

## Session 120 - (2013-2014)

**S\*0503 (Rat #0212, Act #0188 of 2014) General Bill, By Thurmond, Hembree, Campsen, Cleary, Rankin and Ford Similar (H 3390)**

**Summary:** Beach Preservation Act

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING ARTICLE 6 TO CHAPTER 1, TITLE 6 SO AS TO ENACT THE "BEACH PRESERVATION ACT", TO ALLOW A QUALIFIED COASTAL MUNICIPALITY TO IMPOSE A FEE NOT TO EXCEED ONE PERCENT ON THE GROSS PROCEEDS DERIVED FROM THE RENTAL OR CHARGES FOR ACCOMMODATIONS FURNISHED TO TRANSIENTS SUBJECT TO THE MUNICIPALITY'S LOCAL ACCOMMODATIONS TAX, TO PROVIDE THAT THE MUNICIPALITY MAY IMPOSE THE FEE ONLY AFTER ITS APPROVAL IN A REFERENDUM HELD IN THE MUNICIPALITY, TO PROVIDE THAT THE FEE IS IN ADDITION TO ALL OTHER LOCAL ACCOMMODATIONS TAXES IMPOSED AND MUST NOT BE DEEMED CUMULATIVE TO OTHER LOCAL ACCOMMODATIONS TAXES IMPOSED BY THE MUNICIPALITY, TO PROVIDE USES FOR WHICH THE FEE REVENUE MUST BE APPLIED, TO PROVIDE FOR REPORTING AND FOR REMITTANCE OF THESE FEES, AND TO PROVIDE DEFINITIONS. - ratified title

03/07/13	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 8)
03/07/13	Senate	Referred to Committee on Finance (Senate Journal-page 8)
04/24/13	Senate	Committee report: Favorable Finance (Senate Journal-page 11)
05/07/13	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 16)
05/07/13	Senate	Roll call Ayes-29 Nays-11 (Senate Journal-page 16)
05/09/13	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 11)
05/14/13	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 19)
05/14/13	House	Referred to Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 19)
05/16/13	House	Recalled from Committee on Agriculture, Natural Resources and Environmental Affairs (House Journal-page 32)
05/16/13	House	Referred to Committee on Ways and Means (House Journal-page 32)
05/15/14	House	Committee report: Favorable Ways and Means (House Journal-page 41)
05/22/14	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 20)
05/22/14	House	Roll call Yeas-85 Nays-14 (House Journal-page 21)
05/22/14	House	Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day (House Journal-page 22)
05/23/14	House	Read third time and enrolled (House Journal-page 3)
05/29/14		Ratified R 212
06/02/14		Signed By Governor
06/06/14		Effective date 06/02/14
06/10/14		Act No. 188