**South Carolina General Assembly**

126th Session, 2025-2026

**S. 534**

**STATUS INFORMATION**

Concurrent Resolution

Sponsors: Senators Grooms and Goldfinch

Document Path: SF-0020AA-AA25.docx

Introduced in the Senate on April 2, 2025

Introduced in the House on April 24, 2025

Currently residing in the House Committee on **Ways and Means**

Summary: Removal of State Teasurer

**HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIONS**

Date Body Action Description with journal page number

4/2/2025 Senate Introduced ([Senate Journal‑page 5](h:\sj\20250402.docx))

4/2/2025 Senate Referred to Committee on **Finance** ([Senate Journal‑page 5](h:\sj\20250402.docx))

4/3/2025 Senate Polled out of committee **Finance** ([Senate Journal‑page 6](h:\sj\20250403.docx))

4/3/2025 Senate Committee report: Favorable **Finance** ([Senate Journal‑page 6](h:\sj\20250403.docx))

4/4/2025 Scrivener's error corrected

4/21/2025 Senate Adopted, sent to House ([Senate Journal‑page 5](h:\sj\20250421.docx))

4/21/2025 Senate Roll call Ayes-33 Nays-8 ([Senate Journal‑page 5](h:\sj\20250421.docx))

4/24/2025 House Introduced ([House Journal‑page 58](h:\hj\20250424.docx))

4/24/2025 House Referred to Committee on **Ways and Means** ([House Journal‑page 58](h:\hj\20250424.docx))

View the latest  [legislative information](https://www.scstatehouse.gov/billsearch.php?billnumbers=534&session=126&summary=B)  at the website

**VERSIONS OF THIS BILL**

[04/02/2025](https://www.scstatehouse.gov/sess126_2025-2026/prever/534_20250402.docx)

[04/03/2025](https://www.scstatehouse.gov/sess126_2025-2026/prever/534_20250403.docx)

[04/04/2025](https://www.scstatehouse.gov/sess126_2025-2026/prever/534_20250404.docx)

Polled Out Of Committee

Majority Favorable

April 3, 2025

S. 534

Introduced by Senators Grooms and Goldfinch

S. Printed 4/3/25--S.

Read the first time April 2, 2025

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

The committee on Senate Finance

To whom was referred a Concurrent Resolution (S. 534) regarding the removal of an executive officer on the address of two-thirds of each house of the General Assembly pursuant to Article XV, Section 3 of the South Carolina, etc., respectfully

Report:

Has polled the Concurrent Resolution out majority favorable.

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

A concurrent RESOLUTION

REGarding the removal of an executive officer on the address of two- thirds of each house of the general assembly puRsuant to Article xv, section 3 of the South Carolina Constitution.

Whereas, Article XV, Section 3 of the South Carolina Constitution provides that “[f]or any willful neglect of duty, or other reasonable cause, which shall not be sufficient ground of impeachment, the Governor shall remove any executive or judicial officer on the address of two-thirds of each house of the General Assembly.” Now, therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring:

That the members of the South Carolina General Assembly, by this resolution, by a two‑thirds vote of the Senate and a two‑thirds vote of the House of Representatives, hereby find that the actions of South Carolina State Treasurer Curtis Loftis constitute a willful neglect of his duty.

‑‑‑‑XX‑‑‑