

## Session 123 - (2019-2020)

### H\*3035 (Rat #0074, Act #0054 of 2019) General Bill, By Funderburk, Thigpen, W. Newton, R. Williams and Wheeler

**Summary:** Poll managers and assistants

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 7-13-72, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO MANAGERS OF ELECTION, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A CLERK APPOINTED FROM AMONG THE MANAGERS FOR EACH POLLING PLACE MUST BE A RESIDENT AND REGISTERED ELECTOR OF THE RESPECTIVE COUNTY IN WHICH HE IS APPOINTED TO WORK OR IN AN ADJOINING COUNTY; TO AMEND SECTION 7-13-80, RELATING TO THE ORGANIZATION OF BOARDS OF VOTER REGISTRATION AND ELECTIONS AND MANAGERS AND CLERKS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A CHAIRMAN OF A BOARD OF MANAGERS MUST BE A RESIDENT AND REGISTERED ELECTOR OF THE RESPECTIVE COUNTY IN WHICH HE IS APPOINTED TO WORK OR IN AN ADJOINING COUNTY; AND TO AMEND SECTION 7-13-110, RELATING TO POLL MANAGERS AND THEIR ASSISTANTS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A CHAIRMAN OR CLERK APPOINTED FROM AMONG THE MANAGERS FOR THE VARIOUS POLLING PLACES MUST BE A RESIDENT AND REGISTERED ELECTOR OF THE RESPECTIVE COUNTY IN WHICH HE IS APPOINTED TO WORK OR IN AN ADJOINING COUNTY, TO PROVIDE THAT A MANAGER WHO IS NOT APPOINTED TO SERVE AS A CHAIRMAN OR CLERK MUST BE A RESIDENT AND A REGISTERED ELECTOR OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA, AND TO REQUIRE THAT ANY PERSON QUALIFIED TO SERVE AS A MANAGER WHO REQUESTS TO WORK IN HIS RESIDENT COUNTY OR IN AN ADJOINING COUNTY MUST BE GIVEN PRIORITY OVER QUALIFIED PERSONS FROM OTHER COUNTIES FOR APPOINTMENT TO WORK IN THE RESIDENT COUNTY OR IN AN ADJOINING COUNTY. - ratified title

12/18/18	House	Prefiled
12/18/18	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary
01/08/19	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 63)
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01/10/19	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: W.Newton
01/29/19	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: R.Williams
01/30/19	House	Committee report: Favorable Judiciary (House Journal-page 17)
01/31/19	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Wheeler
02/05/19	House	Objection by Rep. Weeks (House Journal-page 16)
02/05/19	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 16)
02/05/19	House	Roll call Yeas-112 Nays-5 (House Journal-page 16)
02/06/19	House	Read third time and sent to Senate (House Journal-page 54)
02/06/19	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 38)
02/06/19	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 38)
04/24/19	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (Senate Journal-page 8)
04/25/19		Scrivener's error corrected
05/07/19	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 34)
05/08/19	Senate	Committee Amendment Amended and Adopted (Senate Journal-page 50)
05/08/19	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 50)
05/08/19	Senate	Read third time and returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 50)
05/08/19	Senate	Roll call Ayes-44 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 50)
05/09/19	House	Senate amendment amended (House Journal-page 85)
05/09/19	House	Returned to Senate with amendments (House Journal-page 85)
05/09/19	Senate	Concurred in House amendment and enrolled (Senate Journal-page 80)
05/13/19		Ratified R 74
05/16/19		Signed By Governor
05/31/19		Effective date 05/16/19
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