the last fiscal year to which the ~~three~~ five percent limit applied until the percentage of such revenue equals ~~five~~ seven percent which then and thereafter shall apply.”

SECTION 2. A. Section 11‑11‑320(A) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(A) The General Assembly, in the annual general appropriations act, shall appropriate, out of the estimated revenue of the general fund for the fiscal year for which the appropriations are made, into a Capital Reserve Fund, which is separate and distinct from the General Reserve Fund, an amount equal to ~~two~~ three percent of the general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year.”

B. Notwithstanding the percentage of general fund revenue required pursuant to Section 11-11-320(A), as amended by this act, the increase in the percentage amount is phased-in in four equal and cumulative percentage installments.

SECTION 3. (A) The provisions of SECTION 1 of this act take effect upon the ratification of an amendment to Section 36(A), Article III of the Constitution of this State raising the general reserve fund from five percent of general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year to seven percent of such revenues in the manner provided in the section and first applies to the state fiscal year beginning thereafter.

(B) The provisions of SECTION 2 of this act take effect upon the ratification of an amendment to Section 36(B), Article III of the Constitution of this State raising the capital reserve fund from two percent of the general fund revenue of the latest completed fiscal year to three percent of such revenues in the manner provided in SECTION 2.B. and first applies to the state fiscal year beginning thereafter. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. W. COX explained the amendment.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 108; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Bamberg |
| Bannister | Bennett | Bernstein |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brawley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Dillard | Elliott |
| Erickson | Felder | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Garvin |
| Gilliam | Gilliard | Govan |
| Haddon | Hardee | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Hosey | Howard |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jefferson |
| J. E. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | King | Kirby |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | Matthews |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McDaniel | McGarry | J. Moore |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | Murray |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Thigpen | Trantham | Weeks |
| West | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| White | Whitmire | R. Williams |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--108**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

The Senate Amendments were amended, and the Bill was ordered returned to the Senate.

**H. 5150--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 5150 -- Ways and Means Committee: A BILL TO MAKE APPROPRIATIONS AND TO PROVIDE REVENUES TO MEET THE ORDINARY EXPENSES OF STATE GOVERNMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 2022, TO REGULATE THE EXPENDITURE OF SUCH FUNDS, AND TO FURTHER PROVIDE FOR THE OPERATION OF STATE GOVERNMENT DURING THIS FISCAL YEAR AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Rep. SIMRILL moved to adjourn debate on the Senate Amendments, which was agreed to.

**H. 4986--SENATE AMENDMENTS AMENDED AND RETURNED TO THE SENATE**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 4986 -- Rep. Ott: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 50-5-555, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO TRAP PLACEMENT, SO AS TO PROHIBIT TRAPS IN THE WATERS OF THE GENERAL TRAWL ZONE WHEN THESE WATERS ARE OPEN TO TRAWLING FOR SHRIMP.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 1A to H. 4986 (COUNCIL\PH\4986C004.JN.PH22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by adding an appropriately numbered SECTION to read:

/ SECTION \_\_\_. Section 50‑11‑2540 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 50‑11‑2540. (A) It is lawful to trap furbearing animals for commercial purposes from December first of each year to March first of the succeeding year. It is lawful for an individual, or an individual’s agent, to trap furbearing animals on the individual’s private land for a noncommercial purpose with only a valid statewide hunting license during the established open hunting season. It is unlawful to trap any other times unless authorized by the department. It is lawful to take furbearing animals by other lawful means during the general open hunting seasons established therefor.

(B) It is lawful to trap coyotes from December first of each year to March first of the succeeding year. It is unlawful to trap coyotes at any other time unless authorized by the department. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 50‑11‑1080, it is lawful to take coyotes by other lawful means at any time during the year.

(C) It is lawful for an individual, or an individual’s agent, to trap beavers on the individual’s private land for a noncommercial purpose with only a valid statewide hunting license year round.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 107; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | Matthews | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| J. Moore | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| Murray | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Pendarvis | Pope | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Tedder | Thayer |
| Trantham | Weeks | West |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | White |
| Whitmire | R. Williams | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--107**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

The Senate Amendments were amended, and the Bill was ordered returned to the Senate.

**H. 3006--SENATE AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN AND BILL ENROLLED**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 3006 -- Reps. Brawley, Robinson, Cobb-Hunter, Haddon, Henegan, Hosey, J. L. Johnson, Govan, King, Gilliard, Murray, McDaniel, Henderson-Myers and Garvin: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 59-63-785 SO AS TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS MAY NOT USE DEBT COLLECTION AGENCIES TO COLLECT OR ATTEMPT TO COLLECT OUTSTANDING DEBTS ON STUDENT SCHOOL LUNCH OR BREAKFAST ACCOUNTS, TO PROVIDE PUBLIC SCHOOLS AND PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICTS MAY NOT ASSESS OR COLLECT ANY INTEREST, FEES, OR OTHER SUCH MONETARY PENALTIES FOR OUTSTANDING DEBTS FOR STUDENT SCHOOL LUNCH OR BREAKFAST ACCOUNTS, AND TO PROVIDE THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT APPLY TO DEBTS ON STUDENT LUNCH AND BREAKFAST ACCOUNTS OUTSTANDING ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT AND INCURRED AFTER THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT.

Rep. FELDER explained the Senate Amendments.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 109; Nays 0

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Alexander | Allison | Anderson |
| Atkinson | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bamberg | Bannister | Bennett |
| Bernstein | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brawley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Dillard |
| Elliott | Erickson | Felder |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Garvin | Gilliam |
| Gilliard | Govan | Haddon |
| Hardee | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Hosey |
| Howard | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jefferson | J. E. Johnson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| King | Kirby | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | Matthews | May |
| McCravy | McDaniel | McGarry |
| J. Moore | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| Murray | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Ott |
| Parks | Pendarvis | Pope |
| Rivers | Robinson | Rose |
| Rutherford | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Tedder | Thayer | Trantham |
| Weeks | West | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | White | Whitmire |
| R. Williams | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--109**

Those who voted in the negative are:

**Total--0**

The Senate Amendments were agreed to, and the Bill having received three readings in both Houses, it was ordered that the title be changed to that of an Act, and that it be enrolled for ratification.

**H. 4608--SENATE AMENDMENTS CONCURRED IN AND BILL ENROLLED**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 4608 -- Reps. Trantham, Oremus, Burns, McCravy, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, B. Cox, Bennett, McGarry, Taylor, Jones, Gilliam, Yow, Hixon, Hill, Gagnon, Whitmire, Haddon, Bannister, Magnuson, May, Dabney, Long, Willis, McCabe, Morgan, Bryant, V. S. Moss, Nutt, T. Moore, Forrest, Bailey, West, Thayer, White, McKnight, Atkinson, Fry, Caskey, Blackwell, Ballentine, Wooten, Huggins, Chumley and Hiott: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "SAVE WOMEN'S SPORTS ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 59-1-500 SO AS TO EXPRESS LEGISLATIVE INTENT AND MAKE CERTAIN FINDINGS; TO REQUIRE GENDER-BASED OR COEDUCATIONAL DESIGNATION OF CERTAIN PUBLIC SECONDARY AND POSTSECONDARY SCHOOL SPORTS TEAMS; TO PROVIDE SUCH SPORTS TEAMS DESIGNATED FOR MALES MAY BE OPEN TO FEMALE STUDENT PARTICIPANTS; TO PROVIDE SUCH SPORTS TEAMS DESIGNATED FOR FEMALES MAY NOT BE OPEN TO MALE PARTICIPANTS; TO PROVIDE ASSUMPTIONS CONCERNING THE CORRECTNESS OF BIOLOGICAL GENDER STATEMENTS ON OFFICIAL BIRTH CERTIFICATES OF STUDENTS; AND TO PROVIDE REMEDIES TO STUDENTS AND SCHOOLS FOR VIOLATIONS OF THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ACT.

