



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5934

LCO No. 3384

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Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:
(JUD)

AN ACT CONCERNING INMATE ACCESS TO INDIVIDUALS' PERSONAL IDENTIFYING INFORMATION.

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

1 Section 1. Section 18-90a of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2008*):

3 The Commissioner of Correction may permit any inmate of a
4 correctional facility under his jurisdiction to be employed by any
5 department or agency of the state, any political subdivision of the state
6 or federal government or any private, nonprofit entity which desires to
7 make use of the services of such inmates, provided participation by
8 such inmates shall be voluntary. The employment of any inmate
9 pursuant to this section shall not result in the displacement of
10 employed workers, and shall not impair existing contracts for services.
11 Any inmate employed under this section shall receive the same
12 compensation he would receive if he worked within the correctional
13 institution to which he is confined. No inmate may be employed in a
14 capacity where the inmate may have access to personal identifying
15 information, as defined in section 53a-129a, of any other person.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
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Section 1	October 1, 2008	18-90a
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Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit an inmate from being employed in any capacity where the inmate may have access to personal identifying information of another person.

[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.]