



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 12

LCO No. 43

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:
SEN. PRAGUE, 19th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE AVAILABILITY OF AUTOMATIC
EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS IN SCHOOLS.**

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

- 1 That chapter 170 of the general statutes be amended to require that
- 2 each local and regional board of education shall ensure that any public
- 3 or private school under its direction is equipped with an automatic
- 4 external defibrillator.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve the health and safety of Connecticut residents by requiring the presence of automatic external defibrillators in schools.