**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 7‑7‑170, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE DESIGNATION OF PRECINCTS IN CHESTER COUNTY, SO AS TO CONSOLIDATE CERTAIN PRECINCTS, AND TO DESIGNATE A MAP NUMBER ON WHICH THE NAMES OF THESE PRECINCTS MAY BE FOUND AND MAINTAINED BY THE OFFICE OF RESEARCH AND STATISTICS OF THE STATE BUDGET AND CONTROL BOARD.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Section 7‑7‑170 of the 1976 Code, as last amended by Act 92 of 2013, is further amended to read:

“Section 7‑7‑170. (A) In Chester County there are the following voting precincts:

Baldwin Mill

Baton Rouge

Beckhamville

Blackstock

Edgemoor

Eureka Mill

Fort Lawn

Halsellville

Hazelwood

~~Lando~~

~~Lansford~~

Lando/Lansford

Lowrys

Richburg

Rodman

Rossville

Wilksburg

~~Great Falls Nos. 1 and 2~~

~~Great Falls No. 3~~

Great Falls

Chester, Ward 1

Chester, Ward 2

Chester, Ward 3

Chester, Ward 4

Chester, Ward 5

(B) The precinct lines defining the precincts provided in subsection (A) are as shown on the official map prepared by and on file with the Office of Research and Statistics of the State Budget and Control Board designated as document ~~P~~‑~~23‑13~~ P‑23‑14 and as shown on copies of the official map provided to the Registration and Election Commission of Chester County by the Office of Research and Statistics.

C) The polling places for the above precincts must be determined by the Registration and Election Commission of Chester County with the approval of a majority of the Chester County Legislative Delegation.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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