



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 613**

LCO No. 1155

Referred to Committee on Public Health

Introduced by:  
SEN. BOUCHER, 26th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE FINANCIAL VIABILITY OF PRIVATE NURSING HOME FACILITIES.**

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

- 1 That section 19a-535 of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that a private nursing home shall only be required to provide
- 3 continued care to a resident if there is a funding source for the
- 4 resident's care, or alternatively, the resident has vested title to his or
- 5 her residential home to the nursing home facility.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To ease the burden on private nursing homes by exempting such facilities from the responsibility to provide continued care to a resident who lacks the financial means to pay for the care.