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Proposed Bill No. 246

LCO No. 3015



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
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**AN ACT CONCERNING A STATE-WIDE WAITING LIST FOR
RESIDENTIAL PLACEMENT FOR PERSONS WITH INTELLECTUAL
AND DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES.**

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

- 1 That title 17a of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Commissioner of Developmental Services to establish a state-wide,
- 3 comprehensive waiting list for residential placement for persons with
- 4 intellectual and developmental disabilities that (1) is updated
- 5 annually, (2) is organized geographically, (3) identifies and quantifies
- 6 priority services for each individual, and (4) includes a twenty-year
- 7 projection of possible additions to the waiting list.

Statement of Purpose:

To better serve persons with intellectual and developmental disabilities by developing a state-wide waiting list for services and projecting needs twenty years into the future.