



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5283

LCO No. 511

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:
REP. HURLBURT, 53rd Dist.

AN ACT PROVIDING ADDITIONAL FUNDING TO VICTIM ADVOCATE PROGRAMS.

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

- 1 That sections 53a-41 and 53a-42 of the general statutes be amended
- 2 to (1) add an additional charge of (A) seventy-five dollars to the fine
- 3 fixed by the court for the conviction of a felony, and (B) fifty dollars to
- 4 the fine fixed by the court for the conviction of a misdemeanor; and (2)
- 5 allocate the amount of such charge to the funding of victim advocate
- 6 programs.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a source of additional funding for victim advocate programs by adding an additional charge to felony and misdemeanor fines.