Rep. TRANTHAM explained the Senate Amendments.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 70; Nays 33

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Atkinson | Bailey |
| Ballentine | Bannister | Bennett |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Davis | Elliott |
| Erickson | Felder | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | Jones |
| Jordan | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | Wheeler | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--70**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Hosey | Howard | Jefferson |
| J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | King |
| Kirby | McDaniel | J. Moore |
| Murray | Ott | Parks |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Weeks | Wetmore | R. Williams |

**Total--33**

The Senate Amendments were agreed to, and the Bill having received three readings in both Houses, it was ordered that the title be changed to that of an Act, and that it be enrolled for ratification.

RECORD FOR VOTING

Throughout the debate on H. 4608, I have struggled with how to vote. It has been a difficult decision to make when I truly love children and the last thing I would want to do is to cause any harm to any child.

Initially, I voted in favor of the Save Women’s Sports Act during the second and third reading of the Bill. After my votes, I was contacted by parents of children struggling with their identity questioning why I did not support their children and explaining the potential harm that could be caused by this legislation. Although I still struggle with this issue, I have decided that it should be up to the parents to make important decisions for their children and not the government.

For all the reasons I have mentioned above, I voted to nonconcur in the Senate Amendments to H. 4608.

Rep. Patricia Henegan

**H. 4075--POINT OF ORDER**

The Senate Amendments to the following Bill were taken up for consideration:

H. 4075 -- Reps. Wetmore, Stavrinakis and Weeks: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 23-3-430, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE SEX OFFENDER REGISTRY, SO AS TO CONFORM THE REGISTRATION PROVISIONS FOR SECOND DEGREE CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT WITH A MINOR TO THIRD DEGREE CRIMINAL SEXUAL CONDUCT WITH A MINOR.

**POINT OF ORDER**

Rep. MURPHY made the Point of Order that the Senate Amendments were improperly before the House for consideration since its number and title have not been printed in the House Calendar at least one statewide legislative day prior to such reading.

The SPEAKER sustained the Point of Order.

**MOTION PERIOD**

The motion period was dispensed with on motion of Rep. SIMRILL.

**H. 4879--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Joint Resolution was taken up:

H. 4879 -- Reps. G. M. Smith, Lucas, Simrill, Erickson, Elliott, W. Cox, White, B. Newton, McGarry, Bradley, Taylor, Calhoon, Daning and W. Newton: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO CREATE THE "STUDENT FLEXIBILITY IN EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP FUND", TO PROVIDE FOR FUNDING, TO PROVIDE FOR QUALIFICATIONS, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE PROGRAM.

Rep. SIMRILL moved to adjourn debate on the Joint Resolution, which was agreed to.

**H. 4997--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

H. 4997 -- Reps. Herbkersman, West, B. Cox, Rutherford, W. Newton, Wooten, Caskey, Huggins, Ballentine, Weeks, R. Williams, Bradley and Erickson: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO TRANSFER FROM THE SOUTH CAROLINA MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION THE AUTHORITY AND RESPONSIBILITY FOR ESTABLISHING VETERANS NURSING HOMES AND TO DEVOLVE THOSE SAME DUTIES, RESPONSIBILITIES, AND FUNCTIONS UPON THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS; BY ADDING ARTICLE 7 TO CHAPTER 11, TITLE 25 SO AS TO AUTHORIZE THE DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS TO ESTABLISH AND OPERATE VETERANS NURSING HOMES; TO AMEND SECTION 43-35-520, RELATING TO VULNERABLE ADULT FATALITY INVESTIGATIONS, SO AS TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES; AND TO REPEAL SECTIONS 44-11-30 AND 44-11-40 RELATING TO VETERANS NURSING HOMES ESTABLISHED BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA MENTAL HEALTH COMMISSION.

Rep. G. M. SMITH moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 1136--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1136 -- Senators Loftis, Talley, Turner and Climer: A BILL TO ENACT THE "AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE INTERSTATE COMPACT ACT", TO AMEND CHAPTER 67, TITLE 40 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS AND AUDIOLOGISTS, BY ADDING ARTICLE 5, TO OUTLINE STATE PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPACT, TO OUTLINE PRIVILEGES FOR AUDIOLOGISTS AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGISTS RESULTING FROM THE COMPACT, TO ALLOW FOR THE PRACTICE OF TELEHEALTH, TO PROVIDE ACCOMMODATIONS FOR ACTIVE-DUTY MILITARY PERSONNEL AND THEIR SPOUSES, TO PROVIDE A MECHANISM FOR TAKING ADVERSE ACTIONS AGAINST LICENSEES, TO ESTABLISH THE AUDIOLOGY AND SPEECH-LANGUAGE PATHOLOGY COMPACT COMMISSION, TO ESTABLISH A DATA SYSTEM, TO OUTLINE THE RULEMAKING PROCESS, TO ADDRESS OVERSIGHT, DISPUTE RESOLUTION, AND ENFORCEMENT DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES, TO ESTABLISH THE DATE OF IMPLEMENTATION OF THE COMMISSION, RULES, WITHDRAWAL, AND AMENDMENTS, TO ADDRESS STATUTORY CONSTRUCTION, SEVERABILITY, AND THE BINDING EFFECT OF THE COMPACT; TO DESIGNATE THE EXISTING SECTIONS OF CHAPTER 67, TITLE 40 AS ARTICLE 1, ENTITLED "GENERAL PROVISIONS"; AND TO DEFINE NECESSARY TERMS.

Rep. G. M. SMITH moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 1011--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 1011 -- Senators Senn, Shealy, Stephens and Setzler: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE "SOUTH CAROLINA PARKINSON'S DISEASE RESEARCH COLLECTION ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 44-7-3240 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THE COLLECTION OF DATA ON THE INCIDENCE OF PARKINSON'S DISEASE BY THE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND TO ALLOW FOR DIAGNOSED PATIENTS TO PARTICIPATE VOLUNTARILY IN DATA COLLECTION; TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF A PARKINSON'S DISEASE ADVISORY BOARD AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE BOARD'S ROLES AND RESPONSIBILITIES; TO DEFINE TERMS; TO ESTABLISH REQUIREMENTS PERTAINING TO CONFIDENTIALITY AND DISSEMINATION OF COLLECTED INFORMATION AND RECORD KEEPING; TO REQUIRE REPORTING OF DATA BY HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND PROVIDERS; TO ALLOW THE MEDICAL UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA TO ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS TO FURTHER THE PROGRAM; AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Rep. SIMRILL moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**S. 888--DEBATE ADJOURNED**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 888 -- Senators M. Johnson, Kimbrell, Garrett, Adams, Climer and Young: A BILL TO AMEND CHAPTER 11, TITLE 40 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO CONTRACTORS, TO PROVIDE FOR A VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTION TO BE MADE UPON APPLICATION FOR A CONTRACTOR'S LICENSE TO BE APPLIED TO ACCREDITED PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER LEARNING OFFERING COURSES IN BUILDING SCIENCE OR CIVIL ENGINEERING; TO PROVIDE FOR DISTRIBUTION; AND TO IMPOSE A REPORTING REQUIREMENT.

