

## Session 119 - (2011-2012)

### H 5249 General Bill, By Limehouse and Horne

**Summary:** Police dog, guide dog, or service animal

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 47-3-630, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO PENALTIES ASSOCIATED WITH MALTREATING, INJURING, OR KILLING POLICE DOGS AND HORSES, SO AS TO INCREASE THE FINES AND PENALTIES, TO PROVIDE FOR MANDATORY MINIMUM PENALTIES AND CONSECUTIVE SERVICE OF SENTENCES, AND TO ALLOW FOR RESTITUTION; TO AMEND SECTION 47-3-940, RELATING TO A PERSON WITH RECKLESS DISREGARD INJURING, DISABLING, OR CAUSING THE DEATH OF A GUIDE DOG OR SERVICE ANIMAL, SO AS TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATIONS; AND TO AMEND SECTION 47-3-960, RELATING TO A PERSON INTENTIONALLY INJURING, DISABLING, OR CAUSING THE DEATH OF A GUIDE DOG OR SERVICE ANIMAL, SO AS TO INCREASE THE PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

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