



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6280

LCO No. 1413

Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by:

REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING PENALTIES FOR HEALTH INSURERS
CONVICTED OF MEDICARE FRAUD.**

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

- 1 That chapter 698a of the general statutes be amended to provide the
- 2 Attorney General with treble damages for civil cases involving
- 3 Medicare fraud by any health insurer doing business in this state and
- 4 to prohibit any health insurer convicted of Medicare fraud from doing
- 5 business in this state for a period of ten years.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish severe penalties for any health insurer convicted of Medicare fraud.