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STATEMENT OF ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT
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Bill Number: H. 4878 As signed by the Governor on June 3, 2016
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Subject: Confidential Communication
Requestor: House of Representatives
RFA Analyst(s): Gardner
Impact Date: August 11, 2016

Estimate of Fiscal Impact

	FY 2016-17	FY 2017-18
State Expenditure		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Full-Time Equivalent Position(s)	0.00	0.00
State Revenue		
General Fund	\$0	\$0
Other and Federal	\$0	\$0
Local Expenditure	\$0	\$0
Local Revenue	\$0	\$0

Fiscal Impact Summary

This bill as amended would have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

Explanation of Fiscal Impact

Explanation of Amendment by the Senate on May 31, 2016

State Expenditure

The amended bill makes communications between a public safety employee, who has been involved in a critical incident, and any member of a peer support team, which is providing emotional and moral support, confidential and privileged. Confidentiality and privilege are extended to other communications within the peer support process when certain specified persons are involved.

South Carolina Law Enforcement Division. The agency reports that this bill will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A

Explanation of Amendment by the Senate on May 18, 2016

State Expenditure

House Bill 4878 adds Section 23-3-85 so as to provide that communications between a client and any member of a peer-support team shall be confidential and privileged under certain circumstances.

South Carolina Law Enforcement Division. The agency reports that this bill will have no expenditure impact on the General Fund, Federal Funds, or Other Funds.

State Revenue

N/A

Local Expenditure

N/A

Local Revenue

N/A



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