



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 198

January Session, 2011

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AN ACT CONCERNING RIVERVIEW HOSPITAL.

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

1 Section 1. Section 32 of public act 10-3 is repealed and the following
2 is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 Not later than [April 15] October 1, 2011, the Department of
4 Children and Families in consultation with the Child Advocate, shall
5 submit a plan, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the
6 general statutes, to the select committee of the General Assembly
7 having cognizance of matters relating to children and to the joint
8 standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of
9 matters relating to human services and appropriations and the budgets
10 of state agencies concerning the future of Riverview Hospital for
11 Children and Youth. Said plan shall include, but not be limited to, an
12 assessment of the following issues: (1) The minimum essential level of
13 employees required to provide care for the children at Riverview
14 Hospital on July 1, 2011; (2) the impact on the children cared for at
15 Riverview Hospital if the staff were reduced by twenty-five per cent or
16 fifty per cent, respectively; (3) alternative placement options for
17 children currently cared for at Riverview Hospital if the hospital
18 closed on July 1, 2011; (4) the estimated number of children at
19 Riverview Hospital who would be placed in out-of-state facilities if the
20 hospital closed on July 1, 2011; (5) estimated facility, personnel and

