

## Session 116 - (2005-2006)

**H 3162 General Bill, By Duncan, M.A. Pitts, E.H. Pitts, Taylor, Anthony, W.D. Smith, J.M. Neal, Pinson, Hayes, Jennings, McGee, G.R. Smith, Wilkins, Vaughn, Young, Kirsh, Bailey, Battle, Witherspoon, Ballentine, Hinson, Mahaffey, Toole and Clark**

**Summary:** Sports Officials and Coaches Protection Act

A BILL TO ENACT THE "SOUTH CAROLINA SPORTS OFFICIALS AND COACHES PROTECTION ACT" BY ADDING SECTION 16-3-611 TO THE 1976 CODE SO AS TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO COMMIT AN ASSAULT AND BATTERY UPON A SPORTS OFFICIAL OR COACH DURING AND AFTER AN ATHLETIC CONTEST AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS INCLUDING ENHANCED PENALTIES WHEN A WEAPON IS USED IN THE COMMISSION OF THE CRIME OF ASSAULT AND BATTERY UPON A SPORTS OFFICIAL OR COACH.

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| 12/15/04 | House  | Prefiled  |
| 12/15/04 | House  | Referred to Committee on Judiciary                            |
| 01/11/05 | House  | Introduced and read first time HJ-106                         |
| 01/11/05 | House  | Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-106                     |
| 05/18/05 | House  | Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary HJ-143   |
| 05/19/05 | House  | Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Clark                |
| 05/24/05 | House  | Amended HJ-40   |
| 05/24/05 | House  | Read second time HJ-42  |
| 05/25/05 | House  | Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-28                      |
| 05/25/05 | Senate | Introduced and read first time SJ-20                          |
| 05/25/05 | Senate | Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-20                      |
| 06/07/05 | Senate | Referred to Subcommittee: Hutto (ch), Jackson, Knotts, Bryant |