

CT LTCOP LEGISLATIVE PRIORITY FOCUS BILLS FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO RECEIVE LONG TERM SERVICES AND SUPPORTS

Week of 1/20/2021





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Proposed HB-5057	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORITY OF THE PROBATE COURT TO ORDER THAT A PERSON WITH A SUBSTANCE USE DISORDER OR PSYCHIATRIC DISABILITY SUBMIT TO AN INVOLUNTARY MEDICAL EVALUATION AND ASSISTED OUTPATIENT MEDICAL TREATMENT.</p> <p>To provide a Probate Court with the authority to order a person with a substance use disorder or psychiatric disability to submit to an involuntary medical evaluation and assisted outpatient medical treatment.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5061	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING NONMEDICAL TRANSPORTATION SERVICES FOR NURSING HOME RESIDENTS.</p> <p>To increase the socialization of nursing home residents who do not have access to transportation.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5062	<p>AN ACT DETERRING ABUSE IN NURSING HOMES.</p> <p>To deter abuse in nursing homes.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5072	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING INFECTION CONTROL AND STAFF SAFETY AT NURSING HOME FACILITIES.</p> <p>To limit the transmission of COVID-19 in nursing home facilities.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5087	<p>AN ACT ESTABLISHING A WORKING GROUP TO STUDY THE FEASIBILITY OF ALLOWING VIDEO CAMERAS IN THE ROOMS OF NURSING HOME RESIDENTS.</p> <p>To establish a working group to discuss the feasibility of allowing video cameras in the rooms of nursing home residents.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON AGE			
Proposed HB-5114	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING NONEMERGENCY TRANSPORTATION FOR NONAMBULATORY NURSING HOME RESIDENTS.</p> <p>To provide more opportunities for nonambulatory nursing home residents to visit the homes of nearby families.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HS			
Proposed HB-5139	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS FOR RESPITE SERVICES FOR CARETAKERS OF ALZHEIMER'S PATIENTS.</p> <p>To increase access to respite services for caretakers of Alzheimer's patients.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5157	<p>AN ACT PERMITTING ELDERLY PERSONS AND PERSONS WITH PHYSICAL OR MENTAL DISABILITIES TO PERMANENTLY OPT OUT OF JURY SERVICE.</p> <p>To permit the elderly or those incapable of serving as jurors due to physical or mental disability to permanently opt out of jury service.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-13 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5194	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF COURT-APPOINTED CONSERVATORS AND THE RIGHTS OF CONSERVED PERSONS.</p> <p>To clarify the responsibilities of court-appointed conservators and the rights of a conserved person.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-15 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed SB-1	<p>AN ACT EQUALIZING COMPREHENSIVE ACCESS TO MENTAL, BEHAVIORAL AND PHYSICAL HEALTH CARE IN RESPONSE TO THE PANDEMIC.</p>					01-08 SCO -		

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	To equalize comprehensive access to mental, behavioral and physical health care in response to the pandemic. House Cal: Senate Cal:					REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-7	AN ACT RAISING THE PERSONAL NEEDS ALLOWANCE FOR CERTAIN RESIDENTS OF LONG-TERM CARE INSTITUTIONS. To increase the amount of money residents of long-term care institutions who receive medical assistance may keep for personal needs. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON AGE		
Proposed SB-82	AN ACT REQUIRING DRIVERS OF PARATRANSIT VEHICLES TO BE MANDATED REPORTERS OF SUSPECTED ABUSE, NEGLECT, EXPLOITATION OR ABANDONMENT OF ELDERLY PERSONS. To help ensure the safety and well-being of elderly persons by adding drivers of paratransit vehicles to the list of mandated reporters of suspected abuse, neglect, exploitation or abandonment of such persons. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HS		
Proposed SB-88	AN ACT CONCERNING RENTAL ASSISTANCE FOR SENIOR CITIZENS AND PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES. To make it easier for senior citizens and persons with disabilities to apply for rental relief. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HSG		
Proposed SB-143	AN ACT PROHIBITING ON-CALL SHIFT SCHEDULING. To prohibit the practice of on-call shift scheduling. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-13 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON LAB		



