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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA



REGULAR SESSION BEGINNING TUESDAY, JANUARY 12, 2021

TUESDAY, MAY 10, 2022 (STATEWIDE SESSION)

Tuesday, May 10, 2022 (Statewide Session)

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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 on our lives to bring comfort to those in need. Bless those who give of their very lives as defenders and responders to every 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 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 President

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 Α REMARKABLE SEASON AND 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, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Haddon, Hardee, 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, Hart, Hayes, Henderson-Myers, Haddon, Hardee, Herbkersman, Hewitt, Hill, Hiott, Hixon, Hosey, Howard, Huggins, Hvde, 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 CAROLINA HOUSE **MEMBERS** OF THE SOUTH 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 KIAWAHSEABROOK.

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, Hvde, 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 **COUNTY CLERK FOR** THE WILLIAMSBURG 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:

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

Hewitt Hill Hiott
Hixon Hosey Howard
Huggins Hyde Jefferson
L.E. Johnson K. O. Johnson

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 D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Morgan 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 Weeks Trantham 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:

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

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CO-SPONSOR ADDED

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 \$\frac{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.	% De	V.	NH	WHT %NHW	/HT
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		-0.68%			
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	34,368		29,432		
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2	615	9.12% 5,0	55 8.55	5% 7,	348 4 ,377
3	392	5.72% 5,2	12 6.14	1% 7, (0 87 4 ,738
4	393	5.76% 5,1 6	67 9.60	5% 6,	847 4 ,711
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3	00.9770	455 268	5 1/10/2	330	206
4	91.17%	278	5.38%	264	178
		324			
Totals		2,157			
Totals		2,137	0.72/0	1017	1,110
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<u>10.21%</u>					
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<u>9.36%</u>					
<u>5</u>	<u>310</u>	<u>4.62%</u>	<u>5,415</u>	80.72%	<u>602</u>
<u>8.97%</u>					
<u>Totals</u>	<u>1,482</u>	<u>4.25%</u>	<u>28,219</u>	<u>80.97%</u>	<u>3,265</u>
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
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Dillard Elliott Erickson Forrest Felder Finlay Garvin Gagnon Gilliam Haddon Hardee Hart Henegan Hiott Hewitt Hixon Hosev Howard Huggins Hyde Jefferson J. E. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jones King Kirby Lowe Lucas Magnuson May McCabe McCravy **McDaniel** McGarry McKnight T. Moore D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Morgan 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 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.'

Signature of Voter		
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Address of Witness"	_	
E. Section 7-15-380(A)	of the 1976	Code is amended to read:
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"(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 da	y of	20
Signature of Witness	Printed N	Name of Witness

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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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) <u>Date stamp voter registration applications</u>. <u>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.</u>
- (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."

- O. 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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design</u>, <u>size and stock</u>, <u>as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, <u>to permit processing by a tabulating machine</u>. A <u>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."</u>
- 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.
- (e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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 <u>less</u> than <u>five hundred</u> <u>one thousand</u> dollars <u>or nor more than five thousand dollars and</u> imprisoned not more than <u>three five</u> years. A manager who commits fraud or corruption in the management of such election is guilty of a <u>misdemeanor felony</u> and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than <u>five hundred one thousand</u> dollars <u>or nor more than five thousand dollars and</u> imprisoned not more than <u>three five</u> years, <u>or both</u>."

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:

Alexander Allison Atkinson Bailey Bannister Bennett Blackwell Bradley **Bryant** Burns Calhoon Carter Chumley Clyburn Collins W. Cox Dabney Daning Dillard Elliott Felder Finlay Gagnon Garvin Gilliard Govan Hardee Hart Herbkersman Hewitt Hixon Hosey Hvde Jefferson J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Kirby King

Anderson Ballentine Bernstein Brittain **Bustos** Caskey Cobb-Hunter Crawford Davis Erickson Forrest Gilliam Haddon Henegan Hiott Huggins J. E. Johnson Jones Ligon

Long Lowe Lucas Matthews McCabe May McCravy McDaniel **McGarry** McKnight T. Moore Morgan D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy Nutt B. Newton W. Newton **Parks** Oremus Ott Pendarvis Pope Rivers Robinson Rose Rutherford G. M. Smith Sandifer M. M. Smith **Taylor** Thayer Tedder West Thigpen Trantham Wetmore Wheeler White Whitmire Willis Wooten

Yow

Total--100

Those who voted in the negative are: 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.'

Signature of Voter Dated on this	day of	20
Signature of Witness	Printed Na	me 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 N	Name of Witness
 		

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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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) <u>Date stamp voter registration applications</u>. <u>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.</u>
- (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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design</u>, <u>size and stock</u>, <u>as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A <u>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."</u>

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.

(e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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
- $\mbox{(b)(i)} \ \ \mbox{has failed to respond to a notice described in item (2);} \label{eq:bold}$ 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Atkinson Bailey Ballentine Bannister Bennett Bernstein

Blackwell Brittain Brawley **Bryant** Burns Bustos Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Collins W. Cox Crawford Dabney Dillard Davis Elliott Felder **Finlay** Forrest Gagnon Fry Gilliam Gilliard Garvin Govan Haddon Hardee Henegan Herbkersman Hart Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Hosey Huggins Hyde Jefferson J. E. Johnson J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jones King Ligon Long Matthews Lowe Magnuson 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 Rutherford Rose Sandifer G. M. Smith M. M. Smith Simrill **Taylor** Tedder Thayer Weeks Thigpen Trantham West Wetmore Wheeler White R. Williams Whitmire 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.

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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 <u>and printed name</u> 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:

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- (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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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:

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"Section 7-13-1370. Ballot cards <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A <u>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."</u>

- 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.

(e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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:

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

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Garvin Gilliard Govan
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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 Parks Pendarvis Ott Pope Rivers Robinson Rose Rutherford Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Thigpen Tedder Thayer Trantham Weeks West Wetmore Wheeler Whitmire

R. Williams Wooten

Total--95

Those who voted in the negative are:

Fry Gilliam Hill
Magnuson May McCabe
Morgan White Willis

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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

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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.'

Signature of Voter		
Dated on this da	y of 20	
Signature of Witness	Printed Name of Witnes	SS
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 Witness	Printed N	lame of Witness
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;

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- (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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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) <u>Date stamp voter registration applications</u>. <u>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.</u>
- (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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A <u>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."</u>

- 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.

(e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Atkinson Ballentine Bailey Bamberg Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell **Bradley** Brawley **Bryant** Brittain Burns Calhoon Carter Chumley Clyburn Caskey W. Cox Cobb-Hunter Collins Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Dillard Erickson Felder **Finlay**

Forrest Fry Gagnon Gilliard Garvin Govan Haddon Hardee Hart Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Huggins Hosey Howard Jefferson J. E. Johnson

Hyde J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jones King Kirby Ligon Long Lowe Magnuson Matthews McCabe May McDaniel McCravv McGarry McKnight T. Moore Morgan D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Nutt Parks Oremus Ott Pendarvis Pope Rivers Robinson Rose Rutherford G. M. Smith Simrill 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'S 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 COLUMBIA** WORLD **AFFAIRS** THE 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, Hvde, 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,

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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 CONGRATULATE COMMAND **SERGEANT** TIMOTHY PATRICK "PAT" MOSES OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA NATIONAL GUARD UPON THE **OCCASION** OF 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, Haves, 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 RECOGNIZE AND COMMEND TO HONORABLE CHIP HUGGINS OF LEXINGTON COUNTY FOR HIS **DEDICATED SERVICE** IN THE HOUSE 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.'

Signature of Voter Dated on this	lay of	20
Signature of Witness	Printed Na	me of Witness
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	of20
Signature of Witness	Printed Name of Witness
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

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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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design</u>, <u>size and stock</u>, <u>as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, <u>to permit processing by a tabulating machine</u>. 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.

(e)(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

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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

<u>board of voter registration and elections</u> and <u>may shall</u> 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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 $\frac{\text{items item}}{\text{item}}$ (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:

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"() 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.'

Signature of Voter		
Dated on this	day of	20
Signature of Witness	Printed N	Name of Witness
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 <u>and printed name</u> of the witness shall appear on the oath. In the event the voter cannot write because of a physical

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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		
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Signature of Witness	Printed Name	e of Witness
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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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) <u>Date stamp voter registration applications</u>. <u>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.</u>
- (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

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- (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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A <u>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."</u>

- 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. <u>Ballot cards for all precincts shall be sourced solely by the State Election Commission</u>. 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.

(e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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 $\frac{\text{items item}}{\text{item}}$ (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

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management of such election is guilty of a <u>misdemeanor felony</u> and, upon conviction, must be fined not more than <u>five hundred one thousand</u> dollars <u>or nor more than five thousand dollars and</u> imprisoned not more than <u>three five</u> years, <u>or both</u>."

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.'

Signature of Voter		
Dated on this da	y of 20 _	_
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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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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:

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"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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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."</u>
- 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) <u>Date stamp voter registration applications</u>. <u>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.</u>
- (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,

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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 <u>for all precincts</u> shall be <u>sourced</u> <u>solely</u> <u>of suitable design, size and stock, as prescribed</u> by the State Election Commission, to permit processing by a tabulating machine. A <u>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."</u>

- 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 <u>and all qualified electors eighteen</u> <u>years of age or older who have died out-of-state</u> 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.

- (e)(D) A county board of voter registration and elections shall eontact 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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

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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

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'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:

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"(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
- (4) Disabled American Veterans
- (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 $\frac{56 - 3 - 14710}{56 - 3 - 14720}$, or $\frac{56 - 3 - 14730}{56 - 3 - 14920}$, or $\frac{56 - 3 - 14930}{56 - 3 - 14920}$. The surviving spouse may apply to the department to transfer a license plate previously issued to the award recipient under the provisions of Section $\frac{56 - 3 - 14710}{56 - 3 - 14720}$, or $\frac{56 - 3 - 14720}{56 - 3 - 14920}$, or $\frac{56 - 3 - 14930}{56 - 3 - 14920}$, or $\frac{56 - 3 - 14930}{56 - 3 - 14920}$. 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 eriteria 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.

