



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5203

LCO No. 542



Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by:
REP. DILLON, 92nd Dist.

AN ACT COMPENSATING HOSPITALS FOR FREE CARE.

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

- 1 That title 17b of the general statutes be amended to (1) provide
- 2 payments to hospitals that provide free care to indigent persons who
- 3 do not have health coverage under the Patient Protection and
- 4 Affordable Care Act, P.L. 111-148, and (2) require the Commissioner of
- 5 Social Services to seek federal approval for matching funds for such
- 6 payments.

Statement of Purpose:

To reimburse hospitals for uncompensated care provided to uninsured people.