

Insurance and Real Estate Committee

SENATE FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.: SB-334

AN ACT REQUIRING THE INSURANCE COMMISSIONER TO STUDY METHODS OF ENHANCING DATA PRIVACY FOR BUSINESS ASSOCIATES AND COVERED ENTITIES UNDER THE HEALTH INSURANCE PORTABILITY

Title: AND ACCOUNTABILITY ACT.

Vote Date: 3/10/2020

Vote Action: Joint Favorable

PH Date: 3/5/2020

File No.:

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

Insurance and Real Estate Committee

REASONS FOR BILL:

This bill require the Insurance Commissioner to study methods of enhancing data privacy for business associates and covered entities under the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act.[Click **here** and Enter Reasons for Bill]

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

None Expressed

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

None Expressed

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

Kathleen Silard, President & CEO Stamford Health SB 334 requires the Insurance Commissioner to study and make recommendations by January 1, 2021, concerning data privacy for business associates and covered entities under HIPAA. Stamford Health recommends that SB 334 be amended to require the Commissioner to consult stakeholders such as hospitals, which can contribute their knowledge and experience

Reported by: Diane Kubeck

Date: March 26, 2020

