

## Session 118 - (2009-2010)

**S\*0186 (Rat #0124, Act #0125 of 2010) General Bill, By McConnell and Campsen**

**Summary:** Attorney fees

AN ACT TO AMEND SECTION 15-77-300, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO ALLOWANCE OF ATTORNEY'S FEES IN STATE-INITIATED ACTIONS, SO AS TO LIMIT ATTORNEY'S FEES TO A REASONABLE TIME EXPENDED AT A REASONABLE RATE AND TO PROVIDE FACTORS THAT MUST BE CONSIDERED IN MAKING THIS DETERMINATION. - ratified title

12/17/08	Senate	Prefiled
12/17/08	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary
01/13/09	Senate	Introduced and read first time SJ-157
01/13/09	Senate	Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-157
01/23/09	Senate	Referred to Subcommittee: L.Martin (ch), Rankin, Hutto, Bright, Davis
03/04/09	Senate	Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-17
03/10/09	Senate	Special order, set for March 10, 2009 SJ-23
03/11/09	Senate	Committee Amendment Amended and Adopted SJ-43
03/11/09	Senate	Amended SJ-43
03/11/09	Senate	Read second time SJ-43
03/17/09	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-36
03/24/09	House	Introduced and read first time HJ-19
03/24/09	House	Referred to Committee on Judiciary HJ-19
05/20/09	House	Recalled from Committee on Judiciary HJ-34
05/21/09	House	Debate adjourned until Friday, May 22, 2009 HJ-17
01/13/10	House	Requests for debate-Rep(s). Hart, JE Smith, Sellers, Gunn, McLeod, Weeks, Govan, Hodges, King, Harrison, and GM Smith HJ-29
01/13/10	House	Debate adjourned until Thursday, January 14, 2010 HJ-39
01/14/10	House	Debate adjourned until Tuesday, January 19, 2010 HJ-549
01/20/10	House	Amended HJ-20
01/20/10	House	Read second time HJ-22
01/20/10	House	Roll call Yeas-95 Nays-3 HJ-22
01/21/10	House	Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments HJ-33
02/02/10	Senate	Concurred in House amendment and enrolled SJ-17
02/18/10		Ratified R 124
02/24/10		Signed By Governor
03/03/10		Effective date 02/24/10
03/10/10		Act No. 125