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Reps. ALLISON and MORGAN proposed the following Amendment No. 2 to S. 1237 (COUNCIL\CM\1237C004.GT.CM22), which was adopted:

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 <u>and 2022</u> Women's Basketball National Champions' Special License Plates

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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)
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 - (4) Army
 - (5) Marine Corps
 - (6) Navy
 - (7) Air Force
 - (8) Coast Guard
 - (9) US Space Force
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SECTION 4. Section 56-3-14960(A) of the 1976 Code, as added by Act 38 of 2021, is amended to read:

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 - (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
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 - (3) American Legion
 - (4) Disabled American Veterans
 - (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 eriteria 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.

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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Bailey Ballentine Bamberg Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Brawley Bustos Brittain Burns Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Crawford Collins W. Cox Dabney Davis Daning Dillard Erickson Elliott Felder Forrest Fry Gagnon Garvin Gilliam Govan Hardee Haddon Hart Henderson-Myers Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hosey Hiott Hixon Hvde Howard Huggins

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King Kirby Ligon
Long Lowe Lucas
Magnuson Matthews May
McCabe McCravy McDaniel
McGarry McKnight J. Moore

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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:

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 Jordan Jones Kirby Ligon King Long Lowe Lucas Magnuson Matthews May McCabe **McDaniel** McCravy McGarry McKnight J. Moore Morgan D. C. Moss T. Moore 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 Weeks West Trantham Wheeler White Wetmore 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 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. THE POWERS OF REGULATE THE OFFICE 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 **REOUIRED** 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, 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) 'ehartered 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) 'ehartered Volunteer fire department' means a fire department whose personnel serve for no compensation or are paid on a per-call basis; and
- (c) 'ehartered 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:

Atkinson Alexander Anderson Bailey Ballentine Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Brawley Brittain **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter W. Cox Crawford Collins Dabney Davis Daning Dillard Elliott Erickson Felder Forrest Fry Gilliam Gagnon Garvin Gilliard Govan Haddon

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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, TO AND **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;
- (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

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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 <u>'Patriot Day', 'Constitution Day', and</u> '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:

Allison Anderson Bailey Ballentine Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain Brawley **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey W. Cox Chumley Collins Crawford Daning Dabnev Davis Elliott Erickson Felder Finlay Forrest Gagnon Garvin Fry Gilliam Haddon Govan Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Hyde Jefferson J. E. Johnson

K. O. Johnson Jones Jordan King Ligon Long Lucas Magnuson Lowe May McCabe McCravy McGarry T. Moore Morgan D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy B. Newton Oremus Nutt Sandifer Simrill Pope G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Tedder Thayer Trantham West Wetmore Wheeler White Whitmire R. Williams Wooten Willis Yow

Total--81

Those who voted in the negative are:

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;
- (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

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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;
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- (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:

Alexander Allison Atkinson Bailey Bannister Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain Bryant **Bustos** Calhoon Chumley Caskey W. Cox Crawford Daning Davis Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Gagnon Garvin Gilliard Govan Hardee Hart Herbkersman Henegan

Hiott Hill Hosey Hyde J. L. Johnson J. E. Johnson Jones Jordan Kirby Ligon Lowe Lucas Matthews May McDaniel McCravy J. Moore T. Moore D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murray B. Newton Oremus Ott Pendarvis Pope Rose Rutherford G. M. Smith Simrill Taylor Tedder

Anderson
Bamberg
Bernstein
Brawley
Burns
Carter
Collins
Dabney
Dillard
Felder
Fry
Gilliam
Haddon

Hewitt Hixon Jefferson K. O. Johnson

Henderson-Myers

King
Long
Magnuson
McCabe
McGarry
Morgan
Murphy
Nutt
Parks
Rivers
Sandifer
M. M. Smith
Thayer

Thigpen	Trantham	Weeks
West	Wetmore	White
Whitmire	R. Williams	Willis

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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
AreaPopulation
County: Oconee SC
Holly Springs 652

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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
  Tract 102.01
        Blocks: 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2060
Holly Springs Subtotal 593
Mountain View
Six Mile Mountain
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 2
AreaPopulation
  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
  Stone Church Subtotal 0
  County Pickens SC Subtotal 0
DISTRICT 2 Total 40,789
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 3
AreaPopulation
  County: Pickens SC
  Abel 2,291
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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,
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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
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 4
AreaPopulation
  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,
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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
Holly Springs Subtotal 1,378
Lenhardt
  Tract 106.03
        Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1011, 1012, 1013 729
Lenhardt Subtotal 729
Nine Forks 1,909
Norris
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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
  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
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 5
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 6
AreaPopulation
  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
     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,
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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,
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      2025, 2026, 2027, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2033, 2036 869
  Tract 107.01
        Blocks: 1041, 1042, 1043
  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
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      2083, 2085, 2086 1713
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      3065, 3066, 3067, 3068 2838
Pendleton Subtotal 4,551
Piercetown
   Tract 105.01
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      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
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,
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      1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024,
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      2007, 2008, 2009, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030,
      2031 2880
White Plains Subtotal 3,599
County Anderson SC Subtotal 40,247
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40,247
DISTRICT 6 Total
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 7
AreaPopulation
  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
     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
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Jackson Mill
      Tract 117.02
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 8
AreaPopulation
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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
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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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 9
AreaPopulation
  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
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  Anderson 6/1 2,878
  Bowling Green
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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
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,
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      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
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DISTRICT 9 Total
                   41,974
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 10
AreaPopulation
  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,
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4007, 4008, 4009, 4010, 4011, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015,
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      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,
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      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
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County Pickens SC Subtotal 6,042
DISTRICT 10 Total 42,158
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 11
AreaPopulation
  County: Abbeville SC
  Abbeville No. 1
  Abbeville No. 2
                   2,160
  Abbeville No. 3
                   2,169
  Abbeville No. 4
                   1,188
  Antreville 1,725
  Broadmouth
     Tract 9501
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  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,
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           498
     Tract 9502
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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         1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024,
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         1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051,
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     Tract 9503
           Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1003, 1042 40
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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,
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     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 12
AreaPopulation
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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,
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      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
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         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,
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         2042, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048, 2049, 2050,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 13
AreaPopulation
  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,
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  Tract 9710
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      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,
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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,
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      2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 4036
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 14
AreaPopulation
  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
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HICKORY TAVERN 3,523
JONES
  Tract 9201.04
        Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1011, 1018, 1019,
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      1033, 1034, 1035, 1038, 1043, 3006 654
  Tract 9201.05
        Blocks: 2054
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,
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      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,
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         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
     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 15
AreaPopulation
  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
  Foster Creek 1 Subtotal 561
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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,
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      1025, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2024, 2025, 3000,
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3001, 3027, 3029, 3030 3202
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  Deer Park 2A
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     Tract 31.15
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         3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026,
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         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
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 16
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  BELLS CROSSING
     Tract 30.08
           Blocks: 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2006, 2007, 2008,
         2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 1481
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      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,
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  Tract 9201.05
        Blocks: 1011, 1012, 1013, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1022,
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         2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023,
         2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032,
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         2051, 2052, 2053, 2064, 2065
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     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,
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           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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 17
AreaPopulation
  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
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Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004
  Tract 39.02
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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,
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      1033, 1034, 1036, 1037, 1040, 1041, 2015, 3000, 3001,
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      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,
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     Tract 38.03
           Blocks: 1000, 2000, 2001 20
     Tract 39.02
           Blocks: 1010, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016, 1017,
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         1034, 1035, 1036, 1037 212
     Tract 39.05
           Blocks: 2057
     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
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 18
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 19
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  AIKEN
     Tract 22.02
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1025, 1026,
         1027, 1028, 1029, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2029
  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,
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      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,
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      3040, 3041, 3042, 3043, 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048,
      3049, 3051, 3054, 3058, 3059
  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
  Tract 23.02
        Blocks: 1029
  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
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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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 20 AreaPopulation 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, [HJ] 298

