

## General Assembly

## Proposed Bill No. 729

January Session, 2025



Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by: SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.

## AN ACT CONCERNING CHILD CARE REGULATIONS, SAFETY STANDARDS AND OVERSIGHT.

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

- 1 That chapter 184c of the general statutes be amended to (1) restore
- 2 prior child care center ratios and group sizes, (2) reverse certain
- 3 restrictions on family child care homes relating to infant and toddler
- 4 care, (3) require the Office of Early Childhood to collaborate with the
- 5 Department of Public Health prior to any regulatory changes, (4) require
- 6 the Office of Early Childhood to submit annual reports regarding site
- 7 visits and investigations of complaints, deaths and serious injuries, and
- 8 (5) prioritize funding for child care providers and families.

## Statement of Purpose:

To increase protections, regulatory oversight and funding of early childhood care and education providers.

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