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**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND THE CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, BY ADDING SECTION 7‑13‑316 SO AS TO PROHIBIT THE NAME OF A CANDIDATE FOR AN ELECTION IN THIS STATE, OR FOR THE ELECTORAL COLLEGE, BEING PRINTED ON A BALLOT FOR AN OFFICE UNLESS THAT PERSON SHOWS CONCLUSIVE EVIDENCE THAT HE IS A LEGAL CITIZEN OF THE UNITED STATES.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of South Carolina:

SECTION 1. Article 3, Chapter 13, Title 7 of the 1976 Code is amended by adding:

“Section 7‑13‑316. The name of a candidate for an office for an election conducted in this State, or for the electoral college, may not be printed on a ballot unless the person shows conclusive evidence that he is a legal citizen of the United States.”

SECTION 2. This act takes effect upon approval by the Governor.

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