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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
GREENVILLE 1 Subtotal 442
GREENVILLE 27
  Tract 12.03
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006
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
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
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Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2008
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 21
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  ASHETON LAKES 4,068
  CANEBRAKE 3,597
  CIRCLE CREEK
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           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,
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         2047 1733
  MAPLE CREEK Subtotal 2,969
  OAKVIEW 3,861
  PALMETTO 2,924
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PELHAM FALLS 1,570
  RIVERSIDE 4,074
  SILVERLEAF
     Tract 26.12
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     Tract 26.13
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          1689
  SILVERLEAF Subtotal 2,217
  STONEHAVEN 2,677
  SUBER MILL
     Tract 25.03
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 22
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  BOILING SPRINGS
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         2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014
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  DOVE TREE 2,632
  FEASTER 2,321
  GREENVILLE 1
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      4029, 4030 1725
  Tract 11.02
        Blocks: 1005 31
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GREENVILLE 24
  Tract 18.08
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      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
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
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      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
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784
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         2018, 2019 473
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  GREENVILLE 5
     Tract 1
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 23
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  AIKEN
     Tract 21.04
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         1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024, 1030, 1031, 1032, 1033,
         2019 966
  AIKEN Subtotal 1,454
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         2013, 2014, 2027, 2028, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2037
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CHESTNUT HILLS Subtotal 1,476
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      2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018
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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
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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
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  Tract 18.10
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GREENVILLE 4
  Tract 9
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        726
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      2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031,
      2032, 2033 1202
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  Tract 1
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  Tract 2
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  GREENVILLE 8 Subtotal 4,440
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         1039, 1040, 1041, 1042, 1043
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         2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
         2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020 460
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           Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019,
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           Blocks: 4011, 5007, 5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012
           566
  LEAWOOD Subtotal 1,416
  MONAVIEW
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           Blocks: 3004, 3005 0
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  WESTCLIFFE
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           Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008, 3010
  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
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           Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2032
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  County Greenville SC Subtotal 40,323
DISTRICT 23 Total 40,323
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 24
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  CHESTNUT HILLS
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         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
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         2015, 2016, 2017, 2020, 2021
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           Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
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      1009, 1010, 1011 194
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GREENVILLE 16 2,502
GREENVILLE 17
  Tract 4
        Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2019 127
  Tract 42
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      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
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  Tract 14
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  Tract 14
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      2007, 2008, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
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GREENVILLE 21 Subtotal 1,480
GREENVILLE 22 3,046
GREENVILLE 23
  Tract 14
        Blocks: 1004 4
  Tract 19
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  Tract 19
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       2858
  Tract 44
        Blocks: 2022, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031,
      2032, 2033, 2037, 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041
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
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      1038 2868
MAULDIN 1 Subtotal 2,884
MAULDIN 2
              6,409
MAULDIN 4
  Tract 29.03
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  MAULDIN 5
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  SOUTHSIDE
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         2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035,
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          2027
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DISTRICT 24 Total 42,236
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 25
AreaPopulation
  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
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CHESTNUT HILLS Subtotal 163
CONESTEE
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      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
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        Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
      2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2024
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  Tract 34.01
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DONALDSON Subtotal 2,126
GREENVILLE 19
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        Blocks: 1033, 1034, 1035, 1037 380
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      2022, 2023, 2024 2496
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        Blocks: 2022, 2023, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030,
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        Blocks: 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024 225
GREENVILLE 20 Subtotal 225
GREENVILLE 29
  Tract 19
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  Tract 29.01
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      1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024,
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      1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056, 1057, 1058, 1059, 1060,
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      1072 3286
  Tract 29.04
        Blocks: 1006
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
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  Tract 35
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      2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012,
      2013, 2014, 2015, 2016 2354
GROVE Subtotal 3.123
MAULDIN 1
  Tract 29.04
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MAULDIN 1 Subtotal 86
MT. PLEASANT 4,058
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PIEDMONT
  Tract 33.01
        Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006,
      2007, 2008, 2029, 2030, 2033, 2034, 2035, 3000, 3001,
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      4029 2784
  Tract 35
        Blocks: 1017, 1036, 1037, 1041, 1042, 1043, 1044
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,
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      4016, 4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4022, 4023 2220
REEDY FORK Subtotal 3,457
ROYAL OAKS
               2,245
SOUTHSIDE
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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
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  WOODMONT Subtotal 3,992
  County Greenville SC Subtotal 40,607
DISTRICT 25 Total 40,607
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 26
AreaPopulation
  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
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  Springdale Subtotal 0
  Springfield 3,272
  Stateline
     Tract 610.06
           Blocks: 1014
     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 27
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  BRIDGE FORK 2,014
  GREENBRIAR 2,388
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HILLCREST
                 3,560
  HOLLY TREE
     Tract 28.12
           Blocks: 3010, 3011 426
  HOLLY TREE Subtotal 426
  MAULDIN 3
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  MAULDIN 4
     Tract 29.03
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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         1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024,
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     Tract 30.10
           Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004
  MAULDIN 4 Subtotal 3,138
  MAULDIN 5
     Tract 28.11
           Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1034
                                               1759
           Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1029, 1054, 1055
  MAULDIN 5 Subtotal 1,759
  MAULDIN 6
     Tract 28.12
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         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
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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,
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     Tract 30.11
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         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
  SIMPSONVILLE 3 Subtotal 3,419
  SIMPSONVILLE 4 3,140
  SIMPSONVILLE 5
     Tract 30.05
           Blocks: 1039, 1040, 1042, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046,
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     Tract 30.11
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 28
AreaPopulation
  County: Greenville SC
  BAKER CREEK 2,435
  CONESTEE
     Tract 29.01
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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 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 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 **DUNKLIN Subtotal 2,766** FORK SHOALS 3,047 **GREENVILLE 29** Tract 29.01 Blocks: 1073 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,

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1016, 1017, 1018 2903
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     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
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 29
AreaPopulation
  County: Cherokee SC
  Allens 1,748
  Alma Mill
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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,
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         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
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Delphia Subtotal 2,486
  Hickory Grove 1,686
  McConnells 2,445
  Oakridge
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           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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 30
AreaPopulation
  County: Cherokee SC
  Alma Mill
      Tract 9703.02
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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     Tract 9705.02
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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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 31 AreaPopulation 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, [HJ]

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      2015, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023,
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      2033, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037
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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,
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   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,
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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,
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        Blocks: 2030
Cornerstone Baptist Subtotal 2,294
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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
Hayne Baptist Subtotal
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Holy Communion
  Tract 206.02
        Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009,
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  Tract 220.06
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      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
Mt. Moriah Baptist
  Tract 209
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008 326
  Tract 210.01
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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      2003 641
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         1127, 1128 351
  Mt. Moriah Baptist Subtotal 2,452
  Mt. Zion Gospel Baptist
     Tract 207.02
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         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,
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     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 32
AreaPopulation
  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,
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  Ben Avon Methodist Subtotal 509
  Bethany Baptist
     Tract 216
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1007,
         2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006
  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
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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,
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Cowpens Fire Station Subtotal
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,
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      1098, 1099, 1100, 1101, 1102, 1107, 1108, 1109, 1110
        1281
  Tract 222.01
        Blocks: 2046
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
  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
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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 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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 33 AreaPopulation County: Spartanburg SC Ben Avon Methodist Tract 221.01 Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 2016, 2017 [HJ] 328

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 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 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

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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
  Woodland Heights Recreation Center Subtotal 0
  County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 40,894
DISTRICT 33 Total 40,894
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 34
AreaPopulation
  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
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Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013 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

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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,
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     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 35
AreaPopulation
  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
     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
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Tract 28.15
           Blocks: 3009, 3010 403
     Tract 30.08
           Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1015
  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,
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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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 36 AreaPopulation 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

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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,
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      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,
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      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
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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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 37 AreaPopulation 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 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 Hope Subtotal 1,419 Oakland Elementary Tract 224.04 Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2028, 2029, 3023, 3025, 3027, 3028, 3029 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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 38 AreaPopulation 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

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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
  Oakland Elementary Subtotal 1,312
  Swofford Career Center 5.388
  County Spartanburg SC Subtotal 41,175
DISTRICT 38 Total 41,175
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 39
AreaPopulation
  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
  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,
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         4038, 4039, 4040, 4041 369
     Tract 214.03
           Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1011,
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      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
Clvde
       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,
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Ridge Spring/Monetta
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      2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027,
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      2112, 2113, 2114, 2115, 2116, 2117, 2118, 2119, 2120,
      2121, 2122, 3000, 3001, 3002, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007,
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      3031, 3033, 3039 1012
Ridge Spring/Monetta Subtotal 1,012
Saluda No. 1
   Tract 9602.02
         Blocks: 1008, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1020, 1021, 1022,
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      2068, 2073, 2084, 2085, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090, 2091
        1011
Saluda No. 1 Subtotal 1,011
Saluda No. 2
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           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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 40
AreaPopulation
  County: Lexington SC
  AMICKS FERRY
     Tract 212.05
           Blocks: 2008, 2010, 2011
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  AMICKS FERRY Subtotal 411
  DREHER ISLAND 2,160
  County Lexington SC Subtotal 2,571
  County: Newberry SC 37,719
DISTRICT 40 Total 40,290
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 41
AreaPopulation
  County: Chester SC
  Baldwin Mill
     Tract 202
           Blocks: 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015, 1016,
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      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
  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,
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      4025 1771
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        Blocks: 1051, 1053, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1062, 1063, 1064
Chester Ward 1 Subtotal 1,873
Chester Ward 2 1,439
Chester Ward 3 2,099
Chester Ward 4
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      2044, 2045, 2046, 2047, 2048
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Chester Ward 4 Subtotal 1,405
Chester Ward 5
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         2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2049, 3000, 3001,
         3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007, 3008
     Tract 206.02
           Blocks: 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014,
         2015, 2032, 2046, 2047, 2063, 2064, 2065
  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
  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,
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  Wilksburg Subtotal 719
  County Chester SC Subtotal 13,029
  County: Fairfield SC
  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,
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         3032 1959
     Tract 101.06
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  Blythewood 2 Subtotal 2,078
  Kelly Mill 3,420
  Round Top 951
  County Richland SC Subtotal 6,449
DISTRICT 41 Total 40,426
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 42
AreaPopulation
  County: Laurens SC
  CLINTON 1 2,550
  CLINTON 2 2,759
  CLINTON 3
     Tract 9206
           Blocks: 3111
     Tract 9208
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         2044, 2046 1892
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CLINTON 3 Subtotal 1,892
  CLINTON MILL
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     Tract 9207
           Blocks: 1000, 1002, 1005, 1009, 1010, 1016, 1017,
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         1029, 1030, 2007, 2015, 2016, 2025, 4000, 4001, 4002,
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         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
  County: Union SC 27,244
DISTRICT 42 Total 40,423
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 43
AreaPopulation
  County: Chester SC
  Baldwin Mill
     Tract 205
           Blocks: 3004, 3005, 3007, 3009, 3012, 3015, 3018,
         3019, 3020, 3021, 3027, 3028
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Baldwin Mill Subtotal 508
Baton Rouge 988
Beckhamville 1,237
Blackstock 918
Chester Ward 1
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      1056, 1057, 1061 402
  Tract 205
        Blocks: 3003
                       48
Chester Ward 1 Subtotal 450
Chester Ward 4
  Tract 206.02
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Chester Ward 4 Subtotal 14
Chester Ward 5
  Tract 206.02
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      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
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      1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 1040, 1041, 1042,
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           Blocks: 1000, 3000, 3001, 3002 354
  Lowrys Subtotal 1,402
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  Rodman
     Tract 204
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         2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2032, 2035, 2038 109
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         2001, 2002, 2003, 2020, 2021, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029,
         2030, 2068 997
      Tract 207
           Blocks: 1003, 1004, 1005, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013,
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         1032, 1033, 1034, 1057, 1062, 1063, 1064
  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,
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         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,
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1013, 1014, 2000, 2001 269
  Tract 612.05
        Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038,
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Friendship Subtotal 1,009
Hopewell
  Tract 612.02
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  Tract 612.03
        Blocks: 2016 0
  Tract 612.05
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Hopewell Subtotal 862
Independence 1,401
Lesslie 2,181
Manchester
  Tract 609.01
        Blocks: 1036, 1039, 1072 0
  Tract 612.04
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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,
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Mt. Holly Subtotal 1,298
Neelys Creek 1,612
Six Mile 1,774
Springdale
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           Blocks: 1040 0
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     Tract 612.05
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  Springdale Subtotal 2,231
  County York SC Subtotal
                            21,076
DISTRICT 43 Total 40,341
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 44
AreaPopulation
  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,
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     Tract 112.11
           Blocks: 1018, 1019, 1020, 1022, 1025, 1026, 1027,
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  Van Wyck Subtotal 785
  County Lancaster SC Subtotal 40,454
DISTRICT 44 Total 40,454
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AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 45
AreaPopulation
  County: Kershaw SC
  Liberty Hill 663
  Rabon's X Roads 2,641
  Salt Pond
     Tract 9704.01
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  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,
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         2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024,
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     Tract 110.01
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  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
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Riverside 1,176
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  University 1,761
  Van Wyck
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     Tract 112.09
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     Tract 112.11
           Blocks: 1048
   Van Wyck Subtotal 517
  County Lancaster SC Subtotal 34,699
DISTRICT 45 Total 40,294
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 46
AreaPopulation
  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,
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     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,
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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
  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,
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1019, 1020, 1023, 1024, 1025, 1026, 1027, 1028, 1029,
         1030, 1031, 2009, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 3000,
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         3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016 2157
     Tract 605.01
           Blocks: 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3020, 3026
     Tract 606
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002 9
     Tract 607
           Blocks: 2009
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 47
AreaPopulation
  County: York SC
  Allison Creek
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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
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Tract 616.02
           Blocks: 3006
  Tirzah Subtotal 2,893
  Tools Fork
     Tract 614.03
           Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3013
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 48
AreaPopulation
  County: York SC
  Allison Creek
     Tract 609.10
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Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2007, 2008,
      2009, 2031 1067
Allison Creek Subtotal 1,067
Anderson Road
   Tract 609.01
        Blocks: 3005
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
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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 49
AreaPopulation
  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
  Edgewood 4,234
  Fairgrounds
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Tract 605.01
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      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
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Blocks: 2025, 2026, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3021,
      3022, 3028, 3029, 3030, 3031, 3032, 3033
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
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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
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     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 50
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 51
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 52
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
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      1055, 1056, 1057, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064,
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      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
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
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Webber Subtotal 664
  County Richland SC Subtotal 25,370
DISTRICT 52 Total 42,210
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 53
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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,
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         2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 3037,
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                                       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,
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         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
  Unity Subtotal 1,374
  County Lancaster SC Subtotal 11,895
DISTRICT 53 Total 40,677
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 54
AreaPopulation
  County: Chesterfield SC
  Brocks Mill 2,423
  Cash 1,355
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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
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Blocks: 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014,
         1015, 1016, 1017, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013,
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         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
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 55
AreaPopulation
  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
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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,
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      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
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
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1289
Florence Ward 9 Subtotal 1,289
Gilbert
  Tract 3
        Blocks: 2011, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2034, 2035, 2036
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      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
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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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 56
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AreaPopulation
  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
  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
  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
     Tract 604.05
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 57
AreaPopulation
  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,
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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
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
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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,
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      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
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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

