



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 7279**

LCO No. 4777

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Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:  
(HS)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF THE MONEY  
FOLLOWS THE PERSON PROGRAM.**

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

1 Section 1. Section 17b-369 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

3 The Commissioner of Social Services, pursuant to Section 6071 of  
4 the Deficit Reduction Act of 2005, [may submit an application to the  
5 Secretary of Health and Human Services to] shall establish a Money  
6 Follows the Person demonstration project. [In the event the state is  
7 selected to participate in the demonstration project and the  
8 Department of Social Services elects to participate in such project,  
9 such] The Money Follows the Person demonstration project shall serve  
10 not more than [one] seven hundred persons and shall be designed to  
11 achieve the objectives set forth in Section 6071(a) of the Deficit  
12 Reduction Act of 2005. Services available under the demonstration  
13 project shall include, but not be limited to, personal care assistance  
14 services. The commissioner may apply for a Medicaid research and  
15 demonstration waiver under Section 1115 of the Social Security Act, if  
16 such waiver is necessary to implement the demonstration project. The

17 commissioner may, if necessary, modify any existing Medicaid home  
18 or community-based waiver if such modification is required to  
19 implement the demonstration project.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	17b-369

***Statement of Purpose:***

To expand the Money Follows the Person demonstration project so that such project provides services for up to seven hundred persons.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*