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Proposed HB-5040	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING CERTAIN ADJUSTMENTS FOR SENIORS TO PERSONAL INCOME TAX DEDUCTIONS.</p> <p>To require that, for seniors, (1) qualifying income thresholds for personal income tax deductions be adjusted for inflation, and (2) income from individual retirement accounts that is currently taxable be exempt from the personal income tax.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON FIN			
Proposed HB-5043	<p>AN ACT ESTABLISHING ADVANCE DIRECTIVE AWARENESS WEEK.</p> <p>To establish Advance Directive Awareness Week.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed HB-5115	<p>AN ACT DETERRING FRAUD AND ABUSE IN PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.</p> <p>To ensure the proper allocation and use of benefits under state-administered public assistance programs.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HS			
Proposed HB-5120	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF SUPPORT SERVICES TO VICTIMS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.</p> <p>To provide support services to victims of domestic violence.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5121	<p>AN ACT REQUIRING THAT JUDGES OF THE SUPERIOR COURT HAVE CONTINUOUS TRAINING ON FAMILY VIOLENCE ISSUES AND LAW.</p> <p>To require all judges of the Superior Court to have continuous training on family violence issues and law.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5125	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF TEMPORARY IMMUNITY FROM LIABILITY TO ENTITIES THAT HAVE SAFELY OPERATED DURING THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC.</p> <p>To protect businesses, nonprofit organizations, schools, the state and its political subdivisions that have safely reopened from civil liability resulting from one's exposure to COVID-19.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5146	<p>AN ACT EXPANDING VETERANS' ELIGIBILITY FOR PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAMS.</p> <p>To exclude all veterans' pension benefits from income when determining eligibility for public assistance programs.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON VA			
Proposed HB-5147	<p>AN ACT EXEMPTING VETERANS' PENSIONS FROM THE CALCULATION OF INCOME FOR CERTAIN BENEFITS.</p> <p>To exempt all veterans' pension benefits from the calculation of income when determining eligibility for state and municipal benefits granted to veterans.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON VA			
Proposed SB-21	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE.</p> <p>To: (1) Cap certain long-term care insurance premium rate increases at the rate of inflation for long-term care insurance policies for three years; (2) require an insurer that purchases a group long-term care insurance policy from another insurer to honor the contractual obligations of the transferring insurer to the consumer as determined on the date that the transferring insurer delivered or issued such policy to the consumer; and (3) establish the Consumer Advocacy Group Regarding Long-Term Care Insurance to advise the General Assembly regarding long-term care insurance.</p>					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS		

