

Session 119 - (2011-2012)

H 3863 General Bill, By Barfield, Brantley, Brannon, Pinson, Crawford, Patrick, Knight, Parker, J.R. Smith, G.A. Brown, Gilliard, G.R. Smith, Bowers, Corbin, Hamilton, Hodges, Long, D.C. Moss, G.M. Smith, Whipper, Herbkersman and Loftis

Summary: Utilization of Unused Prescription Drugs

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING ARTICLE 16 TO CHAPTER 53, TITLE 44 TO ENACT THE "UTILIZATION OF UNUSED PRESCRIPTION DRUGS ACT" SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL CONTROL, IN CONSULTATION WITH THE BOARD OF PHARMACY, SHALL DEVELOP A VOLUNTARY PROGRAM WHEREBY HEALTH CARE FACILITIES CAN DONATE UNUSED PRESCRIPTION DRUGS OF PATIENTS WHO NO LONGER NEED THEM AND WHO HAVE VOLUNTARILY AGREED TO DONATE THEIR PRESCRIPTION DRUGS TO CHARITABLE CLINICS PROVIDING SERVICES TO MEDICALLY INDIGENT PERSONS; TO PROVIDE THAT CERTAIN PROGRAM PROCEDURES AND REQUIREMENTS MUST BE PROMULGATED IN REGULATION BY THE DEPARTMENT AND BY THE BOARD OF PHARMACY, INDIVIDUALLY, TO CARRY OUT THE PROVISIONS OF THIS ARTICLE; AND TO CREATE AN ADVISORY COUNCIL TO OVERSEE AND ADVISE THE DEPARTMENT IN ESTABLISHING THIS PROGRAM AND IN CARRYING OUT THE RESPONSIBILITIES UNDER THIS ARTICLE.

03/08/11	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 53)
03/08/11	House	Referred to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 54)
05/26/11	House	Recalled from Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 60)
06/01/11	House	Debate interrupted (House Journal-page 38)
06/01/11	House	Recommitted to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 69)
06/02/11	House	Reconsidered (House Journal-page 74)
06/02/11	House	Continued (House Journal-page 74)
01/10/12	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Herbkersman (House Journal-page 76)
01/10/12	House	Debate adjourned until Wed., 01-11-12 (House Journal-page 76)
01/11/12	House	Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Loftis (House Journal-page 25)
01/11/12	House	Debate adjourned until Wed., 01-18-12 (House Journal-page 25)
01/18/12	House	Debate adjourned until Wed., 02-01-12 (House Journal-page 15)
02/01/12	House	Recommitted to Committee on Medical, Military, Public and Municipal Affairs (House Journal-page 9)