



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6274**

LCO No. 2817



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:  
REP. HAMPTON, 16th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING BACKGROUND CHECKS FOR HOME HEALTH AGENCY EMPLOYEES.**

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

- 1 That section 19a-491d of the general statutes be amended to require
- 2 each home health agency to conduct a comprehensive background
- 3 check of prospective employees of the agency to provide to clients of
- 4 the agency that includes a review of every kind of criminal activity and
- 5 disciplinary records from previous places of employment.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To promote optimal protection to elderly and vulnerable persons when under the care of home health care agencies and ensure accountability.