COMMITTEE REPORT

March 9, 2022

**S. 973**

Introduced by Senator Rankin

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**THE COMMITTEE ON JUDICIARY**

To whom was referred a Bill (S. 973) to adopt Revised Code Volume 21 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, to the extent of its contents, as the only general permanent statutory law, etc., respectfully

**REPORT:**

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

JOHN R. KING for Committee.

**A** **BILL**

TO ADOPT REVISED CODE VOLUME 21 OF THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO THE EXTENT OF ITS CONTENTS, AS THE ONLY GENERAL PERMANENT STATUTORY LAW OF THE STATE AS OF JANUARY 1, 2022.

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

SECTION 1. (A) Section 2‑13‑90 of the 1976 Code authorizes the Legislative Council and the Code Commissioner to contract to be prepared and published under their supervision and direction revised volumes of the Code of Laws.

(B) The Legislative Council and the Code Commissioner have determined that Volume 21 is appropriate for revision.

(C) Section 2‑13‑90 of the 1976 Code also provides that the revised volumes must be submitted to the General Assembly for its consideration.

SECTION 2. (A) Revised Volume 21 containing Titles 60 through 62, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, is substituted for original Volume 21 which contained Titles 60 through 62.

(B) Revised Volume 21 is adopted as part of the Code of Laws and, to the extent of its contents, is the only general permanent statutory law of the State as of January 1, 2022.

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

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