



General Assembly

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**Amendment**

LCO No. 5623

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Offered by:  
REP. DILLON, 92<sup>nd</sup> Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. 457

File No. 520

Cal. No.

**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 51-88 of the general statutes is  
4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
5 *October 1, 2010*):

6 (a) A person who has not been admitted as an attorney under the  
7 provisions of section 51-80 shall not: (1) Practice law or appear as an  
8 attorney-at-law for another, in any court of record in this state, (2)  
9 make it a business to practice law, or appear as an attorney-at-law for  
10 another in any such court, (3) make it a business to solicit employment  
11 for an attorney-at-law, (4) hold himself out to the public as being  
12 entitled to practice law, (5) assume to be an attorney-at-law, (6)  
13 assume, use or advertise the title of lawyer, attorney and counselor-at-  
14 law, attorney-at-law, counselor-at-law, attorney, counselor, attorney  
15 and counselor, or an equivalent term, in such manner as to convey the

16 impression that he is a legal practitioner of law, or (7) advertise that he,  
17 either alone or with others, owns, conducts or maintains a law office,  
18 or office or place of business of any kind for the practice of law. For the  
19 purposes of this section, to "practice law" includes: (A) The drafting,  
20 review and analysis for clients located in this state of legal documents,  
21 including, but not limited to, contracts, trusts, wills, court pleadings,  
22 court motions, court briefs, discovery documents and depositions, and  
23 (B) the researching and analysis of Connecticut law and the advising of  
24 clients located in this state regarding the status of Connecticut law."