**A** **BILL**

TO AMEND SECTION 40‑11‑410, CODE OF LAWS OF SOUTH CAROLINA, 1976, RELATING TO CLASSIFICATIONS AND SUBCLASSIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTOR LICENSES SUBJECT TO REGULATION BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA CONTRACTORS’ LICENSING BOARD, SO AS TO REQUIRE THE LICENSURE OF RESIDENTIAL SWIMMING POOL CONTRACTORS, AND TO REVISE THE SCOPE OF REGULATED FUNCTIONS TO INCLUDE POOL FOUNDATIONS.

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

SECTION 1. Section 40‑11‑410(4)(l) of the 1976 Code is amended to read:

“(1) ‘Swimming pools’ which includes the construction, service, and repair of all residential, commercial, and institutional swimming pools and spas, including concrete, gunite, plastic, vinyl‑lined, and fiberglass pools and spas; foundations for in‑ground or above‑ground pools and decks; pool decks, walkways, tiling, and coping; and the installation of all equipment, including pumps, filters, and chemical feeders, water and gas service lines from the point of service to the pool equipment, wiring from the pool equipment to the first readily accessible disconnect, pool piping, fittings, backflow prevention devices, waster lines, and other integral parts of a swimming pool or spa.”

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

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