

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 851



Referred to Committee on AGING

Introduced by: SEN. MAHER, 26th Dist. REP. HUGHES, 135th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING ELEVATOR REPAIRS IN MULTISTORY HOUSING FOR SENIOR CITIZENS.

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

That the general statutes be amended to (1) authorize trained personnel from privately contracted repair companies to perform elevator inspections in multistory buildings housing senior citizens, and (2) provide an inspection check list for review by a state building inspector to ensure such senior citizens have timely access to different floors to attend meals or socialize and a means to exit the building in the event of an emergency.

Statement of Purpose:

To improve the quality of life and safety of senior citizens living in housing for the elderly.