



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 40**

LCO No. 492

Referred to Committee on Higher Education and Employment  
Advancement

Introduced by:

SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.

SEN. PRAGUE, 19th Dist.

**AN ACT ALLOWING CHILDREN OF UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANT  
ALIENS TO QUALIFY FOR IN-STATE TUITION.**

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

- 1 That section 10a-29 of the general statutes be amended to allow
- 2 undocumented immigrant alien children who (1) reside in this state,
- 3 (2) complete at least four years of high school level education in this
- 4 state, and (3) register as an entering student or enroll at a public
- 5 institution of higher education in this state to be entitled to the
- 6 classification of an in-state student for tuition purposes.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To increase access to higher education for immigrant children and  
thereby improve the quality of the Connecticut workforce.