



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5449

LCO No. 819



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:
REP. BOLINSKY, 106th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DONATION OF BLOOD BY MINORS.

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

- 1 That section 19a-285a of the general statutes be amended to allow
- 2 any person who is sixteen years of age to have the legal capacity, with
- 3 written authorization of his or her parent or guardian, to donate blood
- 4 or any component thereof and to consent to the withdrawal of blood
- 5 from his or her body in conjunction with any voluntary blood donation
- 6 program.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow any person who is sixteen years of age to donate blood with the consent of a parent or guardian.