

## Session 121 - (2015-2016)

**H 4493 General Bill, By Putnam, Collins, Clary, Erickson, Long, Ryhal, Herbkersman, Tinkler, Hicks, McCoy, M.S. McLeod, Douglas, Henegan, Allison, Quinn, Funderburk and Finlay**

**Summary:** Adoption of foster children

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 63-7-2310, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE PROTECTION AND NURTURING OF CHILDREN IN FOSTER CARE, SO AS TO REQUIRE THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES TO GIVE FIRST CONSIDERATION TO CERTAIN FOSTER PARENTS TO ADOPT FOSTER CHILDREN.

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**03/02/16 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Collins, Clary, Erickson, Long, Ryhal, Herbkersman, Tinkler, Hicks, McCoy, M.S.McLeod, Douglas, Henegan, Allison, Quinn, Funderburk**

**03/03/16 House Member(s) request name added as sponsor: Finlay**