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S*0580 (Rat #0160, Act #0091 of 1993) General Bill, By M.B. Williams

A Bill to amend Section 7-17-30, Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, relating to election protests and contests, so as to provide that a protest or contest must be filed in writing with the Chairman of the County Board of Canvassers by Noon Wednesday following the date of the declaration by the Board of the results of the election; to amend Section 7-17-50, relating to hearings on protests or contests, so as to provide that the Board shall hear a protest or contest on Monday next following the deadline for filing the protest or contest; to amend Section 7-17-70, as amended, relating to the hearing of appeals, so as to provide that the Board of State Canvassers shall meet to hear appeals no later than Noon Monday next following the filing of any notice; to amend Section 7-17-260, relating to protested or contested cases decided by the Board of State Canvassers, so as to provide that the State Board shall decide all cases under protest or contest that may arise in the case of members of the State Senate and the State House of Representatives; and to amend Section 7-17-270, relating to the hearing of protests or contests, so as to provide that the Board shall hear a protest or contest not later than the twenty-fifth day following receipt of the protest.

03/23/93	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-10
03/23/93	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-10
04/07/93	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Judiciary SJ-26
04/08/93	Senate	Read second time SJ-85
04/08/93	Senate	Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day SJ-86
04/09/93	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-1
04/13/93	House	Introduced and read first time HJ-23
04/13/93	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-24
04/28/93	House	Committee report: Favorable Judiciary HJ-8
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05/12/93	House	Debate adjourned until Thursday, May 13, 1993 HJ-58
05/13/93	House	Debate adjourned until Tuesday, May 18, 1993 HJ-27
05/19/93	House	Read second time HJ-32
05/20/93	House	Read third time and enrolled HJ-9
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