



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 522**

LCO No. 1408



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:  
SEN. MARONEY, 14th Dist.

***AN ACT ESTABLISHING A CAUSE OF ACTION AGAINST PERSONS  
ILLEGALLY DISTRIBUTING DRUGS.***

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that a cause of action
- 2 shall exist against a person who illegally distributes drugs known to be
- 3 addictive to another person who suffers from such drugs and later seeks
- 4 medical services to seek recovery for such losses and other costs and
- 5 punitive damages.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To provide a legal avenue for those effected by addiction to recoup costs for medical services and other costs.