



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5693

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Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:

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AN ACT CONCERNING MURDER COMMITTED IN THE COURSE OF A DOMESTIC VIOLENCE INCIDENT AND THE ISSUANCE OF CRIMINAL PROTECTIVE ORDERS AGAINST CONVICTED PERPETRATORS OF DOMESTIC VIOLENCE.

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

- 1 That (1) the general statutes be amended to require a court to issue a
- 2 criminal protective order in favor of a domestic violence victim against
- 3 the perpetrator as part of the sentence for a domestic violence
- 4 conviction, and (2) section 53a-54b of the general statutes be amended
- 5 to add murder committed in the course of commission of a family
- 6 violence crime, as defined in section 46b-38a of the general statutes.

Statement of Purpose:

To classify a murder committed in the course of a domestic violence incident as a murder with special circumstances and to require issuance of a criminal protective order as part of the sentence for a domestic violence conviction.