

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**S 0466 General Bill, By Cleary, Alexander, Bright and Davis**

***Similar (H 3443)***

**Summary:** Optometrists

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 40-37-290, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE PURCHASING, POSSESSING, ADMINISTERING, SUPPLYING, AND PRESCRIBING OF CERTAIN PHARMACEUTICAL AGENTS BY OPTOMETRISTS AND THE PROHIBITION ON SCHEDULE I AND II CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES, SO AS TO CLARIFY THAT SCHEDULE II CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES THAT HAVE BEEN RECLASSIFIED FROM SCHEDULE III TO SCHEDULE II ON OR AFTER OCTOBER 6, 2014, MAY CONTINUE TO BE PURCHASED, POSSESSED, ADMINISTERED, SUPPLIED, AND PRESCRIBED BY AN OPTOMETRIST.

**02/18/15 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 5)**

**02/18/15 Senate Referred to Committee on Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 5)**

**03/10/15 Senate Committee report: Favorable Medical Affairs (Senate Journal-page 21)**

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