



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5919

LCO No. 2939



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF TECHNICAL STANDARDS FOR MEDICAL DIAGNOSTIC EQUIPMENT THAT PROMOTE ACCESSIBILITY IN HEALTH CARE FACILITIES.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Department of
- 2 Public Health to (1) adopt regulations to establish technical standards
- 3 for medical diagnostic equipment purchased by any health care facility,
- 4 on or after January 1, 2024, that meet or exceed the technical standards
- 5 for accessibility developed by the federal Architectural and
- 6 Transportation Barriers Compliance Board, and (2) notify physicians of
- 7 such standards.

Statement of Purpose:

To require medical diagnostic equipment purchased by certain health care facilities to meet technical standards for accessibility by persons with disabilities.