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Proposed SB-29	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING HIGH DEDUCTIBLE HEALTH PLANS, QUALIFIED HEALTH PLANS AND DISCRIMINATION AGAINST PERSONS ON THE BASIS OF SEXUAL ORIENTATION OR GENDER IDENTITY.</p> <p>To: (1) Require certain high deductible health plans to apply annual deductibles on a calendar year basis; (2) require certain health care providers to promptly refund excess cost-sharing payments for covered benefits; (3) require certain qualified health plans offered through the Connecticut Health Insurance Exchange to cover certain benefits, have a minimum actuarial value of at least seventy per cent and offer a broad provider network; (4) prohibit life insurers from discriminating against persons on the basis of sexual orientation or gender identity; and (5) make changes to various provisions of the general statutes concerning high deductible health plans to more closely conform to provisions of the Internal Revenue Code concerning health savings accounts and medical savings accounts.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS		
Proposed SB-51	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE PREMIUM RATE INCREASES.</p> <p>To impose an annual cap on long-term care insurance premium rate increases.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS		
Proposed SB-54	<p>AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO EVALUATE THE EFFICACY OF THE STATE'S CERTIFICATE OF NEED PROGRAM AND ITS IMPACT ON THE HEALTH CARE SYSTEM.</p> <p>To establish a task force to evaluate the state's certificate of need program and its impact on the health care system.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-55	<p>AN ACT DESIGNATING RACISM AS A PUBLIC HEALTH CRISIS IN THE STATE AND ESTABLISHING A COMMISSION TO STUDY THE IMPACT OF INSTITUTIONAL RACISM ON PUBLIC HEALTH.</p> <p>To designate racism as a public health crisis in the state and establish a commission to study the impact of institutional racism on public health.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-56	<p>AN ACT DETERRING AGE DISCRIMINATION IN EMPLOYMENT APPLICATIONS.</p> <p>To prevent the use of initial employment applications to discriminate against potential employees based on age.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON AGE		
Proposed SB-115	<p>AN ACT PROHIBITING THE SALE OF CIGARETTES, TOBACCO PRODUCTS, ELECTRONIC NICOTINE DELIVERY SYSTEMS AND VAPOR PRODUCTS BY HEALTH CARE FACILITIES AND PHARMACIES.</p> <p>To prohibit any health care facility or pharmacy from selling cigarettes, tobacco products, electronic nicotine delivery systems and vapor products.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-158	<p>AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE COVID-19 EMERGENCY EVICTION AND FORECLOSURE PREVENTION ACT.</p> <p>To protect: (1) Tenants from eviction due to the COVID-19 pandemic; and (2) homeowners and certain landlords from foreclosures due to the COVID-19 pandemic.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-15 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD		
Proposed SB-160	<p>AN ACT STUDYING PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION FARES FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES.</p> <p>To ensure that publicly funded transportation providers are providing persons with disabilities affordable access to public transportation.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>					01-15 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON TRA		



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Proposed HB-5001	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE PENSION AND ANNUITY INCOME DEDUCTION FROM THE PERSONAL INCOME TAX AND THE QUALIFYING INCOME THRESHOLD FOR MARRIED INDIVIDUALS FILING JOINTLY.</p> <p>To increase the qualifying income threshold for the pension and annuity income deduction from the personal income tax for married individuals filing jointly, to twice the amount of the qualifying income threshold for an unmarried individual.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON FIN			
Proposed HB-5008	<p>AN ACT ELIMINATING ELECTION DAY REGISTRATION.</p> <p>To eliminate election day registration.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed HB-5011	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE COPYING OF PUBLIC RECORDS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT.</p> <p>To reduce the fee for copying public records and provide no fee for copying records with a camera, cell phone or portable scanner.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed HB-5013	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING MANDATED HEALTH INSURANCE BENEFIT REVIEW.</p> <p>To alter the manner in which the General Assembly enacts new mandated health insurance benefits.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>		01-14 INS - Vote to Draft		01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS			
Proposed HB-5022	<p>AN ACT LIMITING THE DURATION OF A RENEWAL OF THE DECLARATION OF A PUBLIC HEALTH OR CIVIL PREPAREDNESS EMERGENCY DURING A PANDEMIC.</p> <p>To limit the duration of a renewal of the declaration of a public health or civil preparedness emergency during a pandemic to not longer than a month.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5034	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING OPEN LOCATIONS FOR SERVICE DOGS.</p> <p>To allow for the expansion of the types of settings where service dogs are permitted.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ENV			
Proposed HB-5042	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING ABSENTEE BALLOTS AND VERIFICATION OF SIGNATURES.</p> <p>To require absentee ballot counters to verify an electors' signatures on returned absentee ballot inner envelopes.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed HB-5045	<p>AN ACT EXPANDING ACCESS TO MEDICAL SPECIALISTS FOR MEDICAID BENEFICIARIES IN SOUTHEASTERN CONNECTICUT.</p> <p>To ensure adequate access to medical specialists in southeastern Connecticut.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HS			
Proposed HB-5050	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLAWFUL DISSEMINATION OF INTIMATE IMAGES.</p> <p>To elevate the penalty for dissemination of intimate images in the case of dissemination to multiple persons by certain electronic means.</p> <p>House Cal: Senate Cal:</p>				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5053	<p>AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO COUNSEL IN CERTAIN SUMMARY PROCESS PROCEEDINGS.</p>				01-11 HCO -			