Rep. G. M. SMITH moved to adjourn debate on the Bill, which was agreed to.

**SPEAKER *PRO TEMPORE* IN CHAIR**

**S. 1087--DEBATE ADJOURNED ON MOTION TO RECONSIDER**

Rep. G. M. SMITH moved to reconsider the vote whereby the following Bill was given second reading:

S. 1087 -- Senators Peeler, Alexander, Kimbrell, Shealy, Turner, Climer, M. Johnson, Martin, Corbin, Davis, Massey, Rice, Adams, Garrett, Cash, Young, Malloy, Williams, Loftis, Gambrell, Talley, Cromer, Scott, Jackson, Stephens, Campsen, Verdin, Grooms, McElveen and Gustafson: A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, SO AS TO ENACT THE "COMPREHENSIVE TAX CUT ACT OF 2022"; TO AMEND SECTION 12-6-510, RELATING TO THE INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX, SO AS TO REDUCE THE TOP MARGINAL RATE TO 5.7 PERCENT; TO AMEND SECTION 12-6-1171, RELATING TO THE MILITARY RETIREMENT DEDUCTION, SO AS TO EXEMPT ALL MILITARY RETIREMENT INCOME; TO AMEND SECTION 12-37-220, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS, SO AS TO INCREASE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURING PROPERTY; TO APPROPRIATE ONE BILLION DOLLARS FROM THE CONTINGENCY RESERVE FUND TO THE TAXPAYER REBATE FUND TO PROVIDE REBATES TO TAXPAYERS; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 12-6-515 RELATING TO AN ARCHAIC INDIVIDUAL INCOME TAX PROVISION.

Rep. G. M. SMITH moved to adjourn debate on the motion to reconsider, which was agreed to.

**S. 935--AMENDED AND ORDERED TO THIRD READING**

The following Bill was taken up:

S. 935 -- Senators Grooms, Loftis, Goldfinch, Verdin, Rice, Cash, Adams, Climer, Peeler, Garrett, Kimbrell, Davis, Campsen, Hembree, Turner, Corbin, Bennett, Massey, Gambrell, Rankin, Senn and Gustafson: A BILL TO AMEND TITLE 59 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO EDUCATION, BY ADDING CHAPTER 8, TO PROVIDE FOR THE CREATION OF EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNTS, TO PROVIDE REQUIREMENTS FOR THE ACCOUNTS, TO CREATE AN EDUCATION SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT FUND TO FUND THE SCHOLARSHIPS, AND TO PROVIDE RELATED REQUIREMENTS OF THE EDUCATION OVERSIGHT COMMITTEE AND THE DEPARTMENT OF ADMINISTRATION, AMONG OTHER THINGS.

The Committee on Ways and Means proposed the following Amendment No. 1 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\DG\935C001.NBD.DG22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, by striking all after the enacting words and inserting:

/ SECTION 1. This act may be referred to as the “Parental Choice in Education Program”.

SECTION 2. Title 59 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Chapter 8

Education Scholarship Trust Fund

Section 59-8-110. (A) As used in this chapter:

(1) ‘Cost of attendance’ means the published tuition, fees, textbooks, and fees for transportation paid to a fee‑for‑service transportation provider as approved by the Education Oversight Committee for the student to travel to and from an eligible school as defined in this section, but not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars for each school year, but does not include tutoring.

(2) ‘Department’ means the Department of Education.

(3) ‘Eligible school’ means a South Carolina public school or an independent school that chooses to participate in the program, accepts qualifying students, and instructs students in grades kindergarten through eighth grade. An eligible school does not include charter schools.

(4) ‘Independent school’ means a school, other than a public school at which the compulsory attendance requirements of Section 59‑65‑10 may be met and:

(a) offers a general education to elementary students;

(b) does not unlawfully discriminate in the admissions process on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, or national origin with the exception that schools serving a single sex may participate provided they meet all other requirements;

(c) is located in this State;

(d) has an educational curriculum that includes courses set forth in the state’s diploma requirements, and where the students attending are administered national achievement or state standardized tests, or both, at progressive grade levels to determine student progress; and

(e) has school facilities that are subject to applicable federal, state, and local laws.

(5) ‘Parent’ means the natural or adoptive parent or legal guardian of a child or a foster parent pursuant to Section 59-63-31.

(6)(a) ‘Qualifying student’ means a student who is a resident of this State who has not earned a high school diploma and is between kindergarten and eighth grade and is:

(i) enrolled in the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) or Medicaid or be a member of a household with an income at or below the South Carolina upper income limit for CHIP; and

(ii) is entering kindergarten or first grade; or

(iii) was previously enrolled in and attended a South Carolina public school during one of the three school years immediately preceding the school year in which the student would be enrolled under this program.

(b) For purposes of this item, a qualifying student’s sibling also is considered to be a qualifying student provided that he meets the qualifications set forth in this chapter, and his parent elects to enroll him in the program.

(c) Students participating in the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children’s Fund program as provided in Section 12‑6‑3790 are not considered to be qualifying students for the purposes of this chapter.

(d) A qualifying student also includes up to five hundred students whose parent is an active duty member of the Armed Forces of the United States.

(e) A qualifying student also includes up to five hundred students that are entering kindergarten and were enrolled in the South Carolina Early Reading Development and Education program in the immediately previous school year.

(7) ‘Scholarship account’ means the individual student account that is established by the department for each qualifying student.

Section 59-8-120. (A) There is created the ‘Parental Choice in Education Scholarship Fund’ that is separate and distinct from the state general fund. The fund must receive and hold all funds allocated for it as well as all earnings until disbursed as provided in this chapter. Monies received in the fund must be held by the Office of the State Treasurer and must be used to provide scholarships to qualifying students attending eligible schools to provide for the cost of attendance and qualifying expenses.

(B) The department is responsible for keeping records, managing accounts, and disbursing scholarships awarded pursuant to this chapter. Information contained in or produced from a tax return, document, or magnetically or electronically stored data utilized by the department in the exercise of its duties as provided in this chapter must remain confidential and is exempt from disclosure pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act. Personally identifiable information, as described in the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act, of children applying for or receiving scholarships must remain confidential and is not subject to disclosure pursuant to the Freedom of Information Act.

(C) By January fifteenth of each year, the department shall report to the General Assembly and the Governor:

(1) the number and total amount of scholarships issued to qualifying students in each year;

(2) programmatic information that includes, but is not limited to, where qualifying students attend eligible schools;

(3) a copy of a compilation, review, or audit of the fund’s financial statements, conducted by a certified public accounting firm; and

(4) the number of applications for scholarships by county.

Section 59-8-130. (A) The department shall ensure that qualifying students participating in the program and their parents annually are informed of which eligible schools are participating in the program. The department shall create a standard application process for parents to establish the eligibility of their student for the program. The department shall ensure that the application is readily available to interested parents through various sources, including the Internet.

(B)(1) The department shall set a deadline for the receipt of applications. In the event the number of eligible students exceeds five thousand by the deadline, the department shall use a lottery system to award scholarships. Students already participating in the program are automatically approved for participation in the immediate subsequent year.

(2) If the number of students is less than five thousand by the deadline, then any student meeting the requirements of Section 59-8-110(6)(A)(ii) or (iii) may apply to the program. however, priority must be given to students who have an adjusted gross family income of four hundred percent or less of the federal poverty guidelines as promulgated annually by the United States Department of Health and Human Services.

