



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5840

LCO No. 1144

Referred to Committee on Human Services

Introduced by:

REP. REYNOLDS, 42nd Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING COST-OF-LIVING INCREASES FOR PRIVATE PROVIDERS AND ESTABLISHMENT OF A FUND FOR COMMUNITY PROVIDERS TO MAKE CAPITAL IMPROVEMENTS.

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

1 That funds be appropriated to each budgeted state agency that
2 contracts with private providers for the provision of human services,
3 for the purpose of providing a cost-of-living rate increase to such
4 service providers. It is further proposed that an account within the
5 General Fund be established for moneys to be expended by
6 community service providers for the purposes of addressing
7 infrastructure needs.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase the ability of private providers to meet the health and human service needs of state residents.