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,

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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
AreaPopulation
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DISTRICT 58
AreaPopulation
  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,
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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,
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      1101, 1102 1998
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RACEPATH #1 Subtotal 2,118
RACEPATH #2 2,803
RED HILL #1
  Tract 601.01
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      1081 318
RED HILL #1 Subtotal 318
TODDVILLE
  Tract 706.02
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TODDVILLE Subtotal
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WEST CONWAY
  Tract 703
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         2012, 2013, 2018 137
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  WEST CONWAY Subtotal 240
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DISTRICT 58 Total 40,943
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 59
AreaPopulation
  County: Florence SC
  Back Swamp
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         3037, 3042 1089
  Back Swamp Subtotal 1,089
  Brookgreen 1,150
  Claussen 2,856
  Coles Crossroads 3,889
  Florence Ward 1
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           Blocks: 3003, 3004, 3005 59
     Tract 7
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         2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015,
         2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2061 146
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  Florence Ward 10 1,078
  Florence Ward 11
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  Florence Ward 15
     Tract 6
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Florence Ward 15 Subtotal 964
Florence Ward 2
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Florence Ward 2 Subtotal
                         1,521
Florence Ward 3 1,954
Florence Ward 4
  Tract 10
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                                     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
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      2007, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013
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Florence Ward 5 Subtotal 931
Florence Ward 9
  Tract 8
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        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,
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  Tract 7
        Blocks: 2020, 2024, 2025, 2026, 2027, 2028, 2029,
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      2054, 2055 386
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Gilbert Subtotal
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Greenwood 3,368
Mars Bluff No. 1
  Tract 4
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      4019, 4020, 4022 105
  Tract 5.01
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      2003, 2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011,
      2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016
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      1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1038, 1039, 2000, 2001, 2012
        1689
  Tract 16.01
        Blocks: 2000
                         384
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      1027, 1054, 1065 406
Mars Bluff No. 1 Subtotal 4,861
Mars Bluff No. 2
  Tract 4
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      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
Quinby Subtotal 85
South Florence 2
  Tract 16.01
        Blocks: 2028, 2029, 2030, 2033, 3018, 3019, 3020,
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South Florence 2 Subtotal 1,131
Spaulding
  Tract 3
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      3117, 3118, 3119, 3120, 3121, 3122 931
Spaulding Subtotal 931
West Florence 1
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      2018, 2019, 2035, 2036, 2037, 2041 510
  Tract 2.01
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West Florence 1 Subtotal 510
West Florence 2
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      1012, 1013, 1014, 1015 200
West Florence 2 Subtotal 209
County Florence SC Subtotal 33,225
County: Marion SC
Marion North
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         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
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      3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3023, 3024, 3058
  Tract 9505
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      1049, 1050, 1051, 1052 409
Northeast Mullins Subtotal 1,196
Northwest Mullins
   Tract 9503
        Blocks: 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2022,
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Northwest Mullins Subtotal 523
  Sellers 284
  Temperance 1,669
  Zion 708
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AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 60
AreaPopulation
  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
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           Blocks: 2108, 2112, 2115, 2116 0
     Tract 15.04
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         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
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Scranton 1,317
  South Florence 2
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 61
AreaPopulation
  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,
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     Tract 702
           Blocks: 1042, 1043, 1047, 1048, 1049, 1050, 1051,
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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,
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      2053, 2054, 2055, 2056, 2101
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NORTH CONWAY #2 Subtotal 960
PALMETTO BAYS 6,073
RACEPATH #1
  Tract 703
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      2041, 2042, 2048, 2049, 2050, 2051, 2052
RACEPATH #1 Subtotal 155
RED HILL #1
  Tract 601.01
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RED HILL #2 3,554
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  SOCASTEE #4
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     Tract 515.03
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  SOCASTEE #4 Subtotal 2.526
  WACCAMAW 6,778
  WEST CONWAY
     Tract 703
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  WEST CONWAY Subtotal 1,094
  WILD WING
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  WILD WING Subtotal 2
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DISTRICT 61 Total 42,264
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 62
AreaPopulation
  County: Darlington SC
  AUBURN 843
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                         450
  DARLINGTON NO. 2
                         2,238
  DARLINGTON NO. 3
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      3016, 3018, 3019 1953
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  Tract 113.02
        Blocks: 2049 0
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        Blocks: 1001, 4005, 4006, 4007, 4008, 4009 85
DARLINGTON NO. 3 Subtotal 2,979
DARLINGTON NO. 4
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DARLINGTON NO. 5
                      2,187
DARLINGTON NO. 6
                      2,768
DOVESVILLE
  Tract 109.02
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DOVESVILLE Subtotal 518
HARTSVILLE NO. 4 1,468
HARTSVILLE NO. 6 1,751
HARTSVILLE NO. 7 2,061
HARTSVILLE NO. 9
  Tract 103
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HIGH HILL 4,043
INDIAN BRANCH 1,178
LAKE SWAMP 1,907
LAMAR NO. 1
                1,081
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LAMAR NO. 2
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  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,
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     Tract 26
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  County Florence SC Subtotal 5,126
DISTRICT 62 Total 40,691
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 63
AreaPopulation
  County: Florence SC
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  Delmae No. 2
     Tract 2.02
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     Tract 13
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Ebenezer No. 3
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   Tract 2.02
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Ebenezer No. 3 Subtotal 1.883
Florence Ward 11
  Tract 11
         Blocks: 2018, 2019, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004,
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Florence Ward 11 Subtotal 977
Florence Ward 12 3,662
Florence Ward 14 3,103
Florence Ward 15
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  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
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      1046 1051
Florence Ward 4 Subtotal 1,051
Florence Ward 5
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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,
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      1016, 1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021, 1022, 1023, 1024,
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      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,
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      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,
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        521
West Florence 1 Subtotal 4,438
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West Florence 2
     Tract 2.01
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         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
  West Florence 2 Subtotal 1,947
  County Florence SC Subtotal 40,290
DISTRICT 63 Total 40,290
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 64
AreaPopulation
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 65
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AreaPopulation
  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,
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         1048, 1049, 1050, 1051, 1052, 1053, 1054, 1055, 1056,
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         1084, 1085, 1086, 1110, 1111, 1112, 1113, 1114, 1115,
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         2036, 2041, 2043, 2044, 2045, 2050, 2051, 2052, 2058,
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         2080, 2081, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085, 2086, 2087, 2088,
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         2098, 2099, 2100, 2101, 2102, 2103, 2104, 2105, 2106,
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         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,
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3025, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4005, 4012, 4013, 4014, 4015,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 66
AreaPopulation
  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
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Tega Cay 1,629
  Waterstone 3,275
  Windjammer 2,608
  County York SC Subtotal
                          40,255
DISTRICT 66 Total 40,255
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 67
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 68
AreaPopulation
  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
  SEA WINDS Subtotal 5,214
  SOCASTEE #1
                  3,175
  SOCASTEE #2
                  3,171
  SOCASTEE #3
     Tract 602.03
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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 AreaPopulation DISTRICT 69 AreaPopulation 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

