



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 474

LCO No. 2556



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
SEN. MARONEY, 14th Dist.
(By Request)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVOLVEMENT OF CHILD
PSYCHOLOGISTS IN FAMILY RELATIONS MATTERS.**

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

- 1 That chapter 815j of the general statutes be amended to mandate that
- 2 there is a child psychologist that works specifically with the children in
- 3 every family relations matter to find out what the children's needs are
- 4 and make ongoing recommendations to the court on matters such as the
- 5 visitation schedule.

Statement of Purpose:

To mandate that a child psychologist be appointed in every family relations matter involving children in order to better meet the ongoing needs of the children during the duration of the family relations matter.