



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6256

LCO No. 1789

Referred to Committee on Judiciary

Introduced by:

REP. WALKER, 93rd Dist.

SEN. HARP, 10th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE COST OF EVALUATING AND TREATING CHILDREN AND FAMILIES IN CERTAIN PROCEEDINGS.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require that any
- 2 psychological, psychiatric, medical or other evaluation of a child,
- 3 parent or guardian and therapies provided to the child, parent or
- 4 guardian be paid by the Judicial Department if the evaluation or
- 5 therapy is related to a juvenile matter or a proceeding to which the
- 6 Department of Children and Families is a party or potential party.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the Judicial Department to pay the costs of any psychological, psychiatric, medical or other evaluation of a child, parent or guardian and therapies provided to the child, parent or guardian.