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Proposed Bill No. 5370

LCO No. 1874



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. CANDELORA V., 86th Dist.
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AN ACT PROHIBITING CERTAIN TREATMENT PRACTICES AND PROMOTING PSYCHOTHERAPY FOR MINORS EXPERIENCING GENDER DYSPHORIA OR INCONGRUENCE.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) prohibit health care
- 2 providers from prescribing puberty-blocking drugs or artificial cross-
- 3 sex hormones to minors for non-FDA approved uses, including, but not
- 4 limited to, treatment for gender dysphoria or incongruence, (2) prohibit
- 5 health care providers from practicing surgery on minors for the purpose
- 6 of sex reassignment or treatment of gender dysphoria or incongruence,
- 7 and (3) promote psychotherapy for minors who are dealing with stress
- 8 from gender dysphoria or incongruence.

Statement of Purpose:

To ensure that the best interests of minors are protected when experiencing gender dysphoria or incongruence.