

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6558



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: REP. LINEHAN, 103rd Dist.

## AN ACT REQUIRING THE SHARING OF ADOPTION RECORDS AMONG STATE AGENCIES FOR THE PURPOSE OF ALLOWING AN ADOPTED PERSON TO OBTAIN A BIRTH CERTIFICATE OR OTHER VITAL RECORD.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish a process by which
- 2 state agencies may share adoption records while protecting the privacy
- 3 of a closed adoption for the purpose of an adopted person obtaining a
- 4 birth certificate or any other vital record required for legal identification
- 5 purposes.

## Statement of Purpose:

To allow for an adopted person who was the subject of a closed adoption to obtain such person's birth certificate or any other vital record required for legal identification purposes.