



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 168**

LCO No. 901

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:

SEN. DEBICELLA, 21<sup>st</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT PROVIDING A CORPORATE TAX DEDUCTION FOR  
TAXPAYERS PROVIDING WELLNESS AND PREVENTATIVE CARE  
PROGRAMS TO EMPLOYEES AT THE WORKPLACE.**

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

- 1 That section 12-217 of the general statutes be amended to allow a
- 2 corporate taxpayer to deduct up to one million dollars per year from
- 3 the taxpayer's total corporate tax liability for costs incurred by the
- 4 taxpayer in providing wellness and preventative care programs to
- 5 employees at the workplace.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To permit employers to deduct from corporate tax the cost of wellness and preventative care programs offered at the workplace.