



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5332

LCO No. 908

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:

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AN ACT INCREASING ACCESS TO CHRONIC MEDICATION.

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

- 1 That chapter 700c of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 individual and group health insurance policies delivered, issued for
- 3 delivery, renewed or continued in this state that provide coverage for
- 4 outpatient prescription drugs to require no more than a single
- 5 copayment for a ninety-day supply of any covered chronic medication.
- 6 For the purposes of this section, "chronic medication" means any
- 7 prescription medication other than a controlled drug, as defined in
- 8 section 21a-240 of the general statutes, that is prescribed for continuous
- 9 use during a period that exceeds twelve months.

Statement of Purpose:

To make the purchase of chronic medication more affordable and to increase access to such medication.