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	To ensure that any tenant negatively affected by the COVID-19 pandemic has access to legal counsel in a summary process proceeding. House Cal: Senate Cal:				REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD			
Proposed HB-5066	AN ACT CONCERNING SERVICES FOR INDIVIDUALS EXPOSED TO A TRAUMATIC EVENT. To create a broader safety net of care and support for individuals in the community who have been exposed to a traumatic event. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5067	AN ACT REQUIRING INFORMED CONSENT FOR A PELVIC OR PROSTATE EXAMINATION ON A PATIENT WHO IS UNDER DEEP SEDATION OR ANESTHESIA OR UNCONSCIOUS. To prohibit unauthorized pelvic and prostate examinations on patients who have been administered sedation or anesthesia or are unconscious. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-11 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5089	AN ACT CONCERNING LEGISLATIVE PENSION CALCULATIONS AND THE TRANSPORTATION ALLOWANCE. To remove mileage reimbursement from legislator pension calculations. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON APP			
Proposed HB-5095	AN ACT CONCERNING PASSPORT TO THE PARKS FEE EXEMPTIONS. To exempt senior citizens and veterans from the Passport to the Parks vehicle registration fee. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ENV			
Proposed HB-5099	AN ACT ELIMINATING THE PASSPORT TO THE PARKS VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEE FOR PERSONS OVER SIXTY-FIVE YEARS OF AGE AND FOR VETERANS AND REQUIRING PAYMENT OF SUCH FEE ON ONLY ONE CAR OWNED BY A PERSON. To eliminate or reduce the Passport to the Parks vehicle registration fee for certain citizens of the state. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ENV			
Proposed HB-5103	AN ACT CONCERNING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL OF RENEWALS OF DECLARATIONS OF EMERGENCY AND THE CONTINUATION OF EXECUTIVE ORDERS. To require legislative approval for renewals of a declaration of a public health or civil preparedness emergency and the continuation of executive orders issued pursuant to the declaration. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed HB-5110	AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR HOUSING RESOURCES FOR THE HOMELESS AND TO PREVENT HOMELESSNESS. To provide increased funding for the coordinated access networks and the United Way of Connecticut 2-1-1 Infoline program for housing resources. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HSG			
Proposed HB-5135	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A HIGH-RISK NAVIGATOR PROGRAM. To combat opioid abuse and addiction. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-12 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH			
Proposed HB-5164	AN ACT CONCERNING LICENSURE OF RESIDENTIAL STAIR LIFT TECHNICIANS. To promote and facilitate the safe installation of personal stair lifts by requiring installers of such lifts in private residences to be licensed as residential stair lift technicians. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-13 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PS			
Proposed HB-5167	AN ACT CONCERNING THE WAIVER OF FEES FOR OPERATOR'S LICENSES AND MOTOR VEHICLE REGISTRATION FOR VETERANS. To waive any operator's license or motor vehicle registration fee for one licensing period for a qualifying veteran who is a current resident of the state, rather than a veteran who was a resident at the time of his or her induction into the armed forces. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-13 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON TRA			

