



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5762

LCO No. 2534

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

REP. MERRILL, 54th Dist.

(By Request)

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMINER PROGRAM.

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

- 1 That the sum of ___ dollars be appropriated to the Department of
- 2 Public Health, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June
- 3 30, 2008, for establishment and operation of a sexual assault forensic
- 4 nurse examiner program, to (1) deliver quality coordinated, expert,
- 5 forensic services and medical care necessary to increase the successful
- 6 prosecution of sex offenders, and (2) ensure access to essential medical
- 7 care and treatment for victims of sexual assault.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a sexual assault forensic nurse examiner program in the state.