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S 1015 General Bill, By Hayes, Courson, Knotts, Lourie, Davis and Alexander

Summary: Health care provider to allow a patient to authorize disclosure of information to designated family members

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 44-66-75 SO AS TO REQUIRE A HEALTH CARE PROVIDER TO GIVE A PATIENT AN OPPORTUNITY TO AUTHORIZE DISCLOSURE OF CERTAIN INFORMATION TO DESIGNATED FAMILY MEMBERS OR OTHER PEOPLE AND TO AUTHORIZE THE INVOLVEMENT OF DESIGNATED FAMILY MEMBERS OR OTHER PEOPLE IN THE TREATMENT OF THE PATIENT, AND TO SPECIFY INFORMATION THAT MUST BE INCLUDED IN THE AUTHORIZATION, AMONG OTHER THINGS; AND TO AMEND SECTION 44-66-20, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO DEFINITIONS IN THE ADULT CARE CONSENT ACT, SO AS TO ADD DEFINITIONS.

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11/28/11	Senate	Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs
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01/19/12	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 2)
04/26/12	Senate	Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 88)
04/26/12	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 88)
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04/26/12	Senate	Roll call Ayes-35 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 88)
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04/27/12		Scrivener's error corrected
05/01/12	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 9)
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