

FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT ON BILL NO. **H. 3047**

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TO:	The Honorable George E. "Chip" Campsen, Chairperson, Senate Fish, Game, and Forestry Committee		
FROM:	State Budget Division, Budget and Control Board		
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SUBJECT:	Gig for flounder during daylight prohibited		

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON GENERAL FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT ON FEDERAL & OTHER FUND EXPENDITURES:

\$0 (No additional expenditures or savings are expected)

BILL SUMMARY:

House Bill 3047 amends Article 5, Chapter 5, Title 50 of the Code of Laws of South Carolina, 1976, by adding Section 50-5-581 which declares that it is unlawful for anyone to gig for flounder in the salt waters of this State during daylight hours. The Bill defines "daylight hours" and provides for penalties.

EXPLANATION OF IMPACT:

Department of Natural Resources

The Department reports that the provisions of this Bill will have no impact on the State General Fund or on Federal and/or Other Funds.

LOCAL GOVERNMENT IMPACT:

None.

SPECIAL NOTES:

None.

Approved by:



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