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S 0424 General Bill, By Ford

Summary: Traffic violations, officers stopping drivers for and collecting information on drivers' race and ethnicity, provisions repealed July 1, 2007

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 23-1-235 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT AGENCIES WHICH EMPLOY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS TO ENFORCE THE TRAFFIC LAWS OF THIS STATE MUST COLLECT AND MAINTAIN CERTAIN DATA RELATING TO VEHICLE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT INCLUDING, BUT NOT LIMITED TO, THE RACE OR ETHNICITY OF THE DRIVER STOPPED; AND TO REPEAL SECTION 23-1-235 RELATING TO THE COLLECTION AND MAINTENANCE OF CERTAIN DATA RELATING TO VEHICLE TRAFFIC ENFORCEMENT BY LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICERS.

- 02/27/03 Senate Introduced and read first time SJ-5
- 02/27/03 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-5
- 04/29/03 Senate Committee report: Favorable Judiciary SJ-43
- 04/30/03 Senate Read second time SJ-29
- 04/30/03 Senate Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-29
- 05/01/03 Senate Read third time and sent to House SJ-18
- 05/06/03 House Introduced and read first time HJ-13
- 05/06/03 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-13