

## Session 114 - (2001-2002)

### S\*0478 (Rat #0185, Act #0176 of 2002) General Bill, By McConnell

**Summary:** Vulnerable adult, abuse or neglect of resulting in death, life imprisonment without parole; Courts, Crimes, Aging

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 17-25-45, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE IMPOSITION OF A LIFE SENTENCE UPON A PERSON CONVICTED OF CRIMES CLASSIFIED AS MOST SERIOUS OR SERIOUS OFFENSES, SO AS TO ADD ABUSE OR NEGLECT OF A VULNERABLE ADULT THAT RESULTS IN DEATH TO THE LIST OF MOST SERIOUS OFFENSES, AND TO ADD ABUSE OR NEGLECT OF A VULNERABLE ADULT WHICH RESULTS IN GREAT BODILY INJURY TO THE LIST OF SERIOUS OFFENSES; AND TO AMEND SECTION 16-1-60, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO VIOLENT CRIMES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT BOTH "NEGLECT OF A VULNERABLE ADULT WHICH RESULTS IN DEATH" AND "ABUSE OR NEGLECT OF A VULNERABLE ADULT WHICH RESULTS IN GREAT BODILY INJURY" ARE VIOLENT CRIMES.-amended title

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05/03/01	Senate	Read second time SJ-15
05/03/01	Senate	Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-15
05/08/01	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-10
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05/09/01	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-7
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02/07/02	House	Read second time HJ-18
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02/08/02	House	Read third time and enrolled HJ-4
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