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**STATUS INFORMATION**

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Summary: Colleton County school board trustees

**HISTORY OF LEGISLATIVE ACTIONS**

Date	Body	Action Description with journal page number
3/21/2007	Senate	Introduced, read first time, placed on local & uncontested calendar SJ-6
4/12/2007	Senate	Read second time SJ-25
4/12/2007	Senate	Unanimous consent for third reading on next legislative day SJ-25
4/13/2007	Senate	Read third time and sent to House SJ-2
4/17/2007	House	Introduced and read first time HJ-21
4/17/2007	House	Referred to <b>Colleton Delegation</b> HJ-21
5/17/2007	House	Delegation report: Favorable with amendment <b>Colleton Delegation</b> HJ-59
5/22/2007	House	Amended HJ-14
5/22/2007	House	Read second time HJ-14
5/23/2007	House	Read third time and returned to Senate with amendments HJ-24
5/24/2007	Senate	Concurred in House amendment and enrolled SJ-108
5/29/2007		Ratified R 63
6/1/2007		Vetoed by Governor
6/6/2007	Senate	Veto overridden by originating body Yeas-44 Nays-0
6/7/2007	House	Debate adjourned on veto consideration until Friday, June 8, 2007 HJ-19
6/19/2007	House	Veto overridden Yeas-3 Nays-0 HJ-31
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(A135, R63, S603)

**AN ACT TO AMEND ACT 117 OF 1961, AS AMENDED, RELATING TO THE COMPENSATION OF MEMBERS OF THE COLLETON COUNTY SCHOOL BOARD OF TRUSTEES, SO AS TO PROVIDE THAT THE MEMBERS OF THE BOARD SHALL RECEIVE AN ANNUAL SALARY AND PER-MEETING EXPENSE ALLOWANCE IN AN AMOUNT DETERMINED BY THE BOARD NOT TO EXCEED A SPECIFIED AMOUNT.**

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

**Salary and expense allowance**

SECTION 1. Section 3 of Act 117 of 1961 (formerly Section 21-2173 of the 1962 Code), as last amended by Act 167 of 1997, is further amended to read:

“Section 3. The board annually shall elect one of its members as chairman and another as vice chairman. Persons holding these offices must be eligible to succeed themselves. The county superintendent of education, ex officio, shall act as the secretary to the board, and is under the duty of keeping proper records for the board, including the minutes of its meetings. The board shall hold regular monthly meetings, which must be open to the public, and special meetings at other times as may be necessary. The members of the board shall receive an annual salary and per-meeting expense allowance in an amount as determined by the board, the total of which may not exceed seventy-five hundred dollars.”

**Time effective**

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

Ratified the 29<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2007.

Vetoed by the Governor -- 6/1/07.  
Veto overridden by Senate -- 6/6/07.  
Veto overridden by House -- 6/19/07.

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