



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5057**

LCO No. 114

Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:  
REP. HOVEY, 112th Dist.

**AN ACT GIVING PRECEDENCE IN HIRING TO THE CHILDREN OF  
FIREFIGHTERS WHO DIED IN THE LINE OF DUTY.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require that the name of the
- 2 son or daughter of a firefighter who, while in the performance of such
- 3 firefighter's duties was killed or sustained injuries which resulted in
- 4 his or her death, be placed in the first position on the eligible list for
- 5 hiring or on the reserve roster for appointment to service in a fire
- 6 department, provided the son or daughter has passed the required
- 7 written and physical examination for entrance to the fire service.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To honor firefighters killed in the line of duty by providing their  
children with precedence in the hiring process if they seek to become  
firefighters.