

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6163



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: REP. KHAN, 5th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CASE-TRACKING SYSTEM FOR DIVORCE PROCEEDINGS INVOLVING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

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

- 1 That chapter 815 of the general statutes be amended to require the 2 Chief Court Administrator to establish a case-tracking system in a 3 divorce proceeding that includes a documented history of domestic 4 violence that: (1) Identifies both perpetrators and victims of domestic 5 violence in the divorce proceeding, (2) provides contextual information 6 to judges and court staff involved in such proceeding, and (3) allows an 7 advocate for domestic violence victims to be available in all parts of such
- 8 proceeding to assist the court and the victim of domestic violence.

Statement of Purpose:

To strengthen court supports for a victim of domestic violence who is involved in a divorce proceeding.