(C) The department shall provide the parent of a qualifying student participating in the program with a written explanation of the allowable uses of an account, the responsibilities of the parent, and the duties of the department.

(D) Qualifying students participating in the program may return to their resident school districts at any time, providing the least disruptive process.

(E) A school shall report to the department if a student withdraws from the program.

(F) The department shall adopt rules and procedures as necessary for the administration of the program.

Section 59-8-140. An eligible school may not refund, rebate, or share the scholarship account of a qualifying student participating in the program with his parent or with the qualifying student.

Section 59-8-150. Funds received pursuant to this chapter do not constitute taxable income to the parent of a qualifying student participating in the program.

Section 59-8-160. (A) In the first year in which the account is funded, scholarships may be awarded in an amount not exceeding five thousand dollars to a qualifying student at an eligible school to be disbursed up to two thousand five hundred dollars each semester. The department may not issue debit cards, but shall distribute funds through an online system directly to a qualifying student. The department shall procure a system that can create the scholarship accounts and process cost of attendance and qualifying expenses.

(B)(1) Before awarding a scholarship, the department shall document the student’s eligibility with the following documentation:

(a) a card issued in the student’s name from the Department of Health and Human Services for Medicaid eligibility or Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) eligibility;

(b) other documentation as the department may require to demonstrate that the family income is equal to the poverty level of Medicaid eligibility;

(c) a record to provide that the student’s parent is an active member of the Armed Forces of the United States; or

(d) documentation that the child was enrolled in the South Carolina Early Reading Development and Education program.

(2) Upon approving the application, the department shall create an online account for the qualifying student that the parent or legal guardian can access using a secure portal. The individual student account must be created within thirty days of approval of the application.

(3) If a qualifying student leaves or withdraws from the eligible school for any reason before the end of the semester or school year and does not reenroll within thirty days, or if the qualifying student graduates from or chooses to permanently leave a qualifying school, then the balance in the scholarship account must be credited to the Parental Choice in Education Scholarship Fund.

(4) Any funds not expended in an individual student’s scholarship account at the end of the school year will be carried forward into the next school year and expended for the same purposes.

Section 59-8-170. (A) The Education Oversight Committee will approve independent schools for participation in the program that meet all program requirements. Once a school is found eligible to participate in the program, it is presumed eligible for the remaining two years unless the Education Oversight Committee finds otherwise. The independent school shall certify to the Education Oversight Committee that it continues to meet all program requirements. The Education Oversight Committee shall develop an application to be completed by the independent schools.

(B) By March first of each year the Education Oversight Committee shall publish on its website a comprehensive list of independent and public schools certified as eligible schools. The list must include each eligible school’s name, addresses, telephone numbers, and, if available, website addresses.

(C) An independent school that is denied certification pursuant to this chapter may seek review by filing a request for a contested case hearing with the Administrative Law Court in accordance with the court’s rules of procedure.

(D) The Education Oversight Committee shall grant an exemption to an eligible school from participating in the program if the eligible school can show that it has space limitations and is unable to accept additional students.

(E) The Education Oversight Committee may prohibit a school from participating in the program if the Education Oversight Committee finds that the participating school has:

(1) routinely failed to comply with the accountability standards established in this chapter; or

(2) failed to provide the eligible student participating in the program with the educational services funded by the account.

(F) If the Education Oversight Committee decides to prohibit an eligible school from participating in the program, then the Education Oversight Committee shall notify qualifying students participating in the program and their parents of this decision as quickly as possible.

(G) The Education Oversight Committee shall approve a list of fee-for-service transportation providers that a qualifying student may utilize.

Section 59-8-180. Except as otherwise provided, the Department of Education and the Education Oversight Committee, or any other state agency, may not regulate the educational program of an independent school that accepts students receiving scholarship grants pursuant to this chapter.

Section 59-8-190. The Education Oversight Committee and the department shall collaborate to develop and administer an annual program survey to all parents of qualifying students regarding the effectiveness of the fund. Results must be provided to the General Assembly by December thirty-first of each year.

Section 59-8-200. Unless reauthorized by the General Assembly, the provisions of this act only apply to school year 2022‑2023 through school year 2025‑2026. Any funds remaining in the Parental Choice in Education Scholarship Fund after school year 2025‑2026, must be credited to the contingency reserve fund and the newly created fund must be dissolved.”

SECTION 3. There is allocated seventy-five million dollars from the contingency reserve fund to the Parental Choice in Education Fund to be used as described in this act.

SECTION 4. If any section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, or word of this act is for any reason held to be unconstitutional or invalid, such holding shall not affect the constitutionality or validity of the remaining portions of this act, the General Assembly hereby declaring that it would have passed this act, and each and every section, subsection, paragraph, subparagraph, sentence, clause, phrase, and word thereof, irrespective of the fact that any one or more other sections, subsections, paragraphs, subparagraphs, sentences, clauses, phrases, or words hereof may be declared to be unconstitutional, invalid, or otherwise ineffective.

SECTION 5. This act takes effect upon approval by the   
Governor. /

Amend the bill further, after the title but before the enacting words by inserting:

/ Whereas, in 1970, the State of South Carolina enacted the Tuition Grants Program to award needs‑based grants for students to attend the independent college of their choice. Since 1970, 450,000 grants totaling $988 million have been awarded to deserving students; and

Whereas, in 1999, the State of South Carolina enacted First Steps to School Readiness, a program for low‑income children to attend independent, prekindergarten programs; and

Whereas, in 2013, the South Carolina General Assembly passed its first K‑12 choice program, the Exceptional SC Scholarship, a tax credit scholarship to assist children with special needs that was made permanent law in 2018; and

Whereas, in establishing the Education Scholarship Account Act, the South Carolina General Assembly intends to further enhance educational opportunity for all South Carolinians across the prekindergarten through higher education spectrum by providing parents with state funds that will allow them to access the K‑12 education that works best for their child; and

Whereas, the South Carolina General Assembly intends for these state funds to belong to parents, and for parents to use these funds in furtherance of personalized education to meet the needs of their child and as a direct benefit to their child; and

Whereas, the South Carolina General Assembly intends to promote student achievement by making South Carolina the most student‑centered State in the nation by increasing student participation in, and student access to, effective educational opportunities, both within and outside of their resident school district, regardless of where they live or their socioeconomic status; and

Whereas, the South Carolina General Assembly intends that the provisions of this chapter be construed broadly as a direct benefit to students to maximize parental choice options and student access to customized, high‑quality educational opportunities presently unavailable to their children. Now, therefore, /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. ERICKSON explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON spoke in favor of the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. ERICKSON proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\SA\935C001.JN.SA22), which was adopted:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59-8-110(A)(4)(a) and inserting:

/ (a) offers a general education to elementary or middle school students; /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. ERICKSON explained the amendment.

The amendment was then adopted.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 3 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C002.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑110(A)(4) and inserting:

/ (4) ‘Independent school’ means a school, other than a public school at which the compulsory attendance requirements of Section 59‑65‑10 may be met and:

(a) offers a general education to elementary students;

(b) does not discriminate in the admissions process on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, or national origin with the exception that schools serving a single sex may participate provided they meet all other requirements;

(c) is located in this State;

(d) has an educational curriculum that includes courses set forth in the state’s diploma requirements, and where the students attending are administered all assessments required by federal and state law for students in South Carolina Public Schools, including that students who must be assessed against alternate achievement standards take the South Carolina Alternate Assessment (SC‑Alt) or the current approved Alternate Assessment on Alternate Achievement Standards (AA‑AAS) for South Carolina public schools;

(e) has school facilities that are subject to applicable federal, state, and local laws; and

(f) is a member in good standing of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the South Carolina Association of Christian Schools, the South Carolina Independent Schools Association, or Palmetto Association of Independent Schools. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. OTT spoke in favor of the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. COBB-HUNTER demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 34

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| Collins | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | Jones | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Dillard | Felder | Garvin |
| Gilliard | Govan | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Howard | Jefferson |
| J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson | King |
| Kirby | Matthews | McDaniel |
| J. Moore | Murray | Ott |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Weeks | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| R. Williams |  |  |

**Total--34**

So, the amendment was tabled.

