



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5546

LCO No. 198



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
REP. KUPCHICK, 132nd Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INTERNSHIP PROGRAM FOR ADULTS WITH AUTISM AND ALLOWING A BUSINESS TAX CREDIT FOR BUSINESSES THAT UTILIZE SUCH PROGRAM.

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

- 1 That (1) section 17a-215c of the general statutes be amended to
- 2 require the Commissioner of Developmental Services to establish an
- 3 internship program for adults with autism spectrum disorder, and (2)
- 4 chapter 208 of the general statutes be amended to allow a business tax
- 5 credit of not more than two hundred dollars for every business that
- 6 hires an adult with autism spectrum disorder as an intern at such
- 7 business.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish an internship program for adults with autism spectrum disorder and allow a tax credit for businesses that utilize such program.