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Blocks: 1007
  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 70
AreaPopulation
  County: Kershaw SC
  Airport
     Tract 9705
          Blocks: 2000
     Tract 9706.01
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Blocks: 3000, 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006,
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      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
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
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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
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      1027, 1028, 1029, 1033, 1034, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020,
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      3031, 3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3040, 3043, 3044, 3045,
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      5008, 5009, 5010, 5011, 5012, 5013, 5014, 5015, 5016,
      5017, 5018, 5019, 5020, 5021, 5022, 5024, 5032, 5035,
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      5048, 5049, 5050, 5055, 5056, 5057, 5058, 5059 2280
  Tract 9706.04
        Blocks: 2054, 2064, 2065, 2066, 2101
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
         1,606
Gadsden
Garners
  Tract 120
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Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1013,
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         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
   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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 71
AreaPopulation
  County: Lexington SC
  DUTCHMAN SHORES
      Tract 212.04
           Blocks: 2077, 2078, 2079, 2082, 2083, 2084, 2085,
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2086, 2087, 2088, 2089, 2090
     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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 72
AreaPopulation
  County: Richland SC
  Beatty Road 2,018
  Hampton
     Tract 26.02
           Blocks: 2035, 2036, 2037, 2038, 2040 158
     Tract 26.05
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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
  Tract 104.13
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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      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
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 73
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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
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     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
     Tract 107.02
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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      1016, 1017 895
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Fairlawn Subtotal 2,038
Fairwold
  Tract 106
        Blocks: 1040
  Tract 107.03
         Blocks: 3006, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012, 3013, 3014,
      3015, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4004, 4005, 4006, 4007,
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      4017, 4018, 4019, 4020, 4021, 4023 1028
Fairwold Subtotal 1,028
Harbison 1
            3,481
Harbison 2
            1,865
Keels 2
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  Tract 113.03
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Keels 2 Subtotal 565
Lincolnshire 2,980
Meadowlake 3,678
Monticello
   Tract 102
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      1057, 1058, 1059, 1060, 1061, 1062, 1063, 1064, 1065,
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      3012, 3013, 3014, 3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 3020,
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  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
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      2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015 3423
Riverwalk Subtotal 3,423
Walden
  Tract 103.15
        Blocks: 1022, 1023, 1048
  Tract 104.07
        Blocks: 2000, 2001, 2002 0
  Tract 104.08
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      1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1013, 1014, 1015 4495
  Tract 104.14
        Blocks: 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003, 4006, 4007, 4008,
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Walden Subtotal 6,163
Ward 21
  Tract 1
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Ward 21 Subtotal 1,622
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County Richland SC Subtotal 41,017
DISTRICT 73 Total 41,017
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 74
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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
   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,
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  Ward 1 Subtotal 2,011
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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,
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         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
  Westminster Subtotal 3,184
  County Richland SC Subtotal 41,779
DISTRICT 74 Total 41,779
AreaPopulation
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DISTRICT 75
AreaPopulation
  County: Richland SC
  Brandon 1
     Tract 116.03
           Blocks: 2038
     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
  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,
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         1017, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005, 2015, 2030,
         2031, 2032, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2050, 2051,
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      3035, 3036, 3037, 3038, 3039, 3040, 3041, 3042, 3043,
      3044, 3045, 3046, 3047 2637
Hampton Subtotal 2,637
Meadowfield
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
          2,579
Ward 25
Ward 26
  Tract 24
         Blocks: 2015, 2016, 2017, 3007, 3008, 3009 0
  Tract 113.07
        Blocks: 3016, 3018 0
  Tract 115.01
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      1082, 1083, 1084, 1085, 1086, 1087, 1088, 1089, 1090,
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      1100, 1101, 1102, 1103, 1104, 1105, 1106, 1107, 1108,
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      1118, 1119, 1120, 1122, 1123
  Tract 115.02
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         2007, 2008, 2009 600
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 76
AreaPopulation
  County: Richland SC
  Briarwood 4,389
  Dentsville 3,133
  Edgewood 2,771
  Fairwold
     Tract 107.03
           Blocks: 4022
                         14
     Tract 108.04
           Blocks: 1001
     Tract 109
           Blocks: 1000, 1001 4
  Fairwold Subtotal 18
  Greenview 2,022
  Keels 1 3,359
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Keels 2
  Tract 108.05
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      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
North Springs 1 Subtotal 23
North Springs 2
  Tract 114.18
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008,
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      2019, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025, 2026
  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
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      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
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Tract 109
           Blocks: 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008,
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         1039, 1043, 1044, 1045, 1046, 1049, 1050
     Tract 110
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003 19
   Ward 21 Subtotal 948
   Ward 7
     Tract 9
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         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,
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     Tract 110
           Blocks: 1031
   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,
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         3015, 3016, 3017, 3018, 3019, 4000, 4001, 4002, 4003,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 77
AreaPopulation
  County: Richland SC
  Blythewood 1 2,980
  Blythewood 2
      Tract 101.06
           Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1007, 1008, 1009,
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Blythewood 2 Subtotal 1,301
Blythewood 3 3,818
Fairlawn
  Tract 101.05
        Blocks: 1002, 1004, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010,
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  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
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
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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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 78
AreaPopulation
  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
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     Tract 113.07
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      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,
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      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,
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      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
  Tract 115.01
        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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      1029, 1031, 1032, 1034 2028
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         1007, 1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015,
         1016, 1017, 1018, 1019 556
     Tract 9801
           Blocks: 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007,
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   Ward 26 Subtotal 3.047
  Wildewood 3,982
  Woodfield
     Tract 113.05
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 79
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 80
AreaPopulation
  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
  Mt. Pleasant 17 Subtotal 3,786
  Mt. Pleasant 19 2,968
  Mt. Pleasant 24 1,040
  Mt. Pleasant 25 1,402
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Mt. Pleasant 27 4,062
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  Mt. Pleasant 29 385
  Mt. Pleasant 30 2,607
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  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
  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
  Mt. Pleasant 36 Subtotal 1,500
  County Charleston SC Subtotal 40,554
DISTRICT 80 Total 40,554
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 81
AreaPopulation
  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,
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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
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  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
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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
  Tract 220.03
        Blocks: 3007
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
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
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DISTRICT 81 Total 40,327
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 82
AreaPopulation
  County: Aiken SC
  Aiken No. 2
      Tract 214.01
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         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
  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
  China Springs 2,546
  Eureka
     Tract 203.01
           Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
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      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
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,
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Vaucluse Subtotal 2,487
County Aiken SC Subtotal 20,485
County: Edgefield SC
Brunson 711
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Edgefield No. 1
                1,211
Edgefield No. 2
   Tract 9702.04
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      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
  Tract 9705.02
        Blocks: 1000
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
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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
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,
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         3003 559
  Ward Subtotal 583
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DISTRICT 82 Total 40,382
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 83
AreaPopulation
  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
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  N. Augusta No. 68
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 84
AreaPopulation
  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
  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,
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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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 85
AreaPopulation
  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
  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
     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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 86
AreaPopulation
  County: Aiken SC
  Cedar Creek No. 64 1,897
  Couchton 1,878
  Eureka
     Tract 202
           Blocks: 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025, 3026, 3027,
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Eureka Subtotal 775
Monetta 1,868
Montmorenci No. 78
New Ellenton 2,247
New Holland 1,315
Oak Grove 1,804
Perry 1,242
Redds Branch
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Redds Branch Subtotal 1,421
Salley 888
Shaws Fork 970
Shiloh 2,730
Silver Bluff
  Tract 220.03
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  Tract 220.04
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SRS 0
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      2080, 2081 422
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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
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AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 87
AreaPopulation
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  BEULAH CHURCH 3,318
  LAKE MURRAY 1 3,078
  LAKE MURRAY 2 5,407
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           Blocks: 1031
  LEXINGTON NO. 2 Subtotal 2,845
  LEXINGTON NO. 3
     Tract 210.28
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         2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2036, 2037, 2038
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DISTRICT 87 Total 41,767
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 88
AreaPopulation
  County: Lexington SC
  CEDARCREST 2,743
  CONGAREE 1 3,187
  CONGAREE 2 1,720
  EDMUND 1
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         2020, 2023, 2025, 2030 444
     Tract 209.08
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  EDMUND 1 Subtotal 1,068
  EMMANUEL CHURCH 3,261
  GASTON 2
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GASTON 2 Subtotal
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LEXINGTON NO. 4 Subtotal 2,271
OLD BARNWELL ROAD
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PINE RIDGE 1
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  RED BANK SOUTH 2
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  ST. DAVIDS 3,939
  WHITE KNOLL 4,115
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DISTRICT 88 Total 41,566
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 89
AreaPopulation
  County: Lexington SC
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  CAYCE NO. 2
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     Tract 202.02
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  HOOK'S STORE 3,746
  LEAPHART ROAD 2,916
  MT. HEBRON 2,040
  OLD BARNWELL ROAD
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  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
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DISTRICT 89 Total 41,438
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 90
AreaPopulation
  County: Bamberg SC 13,311
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Edisto 466
Ruffin 370
Williams 404
County Colleton SC Subtotal 2,485
County: Dorchester SC
Grover 1,184
Reevesville
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Reevesville Subtotal 931
St. George No. 1
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St. George No. 1 Subtotal 119
County Dorchester SC Subtotal 2,234
County: Orangeburg SC
Bowman 1
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Bowman 2
            1,038
Branchville 1 1,425
Branchville 2
              680
Brookdale
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Brookdale Subtotal 939
Cope 904
Cordova 1 2,071
Cordova 2
  Tract 116
        Blocks: 2003, 2005, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012,
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Cordova 2 Subtotal 1,240
Edisto 1,541
Limestone 1
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Limestone 1 Subtotal 2,033
Limestone 2
  Tract 109.02
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        Blocks: 1011 0
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Nix 1,579
Rowesville 758
Suburban 1
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      2005, 2006, 2012 926
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Suburban 1 Subtotal 1,296
Suburban 5
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  Suburban 8
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         3035, 3036, 3037 1988
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DISTRICT 90 Total 40,768
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 91
AreaPopulation
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County: Barnwell SC 20,589
County: Orangeburg SC
Bolentown 1,973
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Limestone 2
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North 1
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  North 2
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  Norway 1,671
  Pine Hill 1,650
  Springfield 1,601
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DISTRICT 91 Total 40,597
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 92
AreaPopulation
  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
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  Stone Lake 1,899
  Stratford 2 2,110
  Stratford 3 3,338
  Stratford 4
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 93
AreaPopulation
  County: Calhoun SC
                        14,119
  County: Lexington SC
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     Tract 201
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           Blocks: 2024 0
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     Tract 206.05
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GASTON 1 2,574
PINE RIDGE 1
  Tract 206.05
        Blocks: 2038, 2039, 2040, 2041, 2042, 2043, 2044, 2045
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
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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
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Suburban 2 748
  Whittaker 1,613
  County Orangeburg SC Subtotal 14,967
DISTRICT 93 Total 40,638
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 94
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 95
AreaPopulation
  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
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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
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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
  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
  Suburban 7 Subtotal 1,315
  Suburban 8
     Tract 110
           Blocks: 1035, 1040, 1041, 2000, 2009, 2012, 2016,
         2018, 2019, 2023, 2025, 2027, 2032, 2035
  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
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DISTRICT 95 Total 40,415
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 96
AreaPopulation
  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
  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
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 97
AreaPopulation
  County: Colleton SC
  Bells 464
  Canady's 763
  Cottageville 2,438
  Horse Pen 1,050
  Hudson Mill 734
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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
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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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 98
AreaPopulation
  County: Dorchester SC
  Ashborough East 2,166
  Ashborough East 2 1,045
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 99
AreaPopulation
  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
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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,
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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,
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         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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 100
AreaPopulation
  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
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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,
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  Cross Subtotal 248
  Cypress 3,422
  Fifty-two 2,566
  Fox Bank 3,894
  Horseshoe
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     Tract 203.01
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     Tract 203.04
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     Tract 204.01
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  McBeth 1,324
  Medway
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  Moncks Corner 4 2,159
  Old 52 2,162
  Pimlico 1,586
  Pinopolis 2,417
  Whitesville 1 3,433
  Whitesville 2
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  Whitesville 2 Subtotal 1,355
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DISTRICT 100 Total 41,676
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 101
AreaPopulation
  County: Berkeley SC
  Alvin 1,230
  Bethera
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  Cordesville
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Cordesville Subtotal 749
Jamestown
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Macedonia Subtotal 1,896
Macedonia 2 306
St. Stephen 2
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St. Stephen 2 Subtotal 1,060
County Berkeley SC Subtotal 5,863
County: Florence SC
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                2.213
Lake City No. 2
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Lake City No. 3
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Lake City No. 4 2,767
McAllister Mill
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Bloomingvale Subtotal 446
Cades 734
Cedar Swamp
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  Tract 9705.01
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Cedar Swamp Subtotal 302
Central 1,032
Earles 1,016
Greeleyville 1,645
Harmony 466
Hebron 701
Indiantown
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      4043 422
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Indiantown Subtotal 867
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Kingstree No. 2
                1,608
Kingstree No. 3
                2,843
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Kingstree No. 4
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  Mount Vernon 474
  Pergamos 328
  Salters 2,542
  Sandy Bay 534
  Singletary 358
  Suttons 341
  Trio 1,068
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DISTRICT 101 Total 40,465
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 102
AreaPopulation
  County: Berkeley SC
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  Cane Bay 5,038
  Cross
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Wassamassaw 2
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Weatherstone Subtotal 2,885
Wildcat Trail 459
County Berkeley SC Subtotal 27,483
County: Dorchester SC
Carolina
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  Ridgeville 2 2,001
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AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 103
AreaPopulation
  County: Berkeley SC
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  Cainhoy
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  Cordesville
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  BROWN'S FERRY Subtotal 2,084
  CARVER'S BAY
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  CHOPPEE 1,396
  DREAM KEEPERS 1,275
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  GEORGETOWN NO. 3 2,283
  KENSINGTON
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PLEASANT HILL 1,153
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SANTEE
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DISTRICT 104
AreaPopulation
  County: Horry SC
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  BROOKSVILLE #2 1,727
  CHERRY GROVE #1 3,035
  CHERRY GROVE #2 1,554
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DISTRICT 105
AreaPopulation
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         4039, 4043 1481
   ADRIAN Subtotal 2,313
  ALLSBROOK
     Tract 203.01
           Blocks: 2007, 3007, 3008, 3009, 3010, 3011, 3012,
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     Tract 203.02
           Blocks: 2038
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  BAYBORO-GURLEY
     Tract 203.01
           Blocks: 3044, 3045, 3046, 3047, 3048, 3049, 3050, 3051
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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,
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  Tract 203.01
        Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006 81
EAST LORIS Subtotal 2,702
EBENEZER 2,832
HICKORY GROVE 2,334
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HOMEWOOD
  Tract 701.01
        Blocks: 1034, 1035, 1036, 1037, 1042, 3060 129
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        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
      1007, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1015, 1016, 1019, 1020,
      1021, 1022, 1031, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2005
  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
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,
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      1017, 1018, 1019, 1020, 1021
  Tract 603.09
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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,

