



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5551

LCO No. 2139



Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by:
REP. RYAN, 139th Dist.

**AN ACT PROHIBITING BALANCE BILLING AND PROVIDING
ADDITIONAL PROTECTION TO HEALTH CARE CONSUMERS.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to: (1) Prohibit certain out-of-
- 2 network health care providers from engaging in balance billing; and (2)
- 3 provide additional consumer protections to health care consumers.

Statement of Purpose:

To: (1) Prohibit certain out-of-network health care providers from engaging in balance billing; and (2) provide additional consumer protections to health care consumers.