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Raised Bill No. 5638

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:
(HS)

AN ACT CONCERNING A HOME AND COMMUNITY-BASED WAIVER FOR INDIVIDUALS WITH AUTISM OR OTHER DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.

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

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2006*) The Commissioner of Social
2 Services, in consultation with the Commissioner of Mental
3 Retardation, shall apply for a Medicaid waiver pursuant to Section
4 1915(c) of the Social Security Act, for purposes of securing increased
5 funds for home and community-based individualized support services
6 and self-directed services for children and adults who have autism or
7 other developmental disabilities, including children and adults who do
8 not have mental retardation, but who require specialized services in
9 their home and community.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2006</i>	New section
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