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Offered by:

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To: House Bill No. 6687

File No.

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(As Amended)

"AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL ASSISTANCE FOR CHILDREN AND ADULTS WITHOUT HEALTH CARE COVERAGE."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2021*) (a) The Commissioner of
4 Social Services shall allocate any funding appropriated for the purpose
5 of expanding medical assistance to persons without legal immigration
6 status to support organizations that support homeless veterans. The
7 commissioner shall evenly allocate five hundred thousand dollars in the
8 fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, four million two hundred fifty
9 thousand dollars in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2023, and eleven
10 million nine hundred thousand dollars in the fiscal year ending June 30,
11 2024, to (1) Homes for the Brave and Female Soldiers: Forgotten Heroes

12 in Bridgeport, (2) South Park Inn, Veteran's Services in Hartford, (3)
 13 Columbus House, Harkness House for Veterans in New Haven, (4)
 14 Easterseals Homeless Veteran Reintegration Program in Norwich and
 15 Rocky Hill, (5) the New London Homeless Hospitality Center,
 16 Transitional Housing for Veterans in New London, and (6) Fish of
 17 Northwestern Connecticut, Life for Vets Program in Torrington.

18 (b) The commissioner shall require the organizations receiving such
 19 funding to annually report on expenditures and may limit the amount
 20 organizations may spend on administrative costs. The commissioner
 21 shall, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4 of the general
 22 statutes, submit reports not later than September 1, 2022, September 1,
 23 2023, and September 1, 2024, on services provided with the funding to
 24 the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having
 25 cognizance of matters relating to veterans."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2021</i>	New section