



General Assembly

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Offered by:
SEN. BOUCHER, 26th Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. 1015

File No. 605

Cal. No. 375

"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PALLIATIVE USE OF MARIJUANA."

1 In lines 1, 147, 155, 164, 167, 191, 194, 200 and 225, strike "1 to 9" and
2 substitute "1 to 10" in lieu thereof

3 Strike lines 19 to 21, inclusive, in their entirety and substitute the
4 following in lieu thereof:

5 "(4) "Physician" means a person who is licensed under the
6 provisions of chapter 370 of the general statutes and certified by the
7 Department of Consumer Protection pursuant to section 10 of this act
8 to issue written certifications, but does not include a physician
9 assistant, as defined in section 20-12a of the general statutes;"

10 After line 211, insert the following and renumber sections and
11 internal references accordingly:

12 "Sec. 10. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2011*) The Commissioner of
13 Consumer Protection shall adopt regulations, in accordance with
14 chapter 54 of the general statutes, to establish a procedure and criteria

15 for certifying physicians to issue written certifications for the palliative
16 use of marijuana pursuant to sections 1 to 9, inclusive, of this act. Such
17 regulations shall require that any physician seeking certification
18 pursuant to this section shall demonstrate to the satisfaction of the
19 commissioner that the physician has knowledge of the physiological
20 effects of marijuana, the side effects of marijuana and the interaction of
21 marijuana with other drugs."