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Amendment

LCO No. 7157



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To: House Bill No. **6186**

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"AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL RECORDS PERTAINING TO PRENATAL CARE AND MANDATED REPORTS."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the 2 following in lieu thereof:

"Section 1. Section 17a-101d of the general statutes is repealed and the
following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2025*):

5 (a) For purposes of this section, "child" includes any victim described
6 in subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 17a-101a.

7 (b) All reports required pursuant to sections 17a-101a to 17a-101c, 8 inclusive, and section 17a-103, shall contain, if known: (1) The names 9 and addresses of the child and his or her parents or other person 10 responsible for his or her care; (2) the age of the child; (3) the gender of

11 the child; (4) the nature and extent of the child's injury or injuries, 12 maltreatment or neglect; (5) the approximate date and time the injury or 13 injuries, maltreatment or neglect occurred; (6) information concerning 14 any previous injury or injuries to, or maltreatment or neglect of, the 15 child or his or her siblings; (7) the circumstances in which the injury or 16 injuries, maltreatment or neglect came to be known to the reporter; (8) 17 the name of the person or persons suspected to be responsible for 18 causing such injury or injuries, maltreatment or neglect; (9) the reasons 19 such person or persons are suspected of causing such injury or injuries, 20 maltreatment or neglect; (10) any information concerning any prior 21 cases in which such person or persons have been suspected of causing 22 an injury, maltreatment or neglect of a child; and (11) whatever action, 23 if any, was taken to treat, provide shelter or otherwise assist the child. 24 [For purposes of this section, "child" includes any victim described in 25 subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 17a-101a.]

26 (c) No reporter shall use a medical record pertaining to prenatal care 27 received by the mother of a child who is the subject of a report described 28 in subsection (b) of this section as the sole or primary basis for making 29 such report. The Commissioner of Children and Families, or the 30 commissioner's designee, shall not use any such medical record as the 31 sole or primary reason for accepting any such report. Nothing in this 32 subsection shall preclude any action or proceeding by the commissioner 33 based on harm or risk of harm to a child or the use of information 34 received by the commissioner in such action or proceeding."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1 October 1, 2025 17a-101d	
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