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To: Subst. House Bill No. 7037

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"AN ACT EXPANDING THE SUBSIDIZED GUARDIANSHIP PROGRAM TO SIBLINGS OF CHILDREN LIVING WITH RELATIVE CAREGIVERS."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (o) of section 46b-129 of the general statutes is
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
5 *October 1, 2007*):

6 (o) A foster parent, prospective adoptive parent or relative caregiver
7 shall receive notice and have the right to be heard for the purposes of
8 this section in Superior Court [on a motion for review of a permanency
9 plan and in matters concerning the placement or revocation of
10 commitment of] in any proceeding concerning a foster child living
11 with such [parent. A foster parent shall receive notice of any motion
12 for review of a permanency plan or a motion to revoke commitment or
13 any hearing on such motion] foster parent, prospective adoptive

14 parent or relative caregiver. A foster parent, prospective adoptive
15 parent or relative caregiver who has cared for a child or youth [for not
16 less than six months] shall have the right to be heard and comment on
17 the best interests of such child or youth in any [matter] proceeding
18 under this section which is brought not more than one year after the
19 last day the foster parent, prospective adoptive parent or relative
20 caregiver provided such care."