



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5883

LCO No. 2519



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Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:
REP. WINKLER, 56th Dist.

**AN ACT REQUIRING WORKERS' COMPENSATION INSURANCE
COVERAGE FOR DETOXIFICATION FOR CERTAIN INJURED
EMPLOYEES.**

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

- 1 That chapter 568 of the general statutes be amended to require that
- 2 each workers' compensation insurance policy in this state provide
- 3 coverage for detoxification for each injured employee who, as a result
- 4 of a covered injury sustained by such employee, consumes opioid
- 5 drugs for a continuous period of not less than one year.

Statement of Purpose:

To require that each workers' compensation insurance policy in this state provide coverage for detoxification for each injured employee who, as a result of a covered injury sustained by such employee, consumes opioid drugs for a continuous period of not less than one year.