



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5125**

LCO No. 189

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

REP. ALTOBELLO, 82nd Dist.

(By Request)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF GUARDIANS AD LITEM TO ASSIST DISABLED INDIVIDUALS IN COURT PROCEEDINGS.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the court to appoint
- 2 a guardian ad litem for any individual who suffers from mental illness
- 3 or any other disability whether or not such disability is readily
- 4 apparent.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide a guardian ad litem for disabled individuals involved in court proceedings.