

**Bill History**  
**Session Year 2011**  
**Substitute for Raised H.B. No. 6442**

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**Introducer(s):**  
Judiciary Committee

**Title:** AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPOINTMENT OF COUNSEL AND GUARDIANS AD LITEM IN CHILD PROTECTION MATTERS, AND THE APPOINTMENT OF PERMANENT LEGAL GUARDIANS.

**Statement of Purpose:** To revise provisions concerning the appointment of counsel and guardians ad litem in child protection matters, and establish a status of "permanent legal guardian" in order to foster long-term placement of children and youths.

**Bill History:**

02/23/11 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee  
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04/15/11 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
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05/24/11 JOINT FAVORABLE  
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05/24/11 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE  
05/24/11 NO NEW FILE BY COMMITTEE ON Human Services Committee  
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**Co-sponsor(s):**