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**Amendment**

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5789

File No. 305

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***"An Act Concerning The Tobacco Settlement Fund, The Tobacco And Health Trust Fund And A Tobacco Abuse Reduction And Health Plan."***

1 After line 159, insert the following and renumber the remaining  
2 section accordingly:

3 "Sec. 4. (NEW) The Department of Public Health and the  
4 Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services shall develop,  
5 within existing appropriations, a comprehensive plan, for the  
6 reduction of smoking by adolescents. The comprehensive plan shall  
7 provide strategies to significantly reduce smoking by adolescents less  
8 than seventeen years of age from the prevailing rate in the 1996-1997  
9 school year for students and young adults by October 1, 2010.  
10 Biennially, after the date of adoption of the plan, the departments shall  
11 assess the progress in implementing the plan using the best available  
12 data."