



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5768**

LCO No. 2444



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Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by:

REP. FARRAR K., 20th Dist.

REP. ELLIOTT, 88th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING A CONNECTICUT BASIC INCOME PILOT PROGRAM.**

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

- 1 That title 17b of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Commissioner of Social Services to (1) establish and implement a pilot
- 3 basic income program in which participants receive unconditional cash
- 4 payments to meet basic needs, and (2) file a report on the effects of the
- 5 program with the joint standing committees of the General Assembly
- 6 having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets
- 7 of state agencies and human services not later than six months after the
- 8 program terminates.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To establish a pilot basic income program.