



General Assembly

January Session, 2013

Proposed Bill No. 5991

LCO No. 2195

Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
REP. SANCHEZ, 25th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING HEARING ASSESSMENTS FOR HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

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

- 1 That section 10-206 of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 health assessments for pupils in grades nine to twelve, inclusive,
- 3 include hearing screening at twenty decibels, to be increased to
- 4 twenty-five decibels only if the pupil fails at the lower level.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve identification of and prevent hearing loss among high school students.