



General Assembly

January Session, 2005

**Proposed Bill No. 6278**

LCO No. 1994

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:

REP. SPALLONE, 36th Dist.

**AN ACT STUDYING THE FEASIBILITY OF FORMING AN INTERSTATE PURCHASING POOL FOR HEALTH INSURANCE AND PRESCRIPTION DRUGS.**

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

- 1 That the Comptroller, in consultation with the Office of Policy and
- 2 Management, study the feasibility of forming an interstate compact
- 3 with other northeastern states for the bulk purchase of health care
- 4 insurance and prescription drugs and report the findings of the study
- 5 and any recommendations for legislation to the General Assembly not
- 6 later than January 1, 2006.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To authorize a feasibility study for an interstate health insurance and prescription drug purchasing pool.