



General Assembly

January Session, 2013

**Proposed Bill No. 5680**

LCO No. 1882

Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:  
REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING COMMUNITY SERVICE REQUIREMENTS FOR  
MINORS IN POSSESSION OF CIGARETTES OR TOBACCO  
PRODUCTS.**

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

- 1 That section 12-295a of the general statutes be amended to impose a
- 2 twenty hour community service requirement in an area related to
- 3 public health in lieu of the imposition of a fine for any minor caught
- 4 possessing cigarettes or tobacco products.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To reduce smoking among children and youth.