RECORD FOR VOTING

I was temporarily out of the Chamber on constituent business during the vote on S. 935, Amendment No. 3. If I had been present, I would have voted in favor of tabling the Amendment.

Rep. Craig Gagnon

RECORD FOR VOTING

I was temporarily out of the Chamber on constituent business during the vote on S. 935, Amendment No. 3. If I had been present, I would have voted in favor of tabling the Amendment.

Rep. John R. McCravy

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 4 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C006.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑110(A)(4) and inserting:

/ (4) ‘Independent school’ means a school, other than a public school at which the compulsory attendance requirements of Section 59‑65‑10 may be met and:

(a) offers a general education to elementary students;

(b) does not discriminate in the admissions process on the basis of race, color, sex, religion, creed, gender identity, ethnicity, sexual orientation, mental or physical disability, athletic performance, proficiency in the English language, past academic or disciplinary history, or national origin with the exception that schools serving a single sex may participate provided they meet all other requirements;

(c) is located in this State;

(d) has an educational curriculum that includes courses set forth in the state’s diploma requirements, and where the students attending are administered all assessments required by federal and state law for students in South Carolina Public Schools;

(e) has school facilities that are subject to applicable federal, state, and local laws; and

(f) is a member in good standing of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the South Carolina Association of Christian Schools, the South Carolina Independent Schools Association, or Palmetto Association of Independent Schools. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. BRAWLEY demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 30

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Bailey | Bannister | Bennett |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | Collins | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Felder | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| Jones | Jordan | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Ballentine | Bernstein | Brawley |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Howard | Jefferson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| McDaniel | J. Moore | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Weeks | Wetmore | R. Williams |

**Total--30**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 5 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C005.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑110(A)(4) and inserting:

/ (4) ‘Independent school’ means a school, other than a public school at which the compulsory attendance requirements of Section 59‑65‑10 may be met and:

(a) offers a general education to elementary students;

(b) accept scholarship students on a random and religion‑neutral basis without regard to the student’s race, color, national origin, creed, sex, gender identity, ethnicity, sexual orientation, mental or physical disability, athletic performance, proficiency in the English language, or past academic or disciplinary history;

(c) is located in this State;

(d) has an educational curriculum that includes courses set forth in the state’s diploma requirements, and where the students attending are administered all assessments required by federal and state law for students in South Carolina Public Schools;

(e) has school facilities that are subject to applicable federal, state, and local laws; and

(f) is a member in good standing of the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools, the South Carolina Association of Christian Schools, the South Carolina Independent Schools Association, or Palmetto Association of Independent Schools. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. GOVAN demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 67; Nays 31

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Bailey | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Elliott |
| Erickson | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Govan | Haddon | Hardee |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | J. E. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| Murphy | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Pope |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Taylor | Thayer |
| Trantham | West | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--67**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Atkinson |
| Ballentine | Bamberg | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Dillard | Felder |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Hart |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Howard |
| Jefferson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | McDaniel |
| J. Moore | Murray | Pendarvis |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Tedder | Weeks | Wetmore |
| R. Williams |  |  |

**Total--31**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 9 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C008.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59-8 -110(A)(6)(d) and (e).

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. OTT spoke in favor of the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. GOVAN demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 69; Nays 35

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Gilliam | Haddon | Hardee |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hill |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | J. E. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | White | Whitmire |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--69**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Bamberg |
| Bernstein | Brawley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Dillard | Felder |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Howard |
| Jefferson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Matthews |
| McDaniel | J. Moore | Murray |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Robinson |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Thigpen | Weeks | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--35**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 10 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C009.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59-8 -110(F)(2)(iii).

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WETMORE explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. BRAWLEY demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 70; Nays 32

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Elliott |
| Erickson | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hill | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Pope |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Taylor | Thayer |
| Trantham | West | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--70**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Alexander | Anderson | Bamberg |
| Bernstein | Brawley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Dillard | Garvin |
| Gilliard | Govan | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Howard | Jefferson |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| Matthews | McDaniel | J. Moore |
| Murray | Ott | Pendarvis |
| Rivers | Robinson | Rose |
| Rutherford | Tedder | Thigpen |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--32**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 12 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C011.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, Section 59-8-110(A)(4), by inserting an appropriately lettered subitem to read:

/ ( ) a school must be ineligible from the program if its curriculum includes religious instruction. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. WETMORE explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. BRAWLEY demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 32

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Gilliam | Haddon |
| Hardee | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hill | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | J. E. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Alexander | Anderson | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Howard | Jefferson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Matthews |
| McDaniel | J. Moore | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Robinson | Rose | Rutherford |
| Tedder | Thigpen | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--32**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 13 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C012.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, Section 59‑8‑110(A)(4), by inserting an appropriately lettered subitems to read:

/ ( ) the number of scholarship students denied admission to an independent school with the reason each scholarship student was not admitted;

( ) data on scholarship students who leave the program prior to graduation. Data tracked must include whether the student’s education service provider or the student initiated leaving the program and the reason why. This data must be compiled and disaggregated by education service provider showing:

(i) the number of students leaving;

(ii) the number of students leaving initiated by the education service provider as compared to the number leaving initiated by the student;

(iii) reasons cited for leaving the program;

(iv) demographic data for scholarship students leaving;

(v) demographic data for scholarship students remaining;

(vi) achievement data for scholarship students leaving; and

(vii) achievement data for scholarship students remaining. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. GOVAN explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. KING demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 67; Nays 26

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Gilliam | Haddon |
| Hardee | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | J. E. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | West | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--67**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bernstein | Brawley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Dillard |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Howard |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| Matthews | McDaniel | J. Moore |
| Murray | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Thigpen | Wetmore |  |

**Total--26**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 14 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C013.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59-8-130(E) and inserting:

/ (E) A school shall report to the department if a student withdraws or is dismissed from the program and must include the reason why a student withdrew or was dismissed. The department must track this data for annual reporting to the Governor and the General Assembly. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

The amendment was then tabled by a division vote of 61 to 35.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 15 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C014.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59-8-170(A) and inserting:

/ (A)(1) The Education Oversight Committee will approve independent schools for participation in the program that meet all program requirements. In addition to program requirements for independent schools in Section 59-8-170, independent schools must agree to:

(a) allow on-site compliance inspections;

(b) obtain and provide a copy of an annual certified financial audit;

(c) provide to the department a copy of their operating budget; and

(d) be subject to freedom of information or open records requests with respect to program components using scholarship funds; and

(2) Once a school is found eligible to participate in the program, it is presumed eligible for the remaining two years unless the Education Oversight Committee finds otherwise. The independent school shall certify to the Education Oversight Committee that it continues to meet all program requirements. The Education Oversight Committee shall develop an application to be completed by the independent schools. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. OTT spoke in favor of the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. MAY demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 29

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bennett | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Gilliam | Haddon |
| Hardee | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | J. E. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bernstein | Brawley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Dillard |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Hosey |
| Howard | Jefferson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| Matthews | McDaniel | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Robinson | Thigpen | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--29**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 18 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C039.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑110 (A)(1) and inserting:

/ (1) ‘Cost of attendance’ means the published tuition, fees, textbooks, and fees for transportation paid to a fee‑for‑service transportation provider as approved by the Department for the student to travel to and from an eligible school as defined in this section, but not to exceed seven hundred and fifty dollars for each school year, but does not include tutoring. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑170 and inserting:

/ Section 59‑8‑170. (A) The Department will approve independent schools for participation in the program that meet all program requirements. Once a school is found eligible to participate in the program, it is presumed eligible for the remaining two years unless the department finds otherwise. The independent school shall certify to the department that it continues to meet all program requirements. The department shall develop an application to be completed by the independent schools.

