

Session 117 - (2007-2008)

H 3134 General Bill, By Weeks, Taylor, Cobb-Hunter, M.A. Pitts and Duncan

Summary: Child visitation for grandparents

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 20-7-420, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE JURISDICTION OF THE FAMILY COURT, INCLUDING JURISDICTION TO ORDER VISITATION FOR GRANDPARENTS, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE COURT FINDS THAT THE CHILD'S PARENTS ARE DEPRIVING THE GRANDPARENT VISITATION WITH THE CHILD AND THAT IT IS IN THE CHILD'S BEST INTEREST TO HAVE VISITATION WITH THE GRANDPARENT, THE COURT MAY ORDER SUCH VISITATION.

12/13/06 House Prefiled
12/13/06 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary
01/09/07 House Introduced and read first time HJ-73
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02/13/07 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: M.A.Pitts
04/11/07 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary HJ-4
04/12/07 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Duncan
04/12/07 House Requests for debate-Rep(s). Bedingfield HJ-21
04/17/07 House Amended HJ-30
04/17/07 House Read second time HJ-31
04/18/07 House Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-39
04/19/07 Senate Introduced and read first time SJ-9
04/19/07 Senate Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-9
04/20/07 Senate Referred to Subcommittee: Ritchie (ch), Rankin, Lourie, Scott