



General Assembly

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LCO No. 2941

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

(PH)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE PROVISION OF HOUSING AND
SUPPORT SERVICES BY THE DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
AND ADDICTION SERVICES.**

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

1 (NEW) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes, the
2 Commissioner of Mental Health and Addiction Services may, within
3 available appropriations, enter into a lease or other rental agreement
4 for an apartment, home or similar private residence on behalf of and
5 for occupancy by a person receiving services from the Department of
6 Mental Health and Addiction Services if the commissioner determines
7 that such person is unable to lease or rent such apartment, home or
8 similar private residence on such person's own behalf. Any such lease
9 or rental agreement shall not exceed the fair market price for the area
10 in which such apartment, home or similar private residence is located.

PH Joint Favorable