



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 6615**

LCO No. 3402

Referred to Committee on General Law

Introduced by:  
(GL)

***AN ACT ESTABLISHING CONSUMER PROTECTIONS FOR HOME IMPROVEMENT CONTRACTOR FINANCED PROGRAMS.***

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

1 Subsection (e) of section 20-429 of the general statutes is repealed  
2 and the following is substituted in lieu thereof:

3 (e) Each home improvement contract entered into shall be  
4 considered a home solicitation sale pursuant to chapter 740 and shall  
5 be subject to the requirements of said chapter regardless of the location  
6 of the transaction or of the signing of the contract. Each home  
7 improvement contract in which the owner agrees to repay the  
8 contractor for an amount loaned or advanced to the owner by the  
9 contractor for the purposes of paying for the goods and services  
10 provided in such contract shall comply with the provisions of part XI  
11 of chapter 669.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To afford consumers receiving financing under their home improvement contracts the same protections afforded to consumers under the Retail Installment Sales Financing Act.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*