



General Assembly

January Session, 2019

**Proposed Bill No. 5634**

LCO No. 1032



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:  
REP. VARGAS, 6th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A WAITING PERIOD FOR A FORMER MEMBER OF THE CONNECTICUT GENERAL ASSEMBLY TO BECOME A JUDGE.**

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

- 1 That section 51-44a of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that the Judicial Selection Commission shall not add the name of a
- 3 former member of the General Assembly to the list of names that the
- 4 Governor may consider when nominating an individual to become a
- 5 judge, unless three years have passed since the date on which the
- 6 former member last served in the General Assembly.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To avoid a revolving door between the legislative and judicial branches of state government.