

## Session 114 - (2001-2002)

**H 4775 General Bill, By Lloyd, Bowers, Hosey, M. Hines, Whipper, Moody-Lawrence, Breeland, Clyburn, Gourdine, J. Hines and Kirsh**

**Summary:** Testimony presented before a magistrate, record of testimony must be maintained for at least thirty days

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 22-3-790, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE RECORDING AND ACKNOWLEDGMENT OF TESTIMONY PRESENTED BEFORE A MAGISTRATE, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IN A CASE IN WHICH A STENOGRAPHER RECORDS THE TESTIMONY OR A CASE IN WHICH TESTIMONY IS ELECTRONICALLY RECORDED, THE RECORD OF THE TESTIMONY MUST BE RETAINED BY THE MAGISTRATE FOR AT LEAST THIRTY DAYS, AND TO PROVIDE THAT IF THE MAGISTRATE FAILS TO MAINTAIN THE RECORD OF THIS TESTIMONY, THEN AN APPELLATE COURT MUST GRANT THE DEFENDANT A NEW TRIAL UPON AN APPEAL OF THE MAGISTRATE'S VERDICT.

<b>02/20/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time HJ-6</b>
<b>02/20/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-6</b>
<b>04/02/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary HJ-7</b>
<b>04/03/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Amended HJ-69</b>
<b>04/03/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time HJ-70</b>
<b>04/04/02</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-11</b>
<b>04/09/02</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-16</b>
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