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S*1084 (Rat #0358, Act #0325 of 2006) General Bill, By McConnell, Ritchie, Bryant, Campsen, Ford, Ryberg, Knotts and Alexander

Similar (H 3957, H 4790)

Summary: Unborn Victims of Violence Act

AN ACT TO ENACT THE "UNBORN VICTIMS OF VIOLENCE ACT OF 2006" BY ADDING SECTION 16-3-1083, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT A PERSON WHO COMMITS A VIOLENT CRIME THAT CAUSES THE DEATH OF, OR INJURY TO, A CHILD IN UTERO IS GUILTY OF A SEPARATE OFFENSE AND THAT THE PERSON MUST BE PUNISHED AS IF THE DEATH OR INJURY OCCURRED TO THE UNBORN CHILD'S MOTHER; TO SPECIFY CERTAIN ELEMENTS THAT ARE NOT REQUIRED TO BE PROVEN; TO PROVIDE THAT THE PERSON MUST BE PUNISHED FOR MURDER OR ATTEMPTED MURDER IF THE PERSON INTENTIONALLY KILLED OR ATTEMPTED TO KILL THE UNBORN CHILD; TO PROHIBIT IMPOSING THE DEATH PENALTY FOR AN OFFENSE PROSECUTED PURSUANT TO THIS SECTION; TO PROHIBIT THE PROSECUTION OF A PERSON FOR CONDUCT RELATED TO AN ABORTION IF PROPER CONSENT WAS OBTAINED OR RELATED TO MEDICAL TREATMENT OF A PREGNANT WOMAN OR HER UNBORN CHILD; AND TO PROHIBIT THE PROSECUTION OF A WOMAN WITH RESPECT TO HER UNBORN CHILD. - ratified title

01/25/06	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-6
01/25/06	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-6
01/25/06		Scrivener's error corrected
02/02/06	Senate	Referred to Subcommittee: Ritchie (ch), Lourie, Rankin, Scott
02/15/06	Senate	Committee report: Majority favorable with amend., minority unfavorable Judiciary SJ-14
02/16/06		Scrivener's error corrected
02/28/06	Senate	Special order, set for 02/28/06 SJ-14
03/01/06	Senate	Amended SJ-36
03/01/06	Senate	Read second time SJ-36
03/02/06	Senate	Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day
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05/25/06	House	Roll call Yeas-81 Nays-18 HJ-66
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