



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 706

LCO No. 3358



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

SEN. LESSER, 9th Dist.

REP. COMEY, 102nd Dist.

REP. PHIPPS, 100th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING EPINEPHRINE AUTO INJECTORS.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) permit emergency
- 2 medical services personnel and any other health care provider
- 3 designated by the Department of Public Health to carry and
- 4 administer epinephrine auto injectors to another person, (2) permit any
- 5 person acting in good faith and with reasonable care to administer an
- 6 epinephrine auto injector to another person, (3) permit prescribing
- 7 practitioners to issue standing orders to pharmacists that allow a
- 8 pharmacist to dispense epinephrine auto injectors to any person, and
- 9 (4) provide civil and criminal liability protection to such personnel,
- 10 persons, practitioners and pharmacists in the administration or
- 11 dispensing of an epinephrine auto injector.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase access to epinephrine auto injectors.