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To: Subst. House Bill No. 5348

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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMINISTRATION OF MEDICINE TO STUDENTS WITH DIABETES, THE DUTIES OF SCHOOL MEDICAL ADVISORS, THE INCLUSION OF CPR AND AED TRAINING IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL CURRICULUM AND PHYSICAL EXERCISE DURING THE SCHOOL DAY."

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- 1 In line 3, strike "or restrict"
 - 2 In line 4, strike "the time and location of"
 - 3 In line 5, insert an opening bracket before "or"
 - 4 In line 6, insert a closing bracket after "nurse"
 - 5 In line 7, after "self-testing." insert "No local or regional board of
 - 6 education may restrict the time and location of blood glucose self-
 - 7 testing by a child with diabetes on school grounds who has written
 - 8 authorization from a parent or guardian and a written order from a

9 physician stating that such child is capable of conducting self-testing
10 on school grounds."

11 In line 42, insert brackets around "subsection" and after the closing
12 bracket insert "subsections"

13 In line 42, after "(d)" insert "and (e)"

14 In line 47, insert brackets around "subsection" and after the closing
15 bracket insert "subsections"

16 In line 47, after "(d)" insert "and (e)"

17 Strike lines 135 to 149, inclusive, and insert the following in lieu
18 thereof:

19 "(e) (1) With the written authorization of a student's parent or
20 guardian, and (2) pursuant to a written order of the student's physician
21 licensed under chapter 370, a school nurse or a school principal shall
22 select, and a school nurse shall provide general supervision to, a
23 qualified school employee to administer medication with injectable
24 equipment used to administer glucagon to a student with diabetes that
25 may require prompt treatment in order to protect the student against
26 serious harm or death. Such authorization shall be limited to situations
27 when the school nurse is absent or unavailable. No qualified school
28 employee shall administer medication under this subsection unless (A)
29 such qualified school employee annually completes any training
30 required by the school nurse and school medical advisor in the
31 administration of medication with injectable equipment used to
32 administer glucagon, (B) the school nurse and school medical advisor
33 have attested, in writing, that such qualified school employee has
34 completed such training, and (C) such qualified school employee
35 voluntarily agrees to serve as a qualified school employee. For
36 purposes of this subsection, "injectable equipment used to administer
37 glucagon" means an injector or injectable equipment used to deliver
38 glucagon in an appropriate dose for emergency first aid response to
39 diabetes. For purposes of this subsection, "qualified school employee"

40 means a principal, teacher, licensed athletic trainer, licensed physical
41 or occupational therapist employed by a school district, coach or
42 school paraprofessional."

43 Strike section 4 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

44 "Sec. 4. Subsection (d) of section 10-16b of the 2012 supplement to
45 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
46 thereof (*Effective July 1, 2012*):

47 (d) The State Board of Education shall make available curriculum
48 materials and such other materials as may assist local and regional
49 boards of education in developing instructional programs pursuant to
50 this section. The State Board of Education, within available
51 appropriations and utilizing available resource materials, shall assist
52 and encourage local and regional boards of education to include: (1)
53 Holocaust and genocide education and awareness; (2) the historical
54 events surrounding the Great Famine in Ireland; (3) African-American
55 history; (4) Puerto Rican history; (5) Native American history; (6)
56 personal financial management; (7) training in cardiopulmonary
57 resuscitation and the use of automatic external defibrillators; and [(7)]
58 (8) topics approved by the state board upon the request of local or
59 regional boards of education as part of the program of instruction
60 offered pursuant to subsection (a) of this section."