



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6178

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Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

REP. WALKER, 93rd Dist.

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**AN ACT CONCERNING PSYCHOLOGICAL, PSYCHIATRIC, MEDICAL
AND OTHER EVALUATION OF A CHILD OR A CHILD'S PARENT OR
GUARDIAN.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) require a judicial
- 2 hearing prior to any psychological, psychiatric, medical or other
- 3 evaluation of a child or a child's parent or guardian, (2) establish
- 4 standards for such hearing, (3) establish confidentiality requirements
- 5 for any therapies provided, and (4) establish penalties for violation of
- 6 such requirements.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish safeguards with respect to any psychological, psychiatric,
medical or other evaluation of a child or a child's parent or guardian.