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**Amendment**

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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5429

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICATION IN  
SCHOOLS AND REPEALING AN OBSOLETE SECTION OF THE  
STATUTES."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 10-212 of the general statutes, as amended by  
4 section 3 of public act 03-211, is repealed and the following is  
5 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

6 (a) Each local or regional board of education shall appoint one or  
7 more school nurses or nurse practitioners. Such school nurses and  
8 nurse practitioners appointed by such boards shall be qualified  
9 pursuant to regulations adopted in accordance with the provisions of  
10 chapter 54 by the State Board of Education in consultation with the  
11 Department of Public Health. Such school nurses may also act as

12 visiting nurses in the town, may visit the homes of pupils in the public  
13 schools and shall assist in executing the orders of the school medical  
14 advisor, if there is any in such town, and perform such other duties as  
15 are required by such board.

16 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes or any  
17 regulation of Connecticut state agencies, nothing in this section shall  
18 be construed to prohibit the administering of medications by parents  
19 or guardians to their own children on school grounds.

20 (c) School nurses and nurse practitioners appointed by or under  
21 contract with any local or regional board of education and any nurse  
22 provided to a nonpublic school under the provisions of section 10-  
23 217a, as amended, shall submit to a criminal history records check in  
24 accordance with the provisions of section 29-17a.

25 Sec. 502. Subsection (b) of section 10-221d of the general statutes is  
26 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
27 *1, 2004*):

28 (b) If a local or regional board of education, endowed or  
29 incorporated academy approved by the State Board of Education  
30 pursuant to section 10-34, or special education facility approved by the  
31 State Board of Education pursuant to section 10-76d, as amended,  
32 requests, a regional educational service center shall arrange for the  
33 fingerprinting of any person required to submit to state and national  
34 criminal history records checks pursuant to this section or for  
35 conducting any other method of positive identification required by the  
36 State Police Bureau of Identification or the Federal Bureau of  
37 Investigation and shall forward such fingerprints or other positive  
38 identifying information to the State Police Bureau of Identification  
39 which shall conduct criminal history records checks in accordance with  
40 section 29-17a. Such regional educational service centers shall provide  
41 the results of such checks to such local or regional board of education,  
42 endowed or incorporated academy or special education facility. Such  
43 regional educational service centers shall provide such results to any

44 other local or regional board of education or regional educational  
45 service center upon the request of such person."