

## Session 117 - (2007-2008)

### **S 0718 Joint Resolution, By McConnell, Grooms, Setzler and Campsen**

#### **Summary:** Appropriations

A JOINT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO SECTION 7, ARTICLE X OF THE CONSTITUTION OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1895, RELATING TO THE REQUIREMENT FOR THE STATE AND ITS POLITICAL SUBDIVISIONS TO HAVE BUDGET PROCESSES DESIGNED TO KEEP REVENUES AND EXPENDITURES IN BALANCE, THE LIMITATION ON STATE APPROPRIATIONS, AND THE LIMITATIONS ON STATE EMPLOYEES, SO AS TO DELETE THE EXISTING STATE SPENDING LIMITATION AND REQUIRE THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO REPLACE IT BY A LAW PROVIDING A LIMIT ON STATE SPENDING FOR A FISCAL YEAR THAT EQUALS THE TOTAL OF STATE APPROPRIATIONS IN THE PRIOR YEAR INCREASED BY THE TOTAL PERCENTAGE OF INCREASES IN STATE PERSONAL INCOME AND STATE POPULATION IN THE MOST RECENT YEAR FOR WHICH THIS INFORMATION IS AVAILABLE AND PROVIDE THAT THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY IN ENACTING THIS LIMIT SHALL DEFINE THE APPROPRIATIONS TO WHICH THE LIMIT APPLIES, AND THE METHOD OF AND SOURCES FOR CALCULATING THE LIMIT.

<b>04/26/07</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-2</b>
<b>04/26/07</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-2</b>
<b>01/15/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Subcommittee: Gregory (ch), Ford, Martin, Ritchie, Lourie, Sheheen, Campbell</b>
<b>03/26/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-10</b>
<b>03/26/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committed to Committee on Finance SJ-10</b>
<b>04/23/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Finance SJ-14</b>
<b>04/23/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Recommitted to Committee on Finance SJ-14</b>
<b>05/01/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Finance SJ-14</b>
<b>05/02/08</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>05/06/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Special order, set for May 6, 20080 SJ-12</b>
<b>05/08/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Debate interrupted SJ-16</b>
<b>05/14/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Debate interrupted SJ-56</b>
<b>05/20/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee Amendment Amended and Adopted SJ-20</b>
<b>05/20/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-20</b>
<b>05/21/08</b>		<b>Scrivener's error corrected</b>
<b>05/21/08</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Third Reading Failed SJ-71</b>