



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5883**

LCO No. 982

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:  
REP. ORANGE, 48th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNLICENSED PRACTICE OF MASSAGE THERAPY.**

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

- 1 That chapter 384a of the general statutes be amended to establish
- 2 criminal liability and penalties for those individuals who hold
- 3 themselves out to be massage therapists but who fail to have the
- 4 required state licensure.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To establish criminal liability and penalties for those who engage in the unlicensed practice of massage therapy.