(B) Before March first of each year, the department shall publish on its website a comprehensive list of independent and public schools certified as eligible schools. The list must include each eligible school’s name, addresses, telephone numbers, and, if available, website addresses.

(C) An independent school that is denied certification pursuant to this chapter may seek review by filing a request for a contested case hearing with the Administrative Law Court in accordance with the court’s rules of procedure.

(D) The department shall grant an exemption to an eligible school from participating in the program if the eligible school can show that it has space limitations and is unable to accept additional students.

(E) The department may prohibit a school from participating in the program if the department finds that the participating school has:

(1) routinely failed to comply with the accountability standards established in this chapter; or

(2) failed to provide the eligible student participating in the program with the educational services funded by the account.

(F) If the department decides to prohibit an eligible school from participating in the program, then the department shall notify qualifying students participating in the program and their parents of this decision as quickly as possible.

(G) The department shall approve a list of fee‑for‑service transportation providers that a qualifying student may use. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑190 and inserting:

/ Section 59‑8‑190. The department shall develop and administer an annual program survey to all parents of qualifying students regarding the effectiveness of the fund. Results must be provided to the General Assembly before December thirty‑first of each year. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. GOVAN demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 68; Nays 29

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bennett | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Dabney | Daning |
| Davis | Elliott | Erickson |
| Finlay | Forrest | Fry |
| Gagnon | Gilliam | Haddon |
| Hardee | Herbkersman | Hewitt |
| Hiott | Hixon | Huggins |
| Hyde | J. E. Johnson | Jones |
| Jordan | Ligon | Long |
| Lowe | Lucas | Magnuson |
| May | McCabe | McCravy |
| McGarry | T. Moore | Morgan |
| D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--68**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bernstein | Brawley |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Dillard |
| Garvin | Gilliard | Govan |
| Henderson-Myers | Henegan | Hosey |
| Howard | Jefferson | K. O. Johnson |
| Kirby | Matthews | McDaniel |
| Murray | Ott | Pendarvis |
| Rivers | Robinson | Rose |
| Tedder | Thigpen | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--29**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 19 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C040.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑110(A)(6) and inserting:

/ (6)(a) ‘Qualifying student’ means a student who is a resident of this State who will enter sixth grade in School Year 2023‑2024 and:

(i) is enrolled in the Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) or Medicaid or is a member of a household with an income at or below the South Carolina upper income limit for CHIP; and

(ii) was previously enrolled in and attended a South Carolina public school during one of the three school years immediately preceding the school year in which the student would be enrolled under this program.

(b) Students participating in the Educational Credit for Exceptional Needs Children’s Fund program as provided in Section 12‑6‑3790 are not considered to be qualifying students for the purposes of this chapter. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑130(A) and inserting:

/ (A) The department shall ensure that qualifying students and their parents are informed of which eligible schools are participating in the program. In School Year 2022‑2023, the department shall create a standard application process for parents to establish the eligibility of their student to participate in the program through School Year 2025‑2026. The department shall ensure that the application is readily available to interested parents through various sources, including the Internet. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑130(B)(1) and inserting:

/ (1) The department shall set a deadline for the receipt of applications in School Year 2022‑2023. Applications are restricted to the first year of the program and new applications will not be accepted in School Years 2023‑2024 through 2025‑2026. In the event the number of eligible students exceeds five hundred by the deadline, the department shall award on a first come first served basis to award scholarships. Students already participating in the program are automatically approved for participation through School Year 2025‑2026. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑130 (B)(2).

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑160(A) and inserting:

/ (A) In the first year in which the account is funded, up to five hundred scholarships may be awarded in an amount that fully funds tuition and all associated fees to a qualifying student at an eligible school each semester. The department may not issue debit cards, but shall distribute funds through an online system directly to a qualifying student. The department shall procure a system that can create the scholarship accounts and process cost of attendance and qualifying expenses. /

Amend the bill further, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑160(B) and inserting:

/ (B)(1) Before awarding a scholarship, the department shall document the student’s eligibility with the following documentation:

(a) a card issued in the student’s name from the Department of Health and Human Services for Medicaid eligibility or Children’s Health Insurance Program (CHIP) eligibility; or

(b) other documentation as the department may require to demonstrate that the family income is equal to the poverty level of Medicaid eligibility.

(2) Upon approving the application, the department shall create an online account for the qualifying student that the parent or legal guardian can access using a secure portal. The individual student account must be created within thirty days of approval of the application.

(3) If a qualifying student leaves or withdraws from the eligible school for any reason before the end of the semester or school year and does not reenroll within thirty days, or if the qualifying student graduates from or chooses to permanently leave a qualifying school, then the balance in the scholarship account must revert to the contingency reserve fund.

(4) Any funds not expended in an individual student’s scholarship account at the end of the school year will be carried forward into the next school year and expended for the same student for the same purposes. /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. OTT demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 66; Nays 29

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Dabney |
| Daning | Davis | Elliott |
| Erickson | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | J. E. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| Magnuson | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Pope |
| Sandifer | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | White | Whitmire |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--66**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bamberg | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Hosey | Howard | Jefferson |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| Matthews | McDaniel | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Robinson | Thigpen | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--29**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. OTT proposed the following Amendment No. 20 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\WAB\935C022.RT.WAB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by striking Section 59‑8‑130(B)(2).

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. OTT explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. COBB-HUNTER demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 66; Nays 33

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bennett | Blackwell | Bradley |
| Brittain | Bryant | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Carter |
| Caskey | Chumley | W. Cox |
| Crawford | Daning | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Gilliam | Haddon | Hardee |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Pope | Sandifer | G. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | White | Whitmire |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--66**

Those who voted in the negative are:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bamberg | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter |
| Dabney | Dillard | Garvin |
| Gilliard | Govan | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Hosey | Howard |
| Jefferson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Matthews |
| McDaniel | Murray | Ott |
| Pendarvis | Rivers | Rose |
| Rutherford | Tedder | Thigpen |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | R. Williams |

**Total--33**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. KING proposed the following Amendment No. 21 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\DG\935C002.NBD.DG22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by adding a Section at the end to read:

/ “Section 59-8-210. Any member of the General Assembly that receives scholarship money pursuant to this chapter, must report the receipt to their respective ethics committee within ten days of receipt. The report must include the amount of scholarship money received.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. KING explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. KING demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 65; Nays 31

