



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 175

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Referred to Committee on AGING

Introduced by:

SEN. MARONEY, 14th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A REGISTRY OF PERSONS WHO HAVE ABUSED, NEGLECTED OR EXPLOITED ELDERLY PERSONS AND ADULTS WITH DISABILITIES.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Commissioner
- 2 of Social Services, acting in consultation with the Commissioners of
- 3 Developmental Services, Public Health, Mental Health and Addiction
- 4 Services and Emergency Services and Public Protection, to develop a
- 5 registry of (1) persons convicted of physically abusing or financially
- 6 exploiting persons who are elderly or adults with disabilities, and (2)
- 7 persons terminated from state agencies or by contractors with state
- 8 agencies following substantiated reports of abuse, neglect or financial
- 9 exploitation of persons who are elderly or adults with disabilities.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect elderly persons and adults with disabilities by keeping a registry of criminal offenders and persons terminated from state-funded positions after substantiated reports of abuse, neglect or financial exploitation of such persons and adults.