

Session 104 - (1981-1982)

H*3711 (Rat #0574, Act #0466 of 1982) General Bill, By House Ways and Means

A Bill to make appropriations to meet the ordinary expenses of the State Government for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1982, and for other purposes; to regulate the expenditure of such funds; to further provide for the operation of the State Government during the fiscal year; to appropriate funds allotted to the State Government under the Public Works Employment Act of 1976 (Federal); to amend the 1976 Code as follows: (1) to amend Section 9-1-300, as amended, relating to appropriations for salaries and expenses of the Budget and Control Board's Retirement Division, so as to delete provisions relating to expenses of the Division to be paid from annual general appropriations of the State; to amend the Code by adding Section 9-1-310 so as to provide that the administrative costs shall be funded from interest earnings of each of the retirement systems for state employees or officers; (2) to amend Section 12-35-320, relating to retail licenses, so as to increase the sales tax license fees; (3) to amend the Code by adding Section 23-1-65 so as to require constables appointed without additional compensation pursuant to the provisions of Section 23-1-60 to pay a nonrefundable application or renewal fee of fifty dollars; (4) to amend the Code by adding Section 1-11-75 so as to authorize the State Budget and Control Board to charge a fee to applicants for permits for construction, dredging or other activity in navigable waters of the State; (5) to amend the Code by adding Section 59-101-185 so as to grant authority to state institutions of higher learning to maintain financial management and accounting systems and require them to provide information to the Comptroller General; (6) to amend Sections 12-33-210, 61-5-80, 61-9-310 and 61-9-360, relating to taxes pertaining to beer and alcoholic beverages, so as to increase taxes on licenses granted under the Alcoholic Beverage Control Act, licenses to sell alcoholic beverages in containers of two ounces or less, permits to sell beer, ale, porter, or wine, or similar beverages and special fifteen-day beer permits; (7) to amend Sections 23-31-120, as amended; 40-17-30, as amended; 40-17-40; 40-17-70; 40-17-80, as amended; and 40-17-120, relating to fees for permits to carry pistols and for licenses and permits for persons engaged in the private detective and private security businesses, so as to increase the fees and provide that the additional revenue shall be paid to the general fund; (8) to amend Sections 52-15-10; 52-15-210, as amended; and 52-15-250, relating to coin-operated machines and devices and other amusements, so as to make lawful the use of in-line pin games and video games, to alter the license tax for certain coin-operated devices and provide that no municipality may limit the number of machines within the boundaries of the municipality and to increase the license fee for the operation of billiard or pocket billiard tables for profit; to amend the Code by adding Section 52-15-245 so as to impose a business privilege license on persons who lease or own locations where amusement machines are operated and a temporary permit and define location, and to provide penalties; (9) to amend the Code by adding Article 11 to Chapter 35 of Title 12 so as to provide for an excise tax on casual sales of motor vehicles, motorcycles, boats, motors or airplanes, to provide for certain penalties, and to provide that Subsection H of Section 12 of Part II of Act 517 of 1980 shall not apply to the enactment of this Section; (10) to amend the Code by adding Section 59-53-100 so as to require all net funds derived from auxiliary enterprises in institutions under the supervision of the State Board for Technical and Comprehensive Education to be expended by institutions subject to the limitations that up to twenty percent of the net funds shall be spent for promotional use and eighty percent of the net funds shall be used for the institutions' operational expenses; (11) to amend Section 12-35-550, as amended, relating to exemptions from the sales tax, so as to exempt the gross proceeds from the sale or rental of motion picture film to or by theaters; (12) to amend Section 29-3-50, relating to mortgages for future advances, so as to delete references to liens on crops, truck, fruits and chattels; to make the provisions apply to real estate; and to provide that it shall not be necessary for a mortgage to state, as part of the maximum principal if the recorded mortgage discloses that the interest or discount is deferred, accrued or capitalized, the amount of certain interest or discount rates; (13) to amend Sections 9-1-1540 and 9-11-80, as amended, relating to retirement systems; to amend the Code by adding Section 9-9-68 so as to provide that the South Carolina Retirement System, Retirement System for Members of the General Assembly, and the Police Officers' Retirement System may contract with the Department of Vocational Rehabilitation for services relative to members of such systems retiring on disability; (14) to amend the Code by adding Section 6-9-110 so as to provide that no local ordinance prescribing building standards or prescribing fees therefor shall apply to certain state projects; (15) to amend the Code by adding Section 11-9-661 so as to permit the State Treasurer to invest in repurchase agreements when collateralized by securities as set forth in Section 11-9-660; (16) to amend Section 25-3-10, as amended, relating to the South Carolina State Guard, so as to delete the proviso that no state funds shall be expended unless called into active duty; (17) to amend the Code by adding Chapter 20 to Title 51 so as to provide for a commission to administer the South Carolina Confederate Relic Room and Museum; (18) to amend the Code by adding Section 61-9-345 so as to require a license fee to be paid to the Alcoholic Beverage Control Commission for driver-salesmen or warehouse salesmen of beer in the amount of twenty-five dollars; (19) to amend Section 12-43-220, as amended, relating to equalization and reassessment of property taxes, so as to provide that agricultural or forest lands within general easements shall be assessed as Soil Class 7; (20) to amend the Code by adding Sections 12-21-2590, 12-21-2600, 12-21-2610 and