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         1063, 1064, 1065, 1067, 1068, 1085, 1105
     Tract 604.04
           Blocks: 1004, 1005, 1006, 1007, 1008, 1009, 1010,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 106
AreaPopulation
  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
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SURFSIDE #2 1,068
  SURFSIDE #3 3,248
  SURFSIDE #4 3,405
  County Horry SC Subtotal 42,059
DISTRICT 106 Total 42,059
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 107
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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
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           Blocks: 0013
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  DUNES #2 2,274
  DUNES #3 1,246
  JET PORT #1 2,911
  JET PORT #3 2,309
  JET PORT #4 3,298
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  MYRTLEWOOD #2
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OCEAN FOREST #1 1,813
  OCEAN FOREST #2 2,330
  OCEAN FOREST #3 2,972
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 108
AreaPopulation
  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
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     Tract 9205.02
          Blocks: 1003, 2000, 2001, 2002, 2003, 2004, 2005,
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      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
  Tract 9207.02
        Blocks: 3001, 3002, 3003, 3004, 3005, 3006, 3007,
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      3017, 3018, 3019, 3020, 3021, 3022, 3023, 3024, 3025,
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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,
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           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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 109
AreaPopulation
  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,
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  North Charleston 2 Subtotal
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  North Charleston 21 2,704
  North Charleston 22 2,642
  North Charleston 23 3,360
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North Charleston 24
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         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,
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         2004, 2005, 2006, 2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012,
         2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017
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      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,
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  Lincoln Subtotal 3,362
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           Blocks: 1013 0
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         2008, 2014, 2015, 4000, 4001
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  Windsor 2 1,044
  County Dorchester SC Subtotal 16,054
DISTRICT 109 Total 42,020
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 110
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         3055 1696
     Tract 20.02
           Blocks: 3002
  James Island 17 Subtotal 1,696
  Mt. Pleasant 1 1,904
  Mt. Pleasant 13 1,630
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  Mt. Pleasant 16 948
  Mt. Pleasant 17
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           Blocks: 3017
  Mt. Pleasant 17 Subtotal 0
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  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,
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  St. Andrews 4 Subtotal 1,055
  County Charleston SC Subtotal 40,297
DISTRICT 110 Total 40,297
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 111
AreaPopulation
  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
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Blocks: 2013, 2014, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2023 266
     Tract 44
           Blocks: 1003, 1004, 2030, 2034, 2035, 2036, 2037,
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         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,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 112
AreaPopulation
  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,
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  Mt. Pleasant 35 Subtotal 517
  Mt. Pleasant 36
     Tract 46.09
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     Tract 46.10
           Blocks: 1020
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 113
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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,
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      4012, 4013, 4015, 4016, 4017, 4018 3147
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      2016, 2017, 2020, 2022 2197
Licolnville Subtotal 2,197
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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
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  Tract 31.08
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      2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 443
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  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
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           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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 114
AreaPopulation
  County: Charleston SC
  St. Andrews 20
      Tract 26.12
           Blocks: 1005, 1006, 1007, 1009, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1015
  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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 115
AreaPopulation
  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
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         2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015, 2019,
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     Tract 20.02
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  James Island 17 Subtotal 659
  James Island 19 2,233
  James Island 1A 2,687
  James Island 1B
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         2051, 2052, 2054, 2055, 2056
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     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
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James Island 8A 1,842
  James Island 8B 2,568
  James Island 9 1,837
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     Tract 21.07
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  Johns Island 3A Subtotal 4,695
  Johns Island 3B
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  Johns Island 4
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            Blocks: 2064
     Tract 21.03
            Blocks: 2029, 2030, 2031, 2032, 2033, 2034, 2035,
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 116
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AreaPopulation
  County: Charleston SC
  Edisto Island 1,884
  Johns Island 1A 2,742
  Johns Island 1B
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         1039, 1040, 1041, 1047, 1049
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 117
AreaPopulation
  County: Berkeley SC
  Cane Bay East 1,877
  Cane Bay North 2,008
  Cane Bay South 3,131
  Carnes Cross Road 2 1,460
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         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
  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
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Blocks: 3000, 3010, 3011, 3012 100
  Whitesville 2 Subtotal 156
  County Berkeley SC Subtotal 42,176
DISTRICT 117 Total 42,176
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 118
AreaPopulation
  County: Beaufort SC
  Bluffton 1A 2,885
  Bluffton 1D
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           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,
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         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
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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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 119
AreaPopulation
  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,
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         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,
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         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
  Johns Island 3A Subtotal 748
  Johns Island 4
     Tract 21.03
           Blocks: 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2024,
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  Johns Island 4 Subtotal 25
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  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
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  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
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         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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 120
AreaPopulation
  County: Beaufort SC
  Belfair 2,568
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Bluffton 1C 3,263
Bluffton 1D
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      2007, 2008, 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012, 2013, 2014, 2015,
      2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024,
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  Tract 21.08
        Blocks: 1020
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Bluffton 2A 2,380
Bluffton 2E
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      3006, 3007, 3008 1769
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Bluffton 3 1,289
Bluffton 4A
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        Blocks: 1000, 1001, 1002, 1003, 1004, 1005, 1006,
      1008, 1009, 1010, 1011, 1012, 1013, 1014, 1015 1326
  Tract 22.02
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      1112, 1113 20
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Bluffton 4B
  Tract 21.05
        Blocks: 1066, 1069 0
  Tract 21.06
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        1582
Bluffton 4B Subtotal 1,582
Bluffton 5A 2,881
Bluffton 5B 1,906
Burton 1A
  Tract 5.01
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Burton 1A Subtotal 3,256
Burton 1C
  Tract 5.01
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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,
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     Tract 105
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  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
AreaPopulation
DISTRICT 121
AreaPopulation
  County: Beaufort SC
  Beaufort 1
     Tract 6
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         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,
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         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
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  Burton 1D
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  Burton 2B
      Tract 5.02
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         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,
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      2059, 2060, 2067, 2086 506
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        115
Burton 3 Subtotal 3,084
Dale Lobeco 1,448
Hilton Head 2B
  Tract 108
        Blocks: 1002
Hilton Head 2B Subtotal 0
Seabrook 1
            2,057
Seabrook 2
            1,196
Seabrook 3
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Sheldon 1
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  Petits 365
  Rice Patch 847
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  County: Jasper SC
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  GILLISONVILLE 816
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  GRAHAMVILLE 2 4,213
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  HARDEEVILLE 1 2,211
  HARDEEVILLE 2 1,668
  HARDEEVILLE 3 941
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Burton 2B
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  Ladys Island 2C 1,336
  Ladys Island 3A 1,138
  Ladys Island 3B 1,738
  Ladys Island 3C 1,568
  Mossy Oaks 1A
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  Mossy Oaks 1B
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  St. Helena 1A
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  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
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- 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

J. L. Johnson

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Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Allison Anderson Ballentine Bamberg Bernstein Bennett Bradley Brawley **Bryant** Burns Calhoon Carter Chumley Clyburn W. Cox Collins Dabney Daning Dillard Elliott Felder Forrest Gagnon Garvin Gilliard Haddon Henderson-Myers Hart Hewitt Hill Hosey Hixon Huggins Hyde

Lowe Lucas
Matthews May
McCravy McGarry
T. Moore Morgan
V. S. Moss Murphy
Nutt Oremus
Parks Pendarvis

J. E. Johnson

Jones

Kirby

Bailey Bannister Blackwell Brittain Bustos Caskey Cobb-Hunter Crawford Davis Erickson Fry Gilliam Hardee Herbkersman Hiott Howard

Jefferson
K. O. Johnson
King
Long
Magnuson
McCabe
J. Moore
D. C. Moss
B. Newton
Ott
Pope

Robinson Rose Rutherford Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Tedder Thayer Thigpen Trantham Weeks West Wetmore Wheeler White Whitmire Willis Yow Wooten

Total--102

Those who voted in the negative are:

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.

