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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 820

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"AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY OF PRIMARY CARE PHYSICIANS UNDER THE SMALL BUSINESS EXPRESS PROGRAM."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (*Effective October 1, 2017*) The Commissioner of Economic
4 and Community Development, in consultation with the Connecticut
5 State Medical Society, shall review the application process for the
6 Small Business Express program, established under section 32-7g of
7 the general statutes, as amended by this act, to ensure that said
8 program facilitates the participation of physicians and physician's
9 offices in the program and, if necessary, modify such application
10 process to facilitate and reduce unnecessary barriers to physicians' and
11 physician's offices' participation in the program. On or before January
12 1, 2018, the commissioner shall report, in accordance with the

13 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing
14 committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
15 relating to public health and commerce on the findings and results of
16 the review and any proposed modification to the program required
17 under this section."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>October 1, 2017</i>	New section