



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6170

LCO No. 3109



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

REP. OSBORNE, 16th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING A PROBATE COURT VENUE FOR THE FILING
OF A PETITION RELATING TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF
ELECTROCONVULSIVE THERAPY TO A PATIENT.**

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

- 1 That section 17a-543 of the general statutes be amended to provide
- 2 that a petition for electroconvulsive therapy treatments may be filed in
- 3 either the probate district in which the patient resides or the district in
- 4 which the patient is hospitalized.

Statement of Purpose:

To remove a barrier to electroconvulsive treatment for a patient who is
not hospitalized in a location where such treatment is medically
advised.