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H 3566 General Bill, By Vaughn, Allison, Barrett, Fleming, Hamilton, Haskins, Hawkins, Klauber, Lanford, Leach, Loftis, Martin, Moody-Lawrence, Rice, Robinson, Sandifer, F. Smith, D. Smith, Walker and Wilder

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 58-17-155 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IF A BRIDGE FOR MOTOR VEHICLES OVER A RAILROAD TRACK WHICH BRIDGE IS OWNED BY A RAILROAD COMPANY IS CLOSED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION AS BEING UNSAFE FOR VEHICULAR USE, NO RAILROAD TRAFFIC MAY USE THE TRACK UNDERNEATH SUCH BRIDGE UNTIL IT IS REPLACED OR UNLESS FLAGMEN ARE USED ON THE RAILROAD TRACKS APPROACHING THE BRIDGE UNTIL IT IS REPLACED; AND TO ADD SECTION 58-17-156 SO AS TO ESTABLISH A "RAILROAD BRIDGE REPLACEMENT FUND" INTO WHICH RAILROAD COMPANIES SHALL PAY ASSESSMENTS FOR THE REPLACEMENT OF CERTAIN BRIDGES OWNED BY IT THE COST OF WHICH SHALL BE SHARED EQUALLY BY THE RAILROAD COMPANY AND THE STATE AND TO PROVIDE THE PROCEDURES UNDER WHICH THESE FUNDS MUST BE EXPENDED.

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