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A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 50-21-870, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO PERSONAL WATERCRAFT AND BOATING SAFETY, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT IT IS UNLAWFUL TO BE IN POSSESSION OF A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT OR PROPCRAFT UPON THE WATERS OF THIS STATE AFTER SUNSET OR BEFORE SUNRISE UNLESS THE WATERCRAFT OR PROPCRAFT IS TIED TO A DOCK OR OTHERWISE SECURELY MOORED, TO OPERATE A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT, SPECIALTY PROPCRAFT, OR VESSEL WHILE UPON THE WATERS OF THIS STATE IN A MANNER THAT UNREASONABLY OR UNNECESSARILY ENDANGERS LIFE, LIMB, OR PROPERTY OR WHEN UNREASONABLY CLOSE TO A MOORED OR AN ANCHORED VESSEL, WHARF, DOCK, BULKHEAD, PIER, OR A PERSON IN THE WATER, OR WITHIN ONE HUNDRED YARDS OF THE ATLANTIC OCEAN COASTLINE, AND TO OPERATE WHILE UPON THE WATERS OF THIS STATE A PERSONAL WATERCRAFT, SPECIALTY PROPCRAFT, OR VESSEL IN A MANNER SO AS TO LEAVE THE WATER COMPLETELY WHILE CROSSING THE WAKE OF ANOTHER VESSEL WHEN UNREASONABLY OR UNNECESSARILY CLOSE TO THE VESSEL CREATING THE WAKE.

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