

## Session 112 - (1997-1998)

### **S 0867 General Bill, By Drummond and Courson**

***Similar (S 0853, H 4345)***

A BILL TO AMEND SECTION 12-21-2720, AS AMENDED, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO LICENSES REQUIRED FOR COIN-OPERATED DEVICES OR MACHINES, SO AS TO DELETE REFERENCES TO CODE SECTIONS REPEALED BY THIS ACT; TO REPEAL ARTICLE 20, CHAPTER 21, TITLE 12, THE VIDEO GAME MACHINES ACT; TO REPEAL SECTION 16-19-60 RELATING TO THE NONAPPLICATION OF THE GAMBLING OFFENSES TO COIN-OPERATED NONPAYOUT MACHINES WITH A FREE PLAY FEATURE, TO AUTHORIZE PRO RATA REFUNDS FOR LICENSE FEES PAID ON COIN-OPERATED MACHINES WITH A FREE PLAY FEATURE LICENSED ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE OF THIS ACT, AND TO MAKE THESE PROVISIONS PROHIBITING VIDEO POKER PAYOUTS EFFECTIVE ONLY IF A MAJORITY OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS VOTING IN A REFERENDUM HELD AT THE TIME OF THE GENERAL ELECTION OF 1998 FAVOR THIS PROHIBITION.

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