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To: Senate Bill No. 192

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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE QUALIFICATIONS OF CLINICAL PEERS FOR ADVERSE DETERMINATION REVIEWS."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. Subdivision (7) of section 38a-591a of the 2014
4 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is
5 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2015*):

6 (7) "Clinical peer" means a physician or other health care
7 professional who:

8 (A) For a review other than as specified under subparagraph (B) or
9 (C) of subdivision (38) of this section, (i) holds a nonrestricted license
10 in a state of the United States, [and in the same or similar specialty as]
11 (ii) holds a doctoral or medical degree, and (iii) (I) holds an
12 appropriate national board certification including at the subspecialty
13 level where available, or (II) actively practices and typically manages

14 the medical condition [, procedure or treatment] under review [, and]
15 or provides the procedure or treatment under review; or

16 (B) [for] For a review specified under subparagraph (B) or (C) of
17 subdivision (38) of this section concerning (i) a child or adolescent
18 substance use disorder or a child or adolescent mental disorder, holds
19 a national board certification in child and adolescent psychiatry or
20 child and adolescent psychology, and has training or clinical
21 experience in the treatment of child and adolescent substance use
22 disorder or child and adolescent mental disorder, as applicable, or (ii)
23 an adult substance use disorder or an adult mental disorder, holds a
24 national board certification in psychiatry or psychology, and has
25 training or clinical experience in the treatment of adult substance use
26 disorders or adult mental disorders, as applicable."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	January 1, 2015	38a-591a(7)