



General Assembly

January Session, 2021

**Proposed Bill No. 6329**

LCO No. 2091



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION  
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:  
REP. RYAN, 139th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING AN OPPORTUNITY TO CURE FOR  
ABSENTEE BALLOTS.**

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

- 1 That chapter 145 of the general statutes be amended to provide that,
- 2 in the case of a returned absentee ballot with an inner envelope that does
- 3 not satisfy the signature requirement for such envelope, the registrars of
- 4 voters shall attempt to contact the elector who returned such absentee
- 5 ballot for the purpose of curing such defect so that such absentee ballot
- 6 may be legally cast.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To require local election officials to notify an elector in the event of a  
signature defect with such elector's returned absentee ballot so that such  
elector can cure such defect and such ballot may be cast.