

## Session 112 - (1997-1998)

**S\*0251 (Rat #0120, Act #0063 of 1997) General Bill, By Lander, Bryan, Courson, Leatherman, Martin, McConnell, Moore, Rankin, Short and Wilson**

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 7-17-520, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO PROTESTS AND CONTESTS, SO AS TO DELETE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE LIST OF OFFICERS WHO MUST FILE PROTESTS WITH THE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNTY PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE; TO AMEND SECTION 7-17-530, RELATING TO HEARINGS BY A COUNTY PARTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE ELECTION COMMISSION SHALL PAY FOR THE COSTS OF THE COURT REPORTER AND TRANSCRIPTS OF THE HEARING AND TO FURTHER PROVIDE THAT A TRANSCRIPT MUST BE FILED WITH THE STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE; TO AMEND SECTION 7-17-550, RELATING TO THE HEARING OF APPEALS BY THE STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE ELECTION COMMISSION SHALL PAY FOR THE COSTS OF THE COURT REPORTER AND THE TRANSCRIPT OF THE HEARING; AND TO AMEND SECTION 7-17-560, RELATING TO THE HEARING OF CERTAIN PROTESTS AND CONTESTS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE STATE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE SHALL HEAR AND DECIDE PROTESTS AND CONTESTS FOR THE OFFICES OF STATE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

<b>01/23/97</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-16</b>
<b>01/23/97</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-16</b>
<b>02/20/97</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable Judiciary SJ-16</b>
<b>03/05/97</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-29</b>
<b>03/06/97</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to House SJ-29</b>
<b>03/11/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time HJ-9</b>
<b>03/11/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-10</b>
<b>05/14/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Majority favorable, minority unfavorable Judiciary HJ-9</b>
<b>05/28/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time HJ-69</b>
<b>05/28/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Roll call Yeas-92 Nays-1 HJ-69</b>
<b>05/29/97</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and enrolled HJ-38</b>
<b>06/04/97</b>		<b>Ratified R 120</b>
<b>06/10/97</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>06/10/97</b>		<b>Effective date 06/10/97</b>
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