

Session 115 - (2003-2004)

H 3425 General Bill, By Harrison, Clemons and Cotty

Summary: Dismissal of immediate possession of driver's license violation

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 56-1-190, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE REQUIREMENT THAT A LICENSED DRIVER HAVE HIS LICENSE IN HIS IMMEDIATE POSSESSION WHEN OPERATING A MOTOR VEHICLE, SO AS TO CLARIFY THE APPLICATION OF EARLIER AMENDMENTS TO THE DRIVER'S LICENSE LAW REQUIRING A CHARGE OF VIOLATING THIS SECTION TO BE DISMISSED IF THE DRIVER, ON OR BEFORE THE COURT DATE, PROVIDES PROOF TO THE COURT THAT THE DRIVER HAD A VALID LICENSE AT THE TIME OF THE VIOLATION AND TO MAKE GRAMMATICAL CHANGES.

01/28/03 House Introduced and read first time HJ-32

01/28/03 House Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-32

02/04/03 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Clemons

02/13/03 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Cotty