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**"AN ACT CONCERNING CHILD WELFARE AND DETENTION IN
THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM."**

1 Strike section 4 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu
2 thereof:

3 "Sec. 4. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Not later than September 30,
4 2011, and biennially thereafter, the Commissioner of Children and
5 Families, the Commissioner of Public Safety, the Chief State's Attorney,
6 the Chief Public Defender, the Chief Court Administrator and the
7 Police Officer Standards and Training Council shall submit a report, on
8 behalf of the respective department, division, office or council, to the
9 Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management on the plans
10 established by the department, division, office or council to address
11 disproportionate minority contact in the juvenile justice system and
12 the steps taken to implement those plans during the previous two
13 fiscal years. Any reports submitted by the Commissioner of Children
14 and Families and the Chief Court Administrator, or on behalf of any
15 other such department, division, office or council that has

16 responsibility for providing child welfare services, including services
17 in abuse and neglect cases, shall (1) indicate efforts undertaken in the
18 previous two fiscal years to address disproportionate minority contact
19 in the child welfare system, and (2) include an evaluation of the
20 relationship between the child welfare system and disproportionate
21 minority contact in the juvenile justice system. The Secretary of the
22 Office of Policy and Management shall compile the submissions and
23 shall submit a report on such submissions, in accordance with section
24 11-4a of the general statutes, to the Governor and the General
25 Assembly not later than December thirty-first biennially. For the
26 purposes of this section, "disproportionate minority contact" means
27 that a disproportionate number of juvenile members of minority
28 groups come into contact with the juvenile justice system."