



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6609

LCO No. 2650



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
REP. CANINO, 65th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING 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 the prescribing
- 2 of puberty blocking drugs for minors under the age of eighteen for uses
- 3 not approved by the federal Food and Drug Administration, including,
- 4 but not limited to, treatment for gender dysphoria or incongruence, (2)
- 5 prohibit the prescribing of artificial cross-sex hormones for minors
- 6 under the age of eighteen for uses not approved by the federal Food and
- 7 Drug Administration, including, but not limited to, treatment for gender
- 8 dysphoria or incongruence, (3) prohibit the practice of surgical
- 9 intervention for minors under the age of eighteen for the purpose of sex
- 10 reassignment or treatment of gender dysphoria or incongruence, and (4)
- 11 promote psychotherapy for minors who are dealing with stress from
- 12 gender dysphoria or incongruence.

Statement of Purpose:

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