**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 56‑23‑20 OF THE 1976 CODE, RELATING TO DRIVER TRAINING SCHOOLS, TO PROVIDE THAT ASSOCIATIONS FORMED BY GROUPS OF ELECTRIC COOPERATIVES PURSUANT TO SECTION 33-49-160 ARE PERMITTED TO PROVIDE DRIVER EDUCATION TRAINING.

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

SECTION 1. Section 56‑23‑20 of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“Section 56-23-20. Classroom courses offered by state institutions and duly accredited and approved colleges, public, parochial and private high schools in which classroom driver education is part of the curriculum, instruction offered by an entity described in 33‑49‑160(A), or to employers giving instruction to their licensed employees shall be exempt from registration and license under this chapter. Courses offered to adults under adult education programs shall not qualify for the exemption.”

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

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