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Introducer(s):

Judiciary Committee

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNAUTHORIZED PRACTICE OF LAW BY NOTARIES PUBLIC.

Statement of Purpose: To clarify that notaries public may not (1) offer legal assistance in immigration matters unless they are attorneys or otherwise permitted to provide assistance in such matters pursuant to federal law; or (2) falsely convey the impression that they are attorneys by use of certain titles.

Bill History:

01/22/13 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee
02/08/13 PUBLIC HEARING 02/13
03/13/13 JOINT FAVORABLE
03/14/13 FILED WITH LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
03/25/13 REFERRED TO OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE RESEARCH AND OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS 04/02/13-10:00 AM
04/02/13 REPORTED OUT OF LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE
04/02/13 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, HOUSE
04/02/13 HOUSE CALENDAR NUMBER 188
04/02/13 FILE NUMBER 278
04/10/13 HOUSE PASSED
04/11/13 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE
04/11/13 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 349
05/31/13 SENATE PASSED
05/31/13 ON CONSENT CALENDAR / IN CONCURRENCE
06/04/13 PUBLIC ACT 13-127
06/05/13 TRANSMITTED TO THE SECRETARY OF STATE
06/06/13 TRANSMITTED BY SECRETARY OF THE STATE TO GOVERNOR
06/18/13 SIGNED BY THE GOVERNOR

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