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To: Subst. House Bill No. 6423

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"AN ACT CONCERNING IMMUNIZATIONS."

After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and 1 2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (Effective from passage) Notwithstanding any provision of section 10-204a of the general statutes, as amended by this 4 5 act, any child who presents to a nonpublic school in the state a statement from the parents or guardian of such child that such immunization 7 would be contrary to the religious beliefs of such child or the parents or 8 guardian of such child, which statement shall be acknowledged, in 9 accordance with the provisions of sections 1-32, 1-34 and 1-35 of the 10 general statutes, by (1) a judge of a court of record or a family support magistrate, (2) a clerk or deputy clerk of a court having a seal, (3) a town 11 12 clerk, (4) a notary public, (5) a justice of the peace, (6) an attorney 13 admitted to the bar of this state, or (7) notwithstanding any provision of 14 chapter 6 of the general statutes, a school nurse, shall be exempt from 15 the immunization requirements set forth in said section.

16 Sec. 502. (NEW) (Effective from passage) Notwithstanding any

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provision of section 10a-155 or 10a-155b of the general statutes, as amended by this act, any person who presents to an independent institution of higher education in the state a statement that such immunization would be contrary to the religious beliefs of such person, which statement shall be acknowledged, in accordance with the provisions of sections 1-32, 1-34 and 1-35 of the general statutes, by (1) a judge of a court of record or a family support magistrate, (2) a clerk or deputy clerk of a court having a seal, (3) a town clerk, (4) a notary public, (5) a justice of the peace, (6) an attorney admitted to the bar of this state, or (7) notwithstanding any provision of chapter 6 of the general statutes, a school nurse, shall be exempt from the immunization requirements set forth in said sections.

Sec. 503. (NEW) (Effective from passage) Notwithstanding any provision of section 19a-79 or 19a-87b of the general statutes, as amended by this act, any child who presents to a child care center, group child care home or family child care home that is not operated by the state that such immunization would be contrary to the religious beliefs of such child or the parents or guardian of such child, which statement shall be acknowledged, in accordance with the provisions of sections 1-32, 1-34 and 1-35 of the general statutes, by (1) a judge of a court of record or a family support magistrate, (2) a clerk or deputy clerk of a court having a seal, (3) a town clerk, (4) a notary public, (5) a justice of the peace, (6) an attorney admitted to the bar of this state, or (7) notwithstanding any provision of chapter 6 of the general statutes, a school nurse, shall be exempt from the immunization requirements set forth in regulations adopted by the Commissioner of Early Childhood pursuant to said sections."

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