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Bennett |
| Blackwell | Bradley | Brittain |
| Bryant | Burns | Bustos |
| Calhoon | Carter | Caskey |
| Chumley | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Daning | Davis | Elliott |
| Erickson | Finlay | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Haddon | Hardee | Herbkersman |
| Hewitt | Hiott | Hixon |
| Huggins | Hyde | J. E. Johnson |
| Jones | Jordan | Ligon |
| Long | Lowe | Lucas |
| McCabe | McCravy | McGarry |
| T. Moore | Morgan | D. C. Moss |
| V. S. Moss | Murphy | B. Newton |
| W. Newton | Nutt | Oremus |
| Pope | Sandifer | Simrill |
| G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith | Taylor |
| Thayer | Trantham | West |
| White | Whitmire | Willis |
| Wooten | Yow |  |

**Total--65**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Anderson | Bamberg | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Cobb-Hunter | Dabney |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Henderson-Myers | Henegan |
| Howard | Jefferson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Magnuson |
| Matthews | May | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Thigpen | Wetmore | Wheeler |
| R. Williams |  |  |

**Total--31**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. KING proposed the following Amendment No. 22 to S. 935 (COUNCIL\HB\935C001.NBD.HB22), which was tabled:

Amend the bill, as and if amended, SECTION 2, by adding Section 59-8-210 at the end to read:

/ “Section 59-8-210. Any eligible school that receives scholarship money pursuant to this chapter must provide free school lunch for any qualifying student participating in the program.” /

Renumber sections to conform.

Amend title to conform.

Rep. KING explained the amendment.

Rep. ERICKSON moved to table the amendment.

Rep. MCDANIEL demanded the yeas and nays which were taken, resulting as follows:

Yeas 61; Nays 36

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

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| --- | --- | --- |
| Bailey | Ballentine | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Bryant |
| Burns | Bustos | Calhoon |
| Carter | Caskey | Chumley |
| W. Cox | Crawford | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Forrest |
| Fry | Gagnon | Gilliam |
| Hardee | Hewitt | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | May | McCabe |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | D. C. Moss | V. S. Moss |
| Murphy | B. Newton | W. Newton |
| Nutt | Oremus | Pope |
| Sandifer | Simrill | G. M. Smith |
| M. M. Smith | Taylor | Thayer |
| Trantham | West | White |
| Whitmire | Willis | Wooten |
| Yow |  |  |

**Total--61**

Those who voted in the negative are:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Anderson | Bamberg |
| Bernstein | Brawley | Clyburn |
| Cobb-Hunter | Dabney | Daning |
| Dillard | Garvin | Gilliard |
| Govan | Haddon | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Herbkersman | Hosey |
| Howard | Jefferson | J. L. Johnson |
| K. O. Johnson | King | Kirby |
| Magnuson | McDaniel | Murray |
| Ott | Pendarvis | Rivers |
| Rose | Rutherford | Tedder |
| Wetmore | Wheeler | R. Williams |

**Total--36**

So, the amendment was tabled.

Rep. GOVAN spoke against the Bill.

Rep. MCDANIEL spoke against the Bill.

Rep. HENDERSON-MYERS spoke against the Bill.

The question recurred to the passage of the Bill.

The yeas and nays were taken resulting as follows:

Yeas 66; Nays 38

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| Allison | Bailey | Ballentine |
| Bannister | Bennett | Blackwell |
| Bradley | Brittain | Burns |
| Bustos | Calhoon | Caskey |
| Chumley | W. Cox | Crawford |
| Dabney | Daning | Davis |
| Elliott | Erickson | Finlay |
| Forrest | Fry | Gagnon |
| Gilliam | Haddon | Hardee |
| Herbkersman | Hewitt | Hiott |
| Hixon | Huggins | Hyde |
| J. E. Johnson | Jones | Jordan |
| Ligon | Long | Lowe |
| Lucas | Magnuson | May |
| McCravy | McGarry | T. Moore |
| Morgan | V. S. Moss | Murphy |
| B. Newton | W. Newton | Nutt |
| Oremus | Pope | Sandifer |
| Simrill | G. M. Smith | M. M. Smith |
| Taylor | Thayer | Trantham |
| West | White | Whitmire |
| Willis | Wooten | Yow |

**Total--66**

Those who voted in the negative are:

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| Anderson | Bamberg | Bernstein |
| Brawley | Bryant | Carter |
| Clyburn | Cobb-Hunter | Collins |
| Dillard | Felder | Garvin |
| Gilliard | Govan | Henderson-Myers |
| Henegan | Hosey | Howard |
| Jefferson | J. L. Johnson | K. O. Johnson |
| King | Kirby | Matthews |
| McDaniel | J. Moore | D. C. Moss |
| Murray | Ott | Pendarvis |
| Rivers | Rose | Rutherford |
| Tedder | Thigpen | Wetmore |
| Wheeler | R. Williams |  |

**Total--38**

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

**RECURRENCE TO THE MORNING HOUR**

Rep. CARTER moved that the House recur to the morning hour, which was agreed to.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following was received:

Columbia, S.C., Tuesday, May 10, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House:

The Senate respectfully informs your Honorable Body that it concurs in the amendments proposed by the House to H. 5075:

H. 5075 -- Reps. G. M. Smith and West: A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 12-6-3795, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE SOUTH CAROLINA HOUSING TAX CREDIT, SO AS TO DEFINE TERMS AND LIMIT THE CREDIT; TO AMEND ARTICLE 3 OF CHAPTER 11, TITLE 1, RELATING TO THE ALLOCATION OF STATE CEILING ON ISSUANCE OF PRIVATE ACTIVITY BONDS, SO AS TO REQUIRE THE STATE FISCAL ACCOUNTABILITY AUTHORITY TO DEVELOP A STATE CEILING ALLOCATION PLAN ANNUALLY, TO SPECIFY REQUIREMENTS OF THE PLAN, AND TO PROVIDE A PROCESS FOR PERIODIC ALLOCATIONS OF THE STATE CEILING; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 1-11-370 RELATING TO INDEBTEDNESS INCLUDED WITHIN ANY LIMITS ON PRIVATE ACTIVITY BONDS.

and has ordered the Bill enrolled for ratification.

Very respectfully,

President

Received as information.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following was received:

Columbia, S.C., Tuesday, May 10, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House:

The Senate respectfully informs your Honorable Body that it concurs in the amendments proposed by the House to H. 4408:

H. 4408 -- Rep. G. M. Smith: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO AUTHORIZE THE EXPENDITURE OF FEDERAL FUNDS DISBURSED TO THE STATE IN THE AMERICAN RESCUE PLAN ACT OF 2021, AND TO SPECIFY THE MANNER IN WHICH THE FUNDS MAY BE EXPENDED.

and has ordered the Bill enrolled for ratification.

Very respectfully,

President

Received as information.

