

## Session 125 - (2023-2024)

**H 3555 General Bill, By G.M. Smith, Erickson, Crawford, Hewitt, Davis, T. Moore, McCravy, B. Newton, West, Mitchell, Yow, Carter, Hixon, Hiott, Oremus, Landing, W. Newton, Robbins, Brewer, Weeks, Taylor and Pope**

**Summary:** Permanency Planning

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 63-7-1700, RELATING TO PERMANENCY PLANNING, SO AS TO MAKE CERTAIN CHANGES TO PROMOTE TIMELY PERMANENCE FOR CHILDREN IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES; BY AMENDING SECTIONS 63-7-1710, 63-7-2530, AND 63-7-1660, RELATING TO TERMINATION OF PARENTAL RIGHTS AND REMOVAL ACTIONS, SO AS TO MAKE CONFORMING CHANGES; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 63-9-710, RELATING TO PETITIONS FOR ADOPTION, SO AS TO ADDRESS THE FILING OF ADOPTION PETITIONS FOR CHILDREN IN THE CUSTODY OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES.

12/15/22	House	Prefiled
12/15/22	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary
01/10/23	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 208)
01/10/23	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 208)
01/12/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Yow
01/18/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Carter, Hixon, Hiott
01/19/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Oremus
02/01/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Landing
03/28/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: W.Newton
03/29/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Robbins, Brewer
03/29/23	House	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 52)
03/30/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Weeks
04/03/23		Scrivener's error corrected
04/04/23	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Taylor, Pope
04/04/23	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 31)
04/04/23	House	Roll call Yeas-108 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 32)
04/05/23	House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 23)
04/05/23	House	Roll call Yeas-106 Nays-0 (House Journal-page 24)
04/05/23	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 3)
04/05/23	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 3)
04/20/23	Senate	Referred to Subcommittee: Talley (ch), Matthews, McLeod, Garrett, Gustafson