



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6241

LCO No. 2120

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

REP. HAMM, 34th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING TESTIMONY OF YOUTH AT CERTAIN HEARINGS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That subsection (b) of section 17a-110 of the general statutes be
- 2 amended to allow a youth who is eleven years of age or older who has
- 3 been committed to the Department of Children and Families the
- 4 absolute right to testify in any court proceedings affecting the family
- 5 and future of such youth.

Statement of Purpose:

To give young people the right to be both heard and respected.