



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5575

LCO No. 2209



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. TERCYAK, 26th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING COMMUNITY STANDARDS OF HEALTH AND HOSPITAL CARE FOR PRIVATE, FOR-PROFIT HOSPITAL OWNERSHIP.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish a community
- 2 benefit agreement as a requirement for the granting of a certificate of
- 3 need license for the purchase of any Connecticut hospital by a for-profit
- 4 company, private equity fund or limited liability corporation.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish community standards of health and hospital care for private for-profit hospital ownership in Connecticut as a means of prioritizing best practice patient care over shareholder dividends and other unnecessary fee for service contracts.