STATEMENT FOR JOURNAL

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 one thousand 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.'

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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 ballot₅:

- (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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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 returnaddressed 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) <u>driver's license issued by a state within the United States;</u>
- (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 returnaddressed 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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>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.</u>
- (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) <u>automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for</u> 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 <u>from the county board of voter registration and elections</u> 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
- (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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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) <u>direct and supervise the implementation of the standardized</u> 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;

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- (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 Commission 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 <u>five</u> 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:

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:

Allison Atkinson Bailey Ballentine Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Burns Brittain **Bryant** Calhoon Carter **Bustos** Caskey Chumley Cobb-Hunter W. Cox Crawford Collins Dabney Daning Davis Dillard Elliott Erickson Felder Finlay Forrest Garvin Fry Gagnon Gilliam Gilliard Haddon Hardee Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Huggins Hyde J. E. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jones Jordan Kirby King 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 Parks Ott Pendarvis Robinson Simrill Pope G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Weeks Thayer Trantham White Willis West

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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:

Atkinson Ballentine Allison Bamberg Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Brittain **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Cobb-Hunter Collins W. Cox Crawford Dabney Dillard Daning Davis Elliott Erickson Felder Finlay Forrest Fry Gilliam Gagnon Garvin

Haddon Hardee Henderson-Myers

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Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Nutt Oremus Ott Pendarvis Pope **Parks** Robinson Rutherford Rose Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith Taylor Thayer Trantham Weeks West Wheeler R. Williams Willis White

Wooten Yow

Total--89

Those who voted in the negative are:

Alexander Brawley Hart Hosey Howard J. L.

HoseyHowardJ. L. JohnsonKingMatthewsMcDanielJ. MooreMurrayRivers

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 one thousand 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 $\underline{\text{must}}$ be placed in the proper place on the appropriate ballot, stating whether it is a state, congressional, legislative, county, or other office. $\underline{\text{A}}$ 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 da	y of20	-
Signature of Witness	Printed Name of Witne	- SS
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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 <u>an election</u>, 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) <u>persons sixty-five years of age or older</u> 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 <u>county</u> 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.'

Signature of Voter Dated on this	day of	20	
Signature of Witness	Printed N	inted Name of Witness	

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 returnaddressed 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

<u>a return-addressed envelope pursuant to this section, he must produce a</u> 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 returnaddressed 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 <u>absentee ballot</u> tabulation must not be publicly reported until after the polls are closed. <u>An election official, election worker</u>, 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 east 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;"

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"(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) <u>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.</u>

(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) <u>automatic resolution functionality for ballots flagged for further review."</u>
- 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

- (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 <u>official</u> 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;
- $\frac{(3)(2)}{(5)(2)}$ 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.
- (e)(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) <u>direct and supervise the implementation of the standardized</u> 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 <u>a</u> reasonable price, <u>not to exceed five</u> <u>hundred dollars</u>, 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 <u>five</u> 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 Gilliam Forrest Fry Haddon Herbkersman Hill Hiott Huggins Hixon Hyde Jones Ligon Long Magnuson Lucas McCabe T. Moore May V. S. Moss Nutt Morgan

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Total--41

Those who voted in the negative are:

Alexander Anderson Atkinson Ballentine Bannister Bamberg Bennett Bernstein Bradley Brawley Brittain **Bryant** Calhoon Cobb-Hunter Clyburn Collins W. Cox Crawford Daning Dillard Finlay Gagnon Garvin Gilliard Govan Hardee Hart Hewitt Henderson-Myers Henegan Hosey Howard Jefferson J. E. Johnson J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jordan King Kirby Lowe Matthews McCravy McDaniel J. Moore McGarry D. C. Moss Murphy Murray B. Newton W. Newton Ott **Parks** Pendarvis Rivers Robinson Rutherford Rose Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith Tedder M. M. Smith Thigpen

R. Williams Wooten

Weeks

Total--68

Whitmire

Wetmore

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:

Alexander Allison Bailey Ballentine Bannister Bennett Bradley Blackwell Brittain Bryant **Bustos** Calhoon Chumley Caskey Cobb-Hunter Collins Crawford Dabney Davis Elliott Felder Finlay Fry Gagnon Gilliam Gilliard Haddon Hardee Henderson-Myers Henegan Hewitt Hiott

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W. Cox
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Forrest
Garvin
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Herbkersman
Hixon
Hyde
J. L. Johnson
Jordan
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Lucas
May
McDaniel
T. Moore
V. S. Moss
B. Newton

W. Newton Nutt Oremus Pendarvis Parks Ott Robinson Pope Rivers Rose Rutherford Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Tedder Thayer Thigpen Trantham Weeks West Wetmore White R. Williams Whitmire Willis

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Total--107

Those who voted in the negative are: 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-AMENDED, RELATING TO PROPERTY EXEMPTIONS, SO AS TO INCREASE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURING PROPERTY; TO APPROPRIATE ONE **BILLION DOLLARS** FROM 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
\$0But less than
\$3,200Compute the tax as follows
times the amount\$3,200\$16,0403% times the amount minus \$96\$16,040or more6% 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.

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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:

Allison Bailey Bannister Bennett **Bradley** Brittain Burns Calhoon Caskey Chumley Dabney W. Cox Davis Elliott Felder Finlay Fry Gagnon Haddon Hardee Hewitt Hiott Huggins Hvde Jones Jordan Lowe Lucas May McCabe **McGarry** T. Moore D. C. Moss V. S. Moss

Ballentine Blackwell **Bryant** Carter Collins Daning Erickson Forrest Gilliam Herbkersman Hixon J. E. Johnson Ligon Magnuson McCravy Morgan 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:

Alexander Anderson Atkinson Bamberg Bernstein Brawley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Dillard Garvin Gilliard Govan Hart Henderson-Myers Henegan Hill Hosey Howard J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jefferson King Kirby Long Matthews McDaniel Murray Nutt Ott **Parks** Pendarvis Rivers Robinson Rutherford Tedder Rose 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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Atkinson Bailey Ballentine Bamberg Bannister Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Brawley Burns Brittain Bryant **Bustos** Calhoon Carter

Caskey Chumley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Collins W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Dillard Elliott Erickson Felder **Finlay** Gagnon Forrest Fry Garvin Gilliam Gilliard Govan Haddon Hardee Henderson-Myers Hart Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Hosey Hvde Howard Huggins Jefferson

J. L. Johnson J. E. Johnson

K. O. Johnson Jones Jordan King Kirby Ligon Lowe Lucas Long McCabe Magnuson 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 Thigpen Thayer Weeks West Trantham White Wetmore Wheeler Willis Whitmire R. Williams

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--REQUEST FOR DEBATE WITHDRAWN

Rep. JEFFERSON, with unanimous consent, withdrew his request 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.

S. 152--REQUEST FOR DEBATE WITHDRAWN

Rep. MURRAY, with unanimous consent, withdrew her request 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.

S. 152--REQUEST FOR DEBATE WITHDRAWN

Rep. HART, with unanimious consent, withdrew his request 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.

S. 152--REQUEST FOR DEBATE WITHDRAWN

Reps. NUTT, with unanimous consent, withdrew his request 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:

Allison Anderson Atkinson Bailey Bamberg Ballentine Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Brawley Bradley Brittain Bryant Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumlev Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Collins W. Cox

Crawford Dabney **Daning** Davis Dillard Elliott Erickson Felder Forrest Fry Gagnon Garvin Gilliam Gilliard Govan Haddon Hardee Hart Herbkersman

Henderson-Myers Henegan Hewitt Hill Hosey Hixon Huggins Hyde K. O. Johnson J. E. Johnson Jordan King Ligon Long Lucas Magnuson May McCabe **McDaniel** McGarry T. Moore Morgan V. S. Moss Murphy B. Newton

Howard Jefferson Jones Kirby Lowe Matthews McCravy J. Moore D. C. Moss Murray W. Newton Nutt Ott **Parks** Pope Robinson Rutherford Sandifer G. M. Smith M. M. Smith Tedder Thayer Weeks Trantham Wetmore Wheeler R. Williams

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Total--108

Those who voted in the negative are:

Oremus

Rose

Simrill

Taylor

West

Thigpen

Pendarvis

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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Atkinson Bailey Ballentine Bamberg Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell **Bradley** Brawley Brittain **Bryant** Calhoon Burns **Bustos** Carter Caskey Chumley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Collins Crawford W. Cox Dabney Daning Davis Dillard Felder Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Fry Gagnon Garvin Gilliam Gilliard Haddon Govan Hardee Henderson-Myers Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hosey Hiott Hixon Howard Hvde Huggins J. L. Johnson Jefferson J. E. Johnson

K. O. Johnson Jones Jordan Kirby Ligon King Lucas Long Lowe Magnuson Matthews May McCabe McCravy **McGarry** J. Moore T. Moore Morgan

D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy W. Newton B. Newton Murray Nutt Oremus Ott Pendarvis Pope Robinson Rose Rutherford Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Tedder Thayer Trantham West Weeks 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 SCHOOL DISTRICTS MAY NOT USE DEBT PUBLIC 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:

Alexander Allison Anderson Atkinson Bailey Ballentine Bamberg Bannister Bennett Bernstein Blackwell Bradley Brawley Brittain Bryant Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Cobb-Hunter Clyburn Collins W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Dillard Elliott Erickson Felder Finlay Forrest Fry Gagnon Gilliam Garvin Gilliard Govan Haddon Hardee Henderson-Myers Henegan Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon Hosey Hvde Howard Huggins J. E. Johnson J. L. Johnson Jefferson K. O. Johnson Jones Jordan Kirby Ligon King Long Lowe Lucas Magnuson Matthews May McCravy McGarry **McDaniel** J. Moore T. Moore Morgan V. S. Moss D. C. 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

TedderThayerTranthamWeeksWestWetmoreWheelerWhiteWhitmireR. WilliamsWillisWooten

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 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:

Bailey Allison Atkinson Ballentine Bannister Bennett Blackwell Bradlev Brvant Burns Bustos Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Collins W. Cox Crawford Elliott Dabney Davis 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 Sandifer Oremus Pope G. M. Smith M. M. Smith Simril1 **Taylor** Thayer Trantham West Wheeler White Whitmire Willis Wooten Yow

Total--70

Those who voted in the negative are:

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.