**MESSAGE FROM THE SENATE**

The following was received:

Columbia, S.C., May 10, 2022

Mr. Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives:

The Senate respectfully informs your Honorable Body that it has confirmed the Governor’s reappointment of:

LOCAL APPOINTMENT

Sumter County Master-in-Equity

Term Commencing: 12/31/2022

Term Expiring: 12/31/2028

The Honorable Michael M. Jordan

10 Law Range

Sumter, South Carolina 29150

Very Respectfully,

President of the Senate

Received as information.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5375 -- Rep. Davis: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE ST. JOHN'S CHRISTIAN ACADEMY VARSITY BASEBALL TEAM, COACHES, AND SCHOOL OFFICIALS FOR AN OUTSTANDING SEASON AND TO CONGRATULATE THEM FOR WINNING THE 2021 SOUTH CAROLINA INDEPENDENT SCHOOL ASSOCIATION CLASS A STATE CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5376 -- Reps. Matthews, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE STRATFORD HIGH SCHOOL BOYS TRACK AND FIELD TEAM ON WINNING THE 2022 BERKELEY COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP TITLE AND TO APPLAUD THESE FINE ATHLETES AND THEIR COACHES ON AN IMPRESSIVE SEASON.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5377 -- Reps. McDaniel, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE MASTER SERGEANT DAVID L. OUTING, SR., UPON THE OCCASION OF HIS RETIREMENT FROM THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE ON APRIL 16, 2022, TO COMMEND HIM FOR THREE DECADES OF DEDICATED SERVICE, AND TO WISH HIM MUCH HAPPINESS AND FULFILLMENT IN ALL HIS FUTURE ENDEAVORS.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5378 -- Reps. Ligon, Felder, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE DR. IVA B. HUGHES OF ROCK HILL FOR HER MANY ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND TO WISH HER MUCH CONTINUED SUCCESS AND HAPPINESS FOR MANY YEARS TO COME.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5379 -- Reps. Finlay, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE THE MID CAROLINA YOUTH SHOOTING TEAM ON AN OUTSTANDING SEASON AND TO HONOR THEM FOR WINNING THE 2022 GOVERNOR'S CUP.

The Resolution was adopted.

**HOUSE RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

H. 5380 -- Reps. Rivers, Herbkersman, W. Newton, Erickson, Bradley, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A HOUSE RESOLUTION TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR THE SIGNIFICANT IMPACT OF THE ORIGINAL GULLAH FESTIVAL OF SOUTH CAROLINA AND TO EXPRESS APPRECIATION FOR ITS MEANINGFUL INFLUENCE IN PRESERVING THE HISTORIC GULLAH CULTURE AND FOR ITS ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTION TO THE STATE'S VITAL TOURISM INDUSTRY.

The Resolution was adopted.

**CONCURRENT RESOLUTION**

The following was introduced:

S. 1325 -- Senators Alexander and Malloy: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO PROVIDE THAT, PURSUANT TO SECTION 9, ARTICLE III OF THE CONSTITUTION OF THIS STATE, 1895, WHEN THE RESPECTIVE HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ADJOURN ON THURSDAY, MAY 12, 2022, NOT LATER THAN 5:00 P.M., EACH HOUSE SHALL STAND ADJOURNED TO MEET IN STATEWIDE SESSION AT 12:00 NOON ON WEDNESDAY, JUNE 15, 2022, AND CONTINUE IN STATEWIDE SESSION, IF NECESSARY, UNTIL NOT LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON FRIDAY, JUNE 17, 2022, FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN SPECIFIED MATTERS; EACH HOUSE SHALL STAND ADJOURNED TO MEET IN STATEWIDE SESSION AT 12:00 NOON ON TUESDAY, JUNE 28, 2022, AND CONTINUE IN STATEWIDE SESSION, IF NECESSARY, UNTIL NOT LATER THAN 5:00 P.M. ON THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 2022, FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN SPECIFIED MATTERS TO PROVIDE THAT WHEN THE RESPECTIVE HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY RECEDE ON THURSDAY, JUNE 30, 2022, NOT LATER THAN 5:00 P.M., EACH HOUSE SHALL STAND IN RECESS SUBJECT TO THE CALL OF THE PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE FOR THE SENATE AND THE SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FOR THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AT TIMES THEY CONSIDER APPROPRIATE FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE BODIES TO MEET FOR THE CONSIDERATION OF CERTAIN SPECIFIED MATTERS; AND TO PROVIDE THAT WHEN THE RESPECTIVE HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY ADJOURN NOT LATER THAN TUESDAY, SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2022, THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY SHALL STAND ADJOURNED SINE DIE.

The Concurrent Resolution was ordered placed on the calendar.

**INTRODUCTION OF BILLS**

The following Joint Resolution was introduced, read the first time, and referred to the appropriate committee:

H. 5381 -- Reps. Govan, Robinson and J. L. Johnson: A JOINT RESOLUTION TO CREATE THE "STUDY COMMITTEE ON YOUTH VIOLENCE AND DELINQUENCY" TO INVESTIGATE THE CAUSES OF YOUTH VIOLENCE AND DELINQUENCY IN THIS STATE AND TO MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS FOR PROPOSED CHANGES TO STATE LAWS AND OTHER REMEDIES TO ADDRESS SYSTEMIC ISSUES INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, GANG VIOLENCE AND THE SCHOOL HOUSE TO JAIL HOUSE PIPELINE.

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

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

**RETURNED WITH CONCURRENCE**

The Senate returned to the House with concurrence the following:

H. 4992 -- Reps. Bailey, Hardee, Hayes, Atkinson and McGinnis: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO REQUEST THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION NAME THE WACCAMAW SWAMP BRIDGE ALONG SOUTH CAROLINA HIGHWAY 9 IN HORRY COUNTY "SERGEANT GORDON BEST MEMORIAL BRIDGE" AND ERECT APPROPRIATE MARKERS OR SIGNS AT THIS LOCATION CONTAINING THESE WORDS.

H. 5155 -- Reps. Allison, Alexander, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Lucas, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE SOUTH CAROLINA'S 2022 DISTRICT TEACHERS OF THE YEAR UPON BEING SELECTED TO REPRESENT THEIR RESPECTIVE SCHOOL DISTRICTS, TO EXPRESS APPRECIATION FOR THEIR DEDICATED SERVICE TO CHILDREN, AND TO WISH THEM CONTINUED SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE.

H. 5157 -- Reps. Lucas, Alexander, Allison, Anderson, Atkinson, Bailey, Ballentine, Bamberg, Bannister, Bennett, Bernstein, Blackwell, Bradley, Brawley, Brittain, Bryant, Burns, Bustos, Calhoon, Carter, Caskey, Chumley, Clyburn, Cobb-Hunter, Cogswell, Collins, B. Cox, W. Cox, Crawford, Dabney, Daning, Davis, Dillard, Elliott, Erickson, Felder, Finlay, Forrest, Fry, Gagnon, Garvin, Gatch, Gilliam, Gilliard, Govan, Haddon, Hardee, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Henegan, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hyde, Jefferson, J. E. Johnson, J. L. Johnson, K. O. Johnson, Jones, Jordan, King, Kirby, Ligon, Long, Lowe, Magnuson, Matthews, May, McCabe, McCravy, McDaniel, McGarry, McGinnis, McKnight, J. Moore, T. Moore, Morgan, D. C. Moss, V. S. Moss, Murphy, Murray, B. Newton, W. Newton, Nutt, Oremus, Ott, Parks, Pendarvis, Pope, Rivers, Robinson, Rose, Rutherford, Sandifer, Simrill, G. M. Smith, G. R. Smith, M. M. Smith, Stavrinakis, Taylor, Tedder, Thayer, Thigpen, Trantham, Weeks, West, Wetmore, Wheeler, White, Whitmire, R. Williams, S. Williams, Willis, Wooten and Yow: A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION TO CONGRATULATE TOMMY PRESTON, JR., ON HIS APPOINTMENT AS VICE PRESIDENT FOR ETHICS AT THE BOEING COMPANY AND TO RECOGNIZE AND HONOR HIS CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

**ADJOURNMENT**

At 8:52 p.m. the House, in accordance with the motion of Rep. COBB-HUNTER, adjourned in memory of the Honorable James Carlyle Williams, Jr., to meet at 10:00 a.m. tomorrow.

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