

## Session 126 - (2025-2026)

### H 4710 General Bill, By Burns and Pope

#### Summary: Animal Cruelty

A BILL TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY AMENDING SECTION 47-1-40, RELATING TO ILL-TREATMENT OF ANIMALS GENERALLY, SO AS TO ADD EXCEPTIONS.

12/16/25 House **Prefiled**  
12/16/25 House **Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs**  
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