



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5029

LCO No. 69



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Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
REP. ROSARIO, 128th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF FUNERAL AND BURIAL EXPENSES ON BEHALF OF CHILDREN WHO ARE VICTIMS OF GUN VIOLENCE.

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

- 1 That section 54-208 of the general statutes be amended to provide that
- 2 the Office of Victim Services may provide funeral and burial assistance
- 3 benefits in an amount not to exceed ten thousand dollars to a funeral
- 4 establishment that is providing funeral and burial services to a family
- 5 bereaving the death of a child, age seventeen or under, who was the
- 6 victim of gun violence.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide financial assistance to families bereaving the death of a child, age seventeen or under, who was the victim of gun violence.