

General Assembly

February Session, 2022

## Raised Bill No. 5239

LCO No. **1529** 

Referred to Committee on COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN

Introduced by: (KID)

## AN ACT CONCERNING ACCOMMODATIONS FOR ENGLISH LANGUAGE LEARNERS.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective July 1, 2022) For the school year 2 commencing July 1, 2022, and each school year thereafter, each local and 3 regional board of education shall offer reasonable accommodations on 4 testing, assessments and other school work to any student who is an 5 English language learner. Such accommodations may include, but need 6 not be limited to, additional time to complete school work, tests or 7 assessments in a student's native language, and a program of bilingual 8 education or an English as a second language program, as those terms 9 are defined in section 10-17e of the general statutes.

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

Section 1	July 1, 2022	New section
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