12-21-2620 so as to provide for the requirements of sponsoring bingo games, require an annual license and an admissions tax for such games, provide for the bonding of the operation of bingo games, and to provide that the revenue derived from the provisions of Sections 12-21-2590 and 12-21-2600 shall be deposited with the State Treasurer to be credited to the general fund of the state; (21) to amend the Code by adding Section 47-19-165 so as to provide for the inspection of pigeons under the provisions of laws relating to inspection of poultry, and to repeal Section 15.2 of Act 344 of 1969 relating to inspection of pigeons and quail; (22) to amend Section 57-3-220, relating to District Highway Commissioners, so as to provide that they shall serve at the pleasure of the legislative delegations of the highway districts which they represent; (23) to amend Sections 9-1-1790 and 9-11-90, as amended, relating to the South Carolina Retirement System and the South Carolina Police Officers Retirement System, so as to increase the amount a retired member who returns to covered employment may earn without affecting his benefits; (24) to amend Article 33, Chapter 5 of Title 56, relating to the size, weight and load limits for vehicles using the public roads and highways, by adding Section 56-5-4205 so as to provide for annual or open end permits to haul oversize loads and vehicles, oversize mobile homes, modular home units, utility buildings and steel tanks and prescribe conditions therefor, and provide that the transporter shall be liable for damage; (25) to amend Section 40-56-10, as amended, relating to the State Board of Pyrotechnic Safety, so as to provide that the Board shall elect a Vice Chairman and such other officers as it may deem necessary; (26) to amend Section 12-9-310, as amended, relating to withholding agents and withholdings, so as to provide that seven percent of the total amount of bingo winnings of five hundred dollars or more paid to residents of this State shall be withheld; (27) to amend Section 12-7-90, as amended, relating to income taxes, so as to provide that the excise tax on certain defined contribution plans, defined benefit plans and individual retirement accounts shall not be assessed; (28) to amend Section 46-13-80, as amended, relating to expiration and renewal of licenses of pesticide dealers, so as to provide that if any license is not renewed by the end of the calendar year following the expiration the licensee shall be required to take another examination; (29) to amend Section 12-43-220, as amended, relating to ad valorem assessment ratios on property, so as to redefine certain corporations which are eligible for a four percent assessment. To enact new Statutes (1) to transfer certain funds from the Unclaimed Property Fund to the General Fund; (2) to require the Tax Commission to annually transfer all surplus funds to the General Fund of the State from the Unclaimed Property Account established by Chapter 17, Title 27 of the 1976 Code; (3) to establish responsibility for the monitoring of the striped bass fishery in the Wateree-Santee Riverine System; (4) to provide that organizations receiving contributions in the Contributions Section of the General Appropriations Bill shall submit certain information to the Budget and Control Board concerning the nature of the organization and the use that was made of the contributions; (5) to provide for application fees to be paid to the South Carolina Coastal Council; (6) to provide that equipment leased by charitable, not for profit, or governmental hospitals shall be deemed to be owned by the hospital for tax purposes; (7) to require the Department of Consumer Affairs to maintain a file for each creditor of all rate schedules filed by the creditor; to provide for the sending of certified copies of each file, and to provide fees for rate schedules filed for certified copies; (8) to require the Budget and Control Board to provide insurance relative to data processing and telecommunications facilities; (9) to authorize the Division of General Services of the State Budget and Control Board to license for public sale publications and materials developed during the Division's activities; (10) to fix the salaries of Constitutional Officers and the Commissioner of Agriculture for the term beginning in 1983; (11) to allow state employees to use sick or annual leave on a pro-rata basis in conjunction with Workers' Compensation; (12) to provide that court reporters shall only be subject to removal by the Judge to whom the reporter is assigned or the Judicial Department and to provide for the filling of vacancies; (13) to provide that no additional millage shall be levied as an inflationary factor under the provisions of any equalization or reassessment program pursuant to the provisions of Chapter 43 of Title 12 of the 1976 Code; (14) to provide for the disposition of funds appropriated for counties without Public Defender Corporations which have not been exhausted by the end of each fiscal year; (15) to provide a more effective system for projecting and forecasting state revenues and expenditures, to create the Board of Economic Advisors and provide for its powers and duties; (16) to prohibit bingo licensees from leasing, selling or lending its license to conduct bingo games to any other person and provide that no such licensee shall employ in the operation of bingo games any person who has been convicted of crimes involving gambling, gaming or moral turpitude, and to provide penalties. To amend Acts as follows: (1) to amend Section 17 of Act 148 of 1981, relating to the requirement of payment for goods or services within thirty days following their delivery by state agencies, so as to provide that beginning January 1, 1983, vouchers for payment of purchases of goods or services shall be delivered to the Comptroller General's Office within thirty work days and to provide a late charge; to provide that certain state agencies shall process all payments for goods or services through the Comptroller General's Office; to provide that lump sum institutions of higher education and the Department of Highways and Public Transportation shall be responsible for the payment of goods or services within thirty work days after receipt; and to provide that the Comptroller General shall issue instructions to implement the provisions of this Section; (2) to amend Act 517 of 1980, as amended, the State General Appropriation Act, so as to provide that the provisions regarding the impact of inflation on income tax revenues shall apply to all taxable years beginning