STATEMENT FOR JOURNAL

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.

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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** 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 "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** COMPACT, TO ALLOW FOR THE PRACTICE OF TELEHEALTH, 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-AMENDED, RELATING TO PROPERTY TAX 220. AS EXEMPTIONS, SO AS TO INCREASE A PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTION FOR CERTAIN MANUFACTURING PROPERTY: TO APPROPRIATE ONE **BILLION DOLLARS** FROM 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:

Allison Bailey Ballentine Bannister Blackwell Bennett Brittain **Bradley Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley Collins W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Finlay Erickson Forrest Fry Gilliam Haddon Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Huggins Hyde Hixon J. E. Johnson Jones Ligon Long Lowe Lucas Magnuson May McCabe T. Moore McGarry Morgan D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Nutt Sandifer Oremus Pope G. M. Smith M. M. Smith Taylor West Thayer Trantham White Whitmire Willis Wooten Yow

Total--68

Those who voted in the negative are:

Alexander Anderson Bernstein
Brawley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter
Dillard Felder Garvin

Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers

Jefferson Henegan Howard J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson King Kirby McDaniel Matthews J. Moore Murray Ott Pendarvis Rivers Robinson Rutherford Tedder Rose Weeks Wetmore Wheeler

R. Williams

Total--34

So, the amendment was tabled.

STATEMENT FOR JOURNAL

I was temporarily out of the Chamber on constituent business during the vote on S. 935, Amendment 3. If I had been present, I would have voted in favor of tabling the Amendment.

Rep. Craig Gagnon

STATEMENT FOR JOURNAL

I was temporarily out of the Chamber on constituent business during the vote on S. 935, Amendment 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:

Bailey Bannister Blackwell Bradley **Bryant** Burns Calhoon Carter Chumley Collins Crawford Dabney Davis Elliott Felder Finlay Fry Gagnon Hardee Haddon Hewitt Hill Huggins Hixon Jordan Jones Lowe Long Magnuson May McGarry McCravy

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B. Newton	W. Newton	Nutt
Pope	Sandifer	Simrill
G. M. Smith	M. M. Smith	Taylor
Thayer	Trantham	West
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Wooten	Yow	

Total--68

Those who voted in the negative are:

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Alexander	Anderson	Atkinson
Ballentine	Bernstein	Brawley
Dillard	Garvin	Gilliard
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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. 5S. 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:

Bailey Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskev Chumley Crawford Dabney W. Cox **Daning** Davis Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Gagnon Gilliam Fry Govan Haddon Hardee Hewitt Herbkersman Hill Hiott Hixon Huggins Hyde J. E. Johnson Jones Jordan Lowe Long Lucas Magnuson Mav McCabe McCravy McGarry Morgan D. C. Moss T. Moore Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Pope Nutt Oremus Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith

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Total--67

Those who voted in the negative are:

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:

Allison Bailey Ballentine Blackwell Bradley Brittain **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Carter Calhoon Caskey Chumley Crawford W. Cox Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Gagnon Fry Haddon Gilliam 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:

Alexander Anderson Bamberg Bernstein Brawley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Dillard Felder Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Henegan Howard J. L. Johnson Jefferson K. O. Johnson Kirby King Matthews J. Moore **McDaniel** Murray Robinson Pendarvis Rivers Rutherford Tedder Rose

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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:

Allison Bailey Bannister Bennett **Bradley** Brittain Burns **Bustos** Carter Caskey W. Cox Crawford Davis Daning Erickson Finlay Gagnon Fry Haddon Hardee Hewitt Hill Huggins Hixon J. E. Johnson Jones Ligon Long Lucas Magnuson McCabe McCravy T. Moore Morgan V. S. Moss B. Newton

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Total--70

Those who voted in the negative are:

Alexander Anderson Bamberg
Bernstein Brawley Clyburn
Cobb-Hunter Dillard Garvin
Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers
Henegan Howard Jefferson

Henegan Howard Jefferson K. O. Johnson Kirby King McDaniel J. Moore Matthews 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:

Ballentine Allison Bailey Bannister Blackwell **Bradley** Brittain Bryant Burns Calhoon Carter **Bustos** Caskey Chumley W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Erickson **Finlay** Forrest Fry Gagnon Gilliam Haddon Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hill Hiott Hixon J. E. Johnson Huggins Hyde Jones Jordan Ligon Lowe Lucas Long Magnuson May McCabe McCravy McGarry T. Moore D. C. Moss Morgan Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Nutt Pope Oremus Sandifer M. M. Smith **Taylor** G. M. Smith Trantham West Thayer White Whitmire Willis

Wooten Yow

Total--68

Those who voted in the negative are:

Alexander Anderson Bernstein Brawley Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Dillard Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Henegan K. O. Johnson Howard Jefferson Kirby Matthews King **McDaniel** J. Moore Murray Pendarvis Rivers Ott Rutherford Robinson Rose

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:

Allison Ballentine Bailey Bannister Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter Caskey Chumley W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Fry Haddon Gagnon Gilliam Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hiott Hixon Huggins Hyde J. E. Johnson Jones Jordan Ligon Long Lowe Lucas Magnuson May McCabe McCravy T. Moore McGarry Morgan D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Murphy B. Newton W. Newton Nutt Pope Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** White Thayer West Whitmire Willis Wooten

Yow

Total--67

Those who voted in the negative are:

Anderson Bernstein Brawley Cobb-Hunter Dillard Clyburn Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Howard Henegan K. O. Johnson Kirby King Matthews **McDaniel** J. Moore Rivers Murray Pendarvis Rose Rutherford Tedder Wetmore

Thigpen

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. 15S. 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:

Allison Bailey Ballentine Bennett Blackwell Bradley Burns Brittain Bryant Carter **Bustos** Calhoon Caskey Chumley W. Cox Crawford Dabney Daning Erickson Davis Elliott **Finlay** Forrest Fry Gagnon Haddon Gilliam Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hiott Hixon Huggins J. E. Johnson 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 G. M. Smith M. M. Smith **Taylor** Thayer Trantham West White Willis Whitmire Wooten Yow

Total--68

Those who voted in the negative are:

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:

Allison Bailey Ballentine
Bennett Blackwell Bradley
Brittain Bryant Burns
Bustos Calhoon Carter

Caskey W. Cox Chumley Crawford Dabney Daning Davis Elliott Erickson **Finlay** Forrest Fry Gagnon Gilliam Haddon Hardee Herbkersman Hewitt Hiott Huggins Hixon 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** West Thayer Trantham White Whitmire Willis Wooten Yow

Total--68

Those who voted in the negative are:

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 Crawford Dabney W. Cox Daning Davis Elliott Erickson Finlay Forrest Gilliam Fry Gagnon Herbkersman Haddon Hardee Hewitt Hiott Hixon

Huggins Hvde J. E. Johnson Jones Jordan Ligon Long Lowe Lucas Magnuson May McCabe McCravy McGarry T. Moore D. C. Moss V. S. Moss Morgan Murphy B. Newton W. Newton

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Total--66

Those who voted in the negative are:

Bernstein Anderson Bamberg Clyburn Brawley Cobb-Hunter Dillard Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Henegan Hosey Howard Jefferson K. O. Johnson Kirby King Matthews **McDaniel** Murray Rivers Ott Pendarvis 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:

Allison Bailey Ballentine Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain **Bryant** Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Carter W. Cox Caskey Chumley Crawford Daning Davis Elliott Erickson **Finlay** Gagnon Forrest Fry Gilliam Haddon Hardee Herbkersman Hiott Hewitt Hixon Huggins Hyde J. E. Johnson Jones Jordan Ligon Lowe Long Lucas Magnuson May McCabe McGarry McCravy D. C. Moss T. Moore Morgan 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 Henderson-Myers Govan

Howard Henegan Hosey J. L. Johnson K. O. Johnson Jefferson 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:

Bailey Ballentine Bennett Blackwell Brittain Bradley **Bryant** Burns Bustos

Calhoon Caskey Carter 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 D. C. Moss T. Moore Morgan Murphy B. Newton V. S. Moss W. Newton Nutt Oremus Pope Sandifer Simrill G. M. Smith **Taylor** M. M. Smith West Thayer Trantham White Whitmire Willis Wooten Yow

Total--65

Those who voted in the negative are:

Anderson Bamberg Bernstein Brawley Cobb-Hunter Dabney Dillard Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Henegan K. O. Johnson Howard Jefferson King Kirby Magnuson Murray Matthews May Ott Pendarvis Rivers Rose Rutherford Tedder Thigpen Wheeler Wetmore 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:

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 West White Trantham 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 J. L. Johnson Jefferson K. O. Johnson Kirby King Magnuson McDaniel Murray Ott Pendarvis Rivers Tedder Rose Rutherford 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:

Ballentine Allison Bailey Bannister Bennett Blackwell Bradley Brittain Burns **Bustos** Calhoon Caskey Chumley W. Cox Crawford Daning Dabney Davis Elliott Erickson **Finlay** Forrest Fry Gagnon Haddon Hardee Gilliam 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 G. M. Smith Simrill M. M. Smith **Taylor** Thayer Trantham West White Whitmire Willis Wooten Yow

Total--66

Those who voted in the negative are:

Anderson Bamberg Bernstein Brawley **Bryant** Carter Clyburn Cobb-Hunter Collins Dillard Felder Garvin Gilliard Govan Henderson-Myers Henegan Howard Hosev 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, Hardee, Hart, Haves. 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, 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 THEY** REPRESENTATIVES AT **TIMES 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 appropriate committees:

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, 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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