

## Session 125 - (2023-2024)

### **S\*0610 (Rat #0187, Act #0189 of 2024) General Bill, By Cromer, Shealy and Climer**

AN ACT TO AMEND THE SOUTH CAROLINA CODE OF LAWS BY ENACTING THE "PROFESSIONAL COUNSELING COMPACT ACT" BY ADDING ARTICLE 6 TO CHAPTER 75, TITLE 40 SO AS TO PROVIDE THE PURPOSE, FUNCTIONS, OPERATIONS, AND DEFINITIONS FOR THE COMPACT; AND BY AMENDING SECTION 40-75-220, RELATING TO PROFESSIONAL COUNSELOR LICENSURE REQUIREMENTS, SO AS TO REQUIRE CERTAIN CRIMINAL BACKGROUND CHECKS. - RATIFIED TITLE

**03/08/23 Senate Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 10)**  
**03/08/23 Senate Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry (Senate Journal-page 10)**  
**04/18/23 Scrivener's error corrected**  
**04/19/23 Senate Committee report: Favorable Labor, Commerce and Industry (Senate Journal-page 9)**  
**04/21/23 Scrivener's error corrected**  
**04/25/23 Senate Read second time (Senate Journal-page 19)**  
**04/25/23 Senate Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 19)**  
**04/26/23 Senate Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 12)**  
**05/02/23 House Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 19)**  
**05/02/23 House Referred to Committee on Labor, Commerce and Industry (House Journal-page 19)**  
**04/24/24 House Committee report: Favorable with amendment Labor, Commerce and Industry (House Journal-page 3)**  
**04/30/24 Scrivener's error corrected**  
**05/01/24 House Amended (House Journal-page 354)**  
**05/01/24 House Read second time (House Journal-page 354)**  
**05/01/24 House Roll call Yeas-75 Nays-32 (House Journal-page 465)**  
**05/02/24 House Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments (House Journal-page 14)**  
**05/08/24 Senate House amendment amended (Senate Journal-page 192)**  
**05/08/24 Senate Roll call Ayes-45 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 192)**  
**05/08/24 Senate Returned to House with amendments (Senate Journal-page 192)**  
**05/09/24 House Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled (House Journal-page 74)**  
**05/09/24 House Roll call Yeas-92 Nays-11 (House Journal-page 74)**  
**05/15/24 Ratified R 187**  
**05/21/24 Signed By Governor**  
**05/29/24 Effective date 05/21/24**  
**05/29/24 Act No. 189**