



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 426**

LCO No. 1903



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:  
(PS)

***AN ACT SUSPENDING AND EVALUATING THE CONSOLIDATION OF  
DISPATCH CENTERS WITHIN THE DIVISION OF STATE POLICE.***

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) From the effective date of this  
2 section until July 1, 2015, the Commissioner of Emergency Services and  
3 Public Protection shall suspend the consolidation of dispatch centers  
4 within the Division of State Police.

5 (b) Not later than January 15, 2015, the Commissioner of  
6 Emergency Services and Public Protection shall submit a report, in  
7 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes,  
8 to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having  
9 cognizance of matters relating to public safety and security. Such  
10 report shall provide an evaluation of the consolidation of dispatch  
11 centers, including the cost thereof, within the Division of State Police  
12 that began after January 1, 2012.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

**Statement of Purpose:**

To suspend the consolidation of dispatch centers within the Division of State Police and to require the Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection to submit an evaluation of the consolidation of such dispatch centers.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*