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Proposed HB-5173	AN ACT PROMOTING VOLUNTEERISM. To promote volunteerism in the state of Connecticut. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-15 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON APP			
Proposed HB-5180	AN ACT CONCERNING A REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM FOR ELECTRIC DISTRIBUTION COMPANY CUSTOMERS PURCHASING ELECTRIC GENERATORS WHICH POWER NECESSARY MEDICAL EQUIPMENT. To require that the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority initiate a proceeding to (1) develop an electric generator purchase reimbursement program for electric distribution company customers; (2) limit the customers' eligibility for food and medicine reimbursement under existing programs; and (3) require electric distribution companies to notify the customers about storm-level forecasts. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-15 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ET			
Proposed HB-5181	AN ACT EXEMPTING HANDICAP RAMPS FOR RESIDENTIAL USE FROM THE SALES AND USE TAXES. To exempt handicap ramps for residential use from the sales and use taxes. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-15 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON FIN			
Proposed HB-5187	AN ACT DESIGNATING KINDNESS WEEK. To promote acts of kindness among the residents of the state. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-15 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
PHJ HJ-1	RESOLUTION PROPOSING A STATE CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT CONCERNING TERM LIMITS FOR LEGISLATORS. To establish term limits for legislators. House Cal: Senate Cal:				01-08 HCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE			
Proposed SB-4	AN ACT CONCERNING DATA PRIVACY, NET NEUTRALITY, CYBER SECURITY AND FAIRNESS IN DATA USAGE IN THE NEW AGE OF A DIGITAL WORKFORCE. To protect the economy and online learning from data breaches and limits on broadband usage. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ET		
Proposed SB-5	AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO VOTER REGISTRATION AND ABSENTEE BALLOTS AND SAFE AND SECURE LOCATIONS TO VOTE. To allow electors to request an absentee ballot online, to increase access to voter registration, to increase voter participation and to increase voter access to safe and secure locations to vote. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
Proposed SB-6	AN ACT CONCERNING CRIMINAL JUSTICE REFORM, COMPASSIONATE RELEASE AND DOMESTIC VIOLENCE POLICIES. To improve the criminal justice system, protect incarcerated individuals from unnecessary death, and protect domestic violence victims in abusive relationships from coercive control from their abusers. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON JUD		
Proposed SB-10	AN ACT EXEMPTING DISABLED VETERANS FROM THE PASSPORT TO THE PARKS VEHICLE REGISTRATION FEE. To exempt disabled veterans from the Passport to the Parks fee. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ENV		
Proposed SB-12	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PERSONAL INCOME TAX DEDUCTION FOR LONG-TERM CARE INSURANCE PREMIUMS. To establish a personal income tax deduction for premiums paid for long-term care insurance. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON FIN		
Proposed SB-15	AN ACT CONCERNING ONLINE APPLICATIONS FOR ABSENTEE BALLOTS. To allow any eligible elector to electronically request an absentee ballot through the					01-08 SCO - REF. TO		

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	Secretary of the State's Internet web site. House Cal: Senate Cal:					JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
Proposed SB-16	AN ACT DESIGNATING CONNECTICUT RACE AMITY DAY. To designate the second Sunday in June of each year as Connecticut Race Amity Day. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
Proposed SB-17	AN ACT INCREASING THE MAXIMUM PENALTY FOR WRONGFUL DENIALS UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT. To increase the maximum penalty for the wrongful denial of any right created by the Freedom of Information Act. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
Proposed SB-28	AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR SEVERE OBESITY TREATMENT. To require health insurance coverage for certain surgical procedures performed, and certain outpatient prescription drugs prescribed, to treat severe obesity. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS		
Proposed SB-38	AN ACT LOWERING THE AGE OF ELIGIBILITY FOR PROPERTY TAX RELIEF FOR SENIOR CITIZENS. To increase the number of elderly residents eligible for property tax relief and permit municipalities to exempt from taxation one motor vehicle belonging to a person seventy-one years of age or older who has resided in the municipality for not less than forty years. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PD		
Proposed SB-48	AN ACT CONCERNING ADDITIONAL HOUSING PROTECTIONS FOR A VICTIM OF FAMILY VIOLENCE OR SEXUAL ASSAULT. To allow a person who has a valid order of protection to request that such person's landlord change the locks to the person's dwelling unit or permit such person to change the locks. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HSG		
Proposed SB-57	AN ACT CONCERNING THE RECALCULATION OR CAPPING OF CERTAIN STATE EMPLOYEE PENSIONS. To lower state employee retirement costs by capping or recalculating certain high-cost pensions. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON APP		
Proposed SB-68	AN ACT CREATING A BROADBAND INTERNET TASK FORCE. To create a task force to examine broadband Internet in the state of Connecticut and make recommendations to the General Assembly regarding high-speed Internet access, provider selection and market competition to improve service quality. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON ET		
Proposed SB-86	AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR HOUSING RESOURCES FOR THE HOMELESS AND TO PREVENT HOMELESSNESS. To provide increased funding for the coordinated access networks and the United Way of Connecticut 2-1-1 Infoline program for housing resources. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON HSG		
Proposed SB-90	AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR CERTAIN SURGICAL PROCEDURES PERFORMED TO TREAT SEVERE OBESITY. To require health insurance coverage for certain surgical procedures performed to treat severe obesity. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON INS		
Proposed SB-100	AN ACT CONCERNING INTERSEX PERSONS. To extend various health and legal protections to persons with intersex conditions. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-104	AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF GUIDE DOGS AND ASSISTANCE DOGS.					01-12 SCO -		

