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S*0176 (Rat #0200, Act #0184 of 2018) General Bill, By Sheheen and Young

Summary: Drones, unlawful operation at corrections and local detention facilities

AN ACT TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 24-1-300 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO OPERATE AN UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE NEAR A DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS FACILITY BY CERTAIN PERSONS, TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING THIS PROVISION, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFISCATION AND RELEASE OF CERTAIN UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; BY ADDING SECTION 24-5-175 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO OPERATE AN UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE NEAR A LOCAL DETENTION FACILITY BY CERTAIN PERSONS, TO PROVIDE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATING THIS PROVISION, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE CONFISCATION AND RELEASE OF CERTAIN UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLES UNDER CERTAIN CIRCUMSTANCES; BY ADDING SECTION 24-1-310 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS SHALL PETITION THE FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION (FAA) TO DESIGNATE CERTAIN DETENTION AND CORRECTIONAL FACILITIES AS FIXED-SITE FACILITIES AND THE STATE AERONAUTICS COMMISSION SHALL PUBLISH DESIGNATIONS BY THE FAA ON THE COMMISSION'S WEBSITE; AND BY ADDING SECTION 24-1-320 SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND LOCAL DETENTION FACILITIES SHALL PROVIDE THE STATE AERONAUTICS COMMISSION A LIST OF DESIGNATED SITES OR FACILITIES AND UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE BOUNDARIES. - ratified title

LIST OF DESIGNATED SITES OR FACILITIES AND UNMANNED AERIAL VEHICLE BOUNDARIES ratified title			
12/13/16	Senate	Prefiled	
12/13/16	Senate	Referred to Committee on Corrections and Penology	
01/10/17	Senate	Introduced and read first time (Senate Journal-page 94)	
01/10/17	Senate	Referred to Committee on Corrections and Penology (Senate Journal-page 94)	
01/19/17	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Corrections and Penology (Senate Journal-page	
		10)	
01/23/17		Scrivener's error corrected	
02/01/17	Senate	Committee Amendment Adopted (Senate Journal-page 29)	
02/01/17	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 29)	
02/01/17	Senate	Read second time (Senate Journal-page 29)	
02/01/17	Senate	Roll call Ayes-43 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 29)	
02/02/17		Scrivener's error corrected	
02/08/17	Senate	Amended (Senate Journal-page 15)	
02/08/17	Senate	Read third time and sent to House (Senate Journal-page 15)	
02/08/17	Senate	Roll call Ayes-41 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 15)	
02/14/17	House	Introduced and read first time (House Journal-page 49)	
02/14/17	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary (House Journal-page 49)	
05/03/18	House	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary (House Journal-page 43)	
05/09/18	House	Amended (House Journal-page 69)	
05/09/18	House	Read second time (House Journal-page 69)	
05/09/18	House	Roll call Yeas-97 Nays-5 (House Journal-page 75)	
05/10/18	House	Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments (House Journal-page 14)	
05/10/18		Scrivener's error corrected	
05/10/18	Senate	Concurred in House amendment and enrolled (Senate Journal-page 42)	
05/10/18	Senate	Roll call Ayes-41 Nays-0 (Senate Journal-page 42)	
05/14/18		Ratified R 200	
05/17/18		Signed By Governor	
05/24/18		Effective date 05/17/18	
05/31/18		Act No. 184	