



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6546**

LCO No. 2963



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:  
REP. PETIT, 22nd Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE  
PREVALENCE OF HEPATITIS C IN CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTIONS  
AND FACILITIES.**

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

- 1 That a task force be established to study the prevalence of inmates
- 2 with the hepatitis C virus in correctional institutions and facilities and
- 3 the feasibility of treating inmates for the hepatitis C virus.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To establish a plan for the treatment of inmates with the hepatitis C virus.