after December 31, 1982, instead of December 31, 1981; (3) to amend Act 178 of 1981, as amended, the State General Appropriation Act, so as to provide that copies of the analysis of change prepared by the State Auditor at each stage of consideration of the General Appropriation Bill shall be furnished to any member of the body presently considering the Bill upon his request; (4) to amend Act 178 of 1981, as amended, the State General Appropriation Act, so as to authorize the Division of General Services to purchase medical equipment for the purpose of renting, leasing, or resale to boards, commissions, institutions and agencies of state government, and to permit the Division to borrow up to twenty-five million dollars from the State Insurance Fund for purchases of certain equipment.-at

03/23/82	House	Introduced, read first time, placed on calendar without reference HJ-1529
03/23/82	House	Special order, set for Tuesday, March 30, 1982 at 3:00 p.m. HJ-1540
03/30/82	House	Amended HJ-1878
03/31/82	House	Amended HJ-1905
04/01/82	House	Amended HJ-1944
04/06/82	House	Amended HJ-2000
04/07/82	House	Amended HJ-2021
04/08/82	House	Amended HJ-2069
04/08/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2110
04/13/82	House	Amended HJ-2127
04/13/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2132
04/14/82	House	Amended HJ-2146
04/14/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2174
04/15/82	House	Amended HJ-2197
04/15/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2217
04/20/82	House	Amended HJ-2242
04/20/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2250
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04/21/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2296
04/22/82	House	Amended HJ-2324
04/22/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2365
04/23/82	House	Amended HJ-2379
04/23/82	House	Debate interrupted HJ-2455
04/24/82	House	Amended HJ-2459
04/24/82	House	Read second time HJ-2602
04/27/82	House	Amended HJ-2609
04/27/82	House	Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-2612
04/28/82	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-13
04/28/82	Senate	Referred to Committee on Finance SJ-14
05/25/82	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Finance SJ-13
05/25/82	Senate	Read second time SJ-16
05/25/82	Senate	Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-17
05/26/82	Senate	Amended SJ-60
05/26/82	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-75
05/27/82	Senate	Amended SJ-22
05/27/82	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-39
05/28/82	Senate	Amended SJ-328
05/28/82	Senate	Debate interrupted SJ-394
05/31/82	Senate	Amended SJ-6
05/31/82	Senate	Read third time SJ-17
05/31/82	Senate	Returned SJ-17
06/01/82	House	Debate adjourned on amendments HJ-3664
06/02/82	House	Non-concurrence in Senate amendment HJ-3773
06/02/82	Senate	Senate insists upon amendment and conference committee appointed Sens. Rushing, Waddell, Lindsay SJ-49
06/02/82	House	Conference committee appointed Reps. Mangum, Campbell & McAbee HJ-3782

06/03/82	Senate	Conference report received SJ-63
06/03/82	Senate	Conference report adopted SJ-76
06/03/82	House	Conference report received HJ-3906
06/03/82	House	Conference report adopted HJ-3933
06/03/82	House	Ordered enrolled for ratification HJ-3933
06/03/82	House	Ratified R 574 HJ-3952
06/14/82		Certain items vetoed by Governor
06/16/82	House	Veto message received HJ-3987
06/16/82	House	Veto sustained on certain items: Nos. 1-3, 5-38, 40, 42-58
06/16/82	House	Veto overridden on certain items: Nos. 4, 39, 41
06/16/82	Senate	Veto message received SJ-32
06/16/82	Senate	Veto overridden on certain items: Nos. 4, 39, 41 SJ-34
06/16/82		Act No. 466