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H 3853 General Bill, By Davenport, Leach, Lee and Tripp

A BILL TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, TO ENACT THE CHILD AUTOMOBILE SAFETY ACT OF 1997 BY ADDING SECTION 56-15-135 SO AS TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL FOR A MOTOR VEHICLE DEALER TO SELL OR OFFER FOR SALE A MOTOR VEHICLE UNLESS THERE IS A PERMANENTLY AFFIXED LABEL ON THE DRIVER AND FRONT PASSENGER DOORS STATING "LOCK VEHICLE TO PREVENT DANGER TO CHILDREN" AND TO PROVIDE PENALTIES; AND TO AMEND SECTION 20-7-50, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO UNLAWFUL CONDUCT TOWARDS CHILDREN, SO AS TO MAKE IT UNLAWFUL TO LEAVE A CHILD UNDER THE AGE OF TWELVE UNATTENDED IN A MOTOR VEHICLE.

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