

## Session 112 - (1997-1998)

### **H\*4856 (Rat #0521, Act #0388 of 1998) General Bill, By Delleney and Wilkins**

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 2-19-30, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO THE ELECTION OF JUSTICES AND JUDGES, SO AS TO REQUIRE THAT ALL MATERIALS CONCERNING A WITHDRAWN CANDIDATE INCLUDING HIS REPORT, TRANSCRIPT, APPLICATION MATERIALS, AND ALL INFORMATION GATHERED DURING THE COMMISSION'S INVESTIGATION MUST BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL AND DESTROYED AND IS EXEMPT FROM DISCLOSURE PURSUANT TO THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT; AND TO AMEND SECTION 2-19-50, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE CONFIDENTIALITY OF RECORDS, SO AS TO REMOVE WITHDRAWN CANDIDATES FROM THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION AND PROVIDE THAT INFORMATION REQUIRED TO BE KEPT CONFIDENTIAL ALSO IS EXEMPT FROM DISCLOSURE UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT; TO AMEND SECTION 2-19-70, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO RESTRICTIONS AGAINST CERTAIN ACTIVITIES BY JUDICIAL CANDIDATES, SO AS TO FURTHER PROVIDE FOR THOSE PERSONS WHO MAY BE GRANTED THE PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR IN EITHER HOUSE; AND TO ADD SECTION 2-20-70 SO AS TO PROVIDE FOR THOSE PERSONS WHO MAY BE GRANTED THE PRIVILEGE OF THE FLOOR IN EITHER HOUSE IN REGARD TO NONJUDICIAL CANDIDATES.-AMENDED TITLE

<b>03/19/98</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Introduced, read first time, placed on calendar without reference HJ-62</b>
<b>03/25/98</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read second time HJ-33</b>
<b>03/26/98</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Read third time and sent to Senate HJ-9</b>
<b>03/27/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Introduced and read first time SJ-9</b>
<b>03/27/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Referred to Committee on Judiciary SJ-9</b>
<b>04/08/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Committee report: Favorable with amendment Judiciary SJ-17</b>
<b>05/26/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended SJ-48</b>
<b>05/26/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read second time SJ-48</b>
<b>05/26/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Ordered to third reading with notice of amendments SJ-48</b>
<b>05/28/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Amended SJ-25</b>
<b>05/28/98</b>	<b>Senate</b>	<b>Read third time and returned to House with amendments SJ-25</b>
<b>06/03/98</b>	<b>House</b>	<b>Concurred in Senate amendment and enrolled HJ-22</b>
<b>06/10/98</b>		<b>Ratified R 521</b>
<b>06/12/98</b>		<b>Signed By Governor</b>
<b>06/17/98</b>		<b>Effective date 06/12/98</b>
<b>06/17/98</b>		<b>Copies available</b>
<b>06/30/98</b>		<b>Act No. 388</b>