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	To prohibit anyone from asking an individual the reason for using a guide dog or assistance dog as a condition of bringing the dog onto public transportation or into a place of public accommodation. House Cal: Senate Cal:					REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-106	AN ACT PERMITTING NURSE'S AIDES TO ADMINISTER VACCINES. To increase the number of medical staff who may vaccinate patients in a time when the demand for such staff exceeds the supply. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-116	AN ACT CONCERNING MENTAL HEALTH TRAINING OF EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES PERSONNEL. To permit additional organizations to certify instructors that provide mental health first aid training to emergency medical services personnel and require mental health first aid training for recertification of emergency medical services personnel. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-117	AN ACT CONCERNING HOMEMAKER AND COMPANION SERVICES. To better protect individuals using homemaker and companion services. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PH		
Proposed SB-122	AN ACT ESTABLISHING A UNIT WITHIN THE DIVISION OF STATE POLICE TO INVESTIGATE HATE CRIMES AND CRIMINAL ACTS COMMITTED BY EXTREMIST GROUPS. To establish a unit within the Division of State Police to investigate hate crimes and criminal acts committed by extremist groups. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON PS		
Proposed SB-129	AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL MARIJUANA FOR VETERANS. To exempt veterans from the fees for registration and written certification for medical marijuana and to establish a process to identify veterans who qualify as patients for medical marijuana. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON VA		
Proposed SB-133	AN ACT EXEMPTING DISABLED VETERANS FROM THE PASSPORT TO THE PARKS FEE WHEN REGISTERING A MOTOR VEHICLE. To exempt disabled veterans from the Passport to the Parks fee when registering a motor vehicle. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-12 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON VA		
Proposed SB-141	AN ACT CONCERNING WORKERS' COMPENSATION COVERAGE FOR CURRENT AND FORMER MEMBERS OF PAID MUNICIPAL OR VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENTS. To protect firefighters' health and secure their benefits in the event that they contract cancer due to their service. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-13 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON LAB		
Proposed SB-154	AN ACT CONCERNING VOTING RIGHTS. To (1) implement several changes designed to increase access to absentee ballots, (2) minimize the number of absentee ballots that are rejected, (3) improve timely tabulation of absentee ballots, and (4) prohibit the presence of firearms in or near polling places. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-15 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
PSJ SJ-3	RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT EARLY VOTING. To permit early voting. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
PSJ SJ-4	RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE STATE CONSTITUTION TO PERMIT NO-EXCUSE ABSENTEE VOTING. To eliminate the requirement that an elector satisfy a particular reason specified by law in order to cast an absentee ballot. House Cal: Senate Cal:					01-08 SCO - REF. TO JOINT COMM. ON GAE		
PSJ SJ-5	RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE CONNECTICUT CONSTITUTION TO REQUIRE THE ESTABLISHMENT AND FUNDING OF SHARED-RISK PENSION PLANS					01-12 SCO -		

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