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

1 In line 80, strike "regional advisory councils, established pursuant"

2 In line 81, strike "to section 17a-30," and insert the following in lieu  
3 thereof: "advisory and planning councils, appointed pursuant to  
4 section 17a-273,"

5 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
6 internal references accordingly:

7 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of  
8 Developmental Services may, in collaboration with the Secretary of the  
9 Office of Policy and Management and the Commissioner of Social  
10 Services, organize and participate in an Intellectual Disability  
11 Partnership. The partnership shall include broad and diverse  
12 representation from families, providers and advocates for persons with

13 intellectual disability. Family representatives shall include family  
14 members of individuals with a broad range of intellectual disability  
15 and needs, including individuals with high-level needs. Notice of the  
16 partnership's meetings, agendas and minutes shall be posted on the  
17 Department of Developmental Services' Internet web site."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section