



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5274

LCO No. 1799



Referred to Committee on EDUCATION

Introduced by:

REP. CANDELORA V., 86th Dist.
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REP. PERILLO J., 113th Dist.

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AN ACT ESTABLISHING A SCOPE OF REVIEW PROCESS FOR THE ADOPTION OF NEW CURRICULUM GUIDES AND MATERIALS AND PROVIDING FOR LEGISLATIVE APPOINTMENTS TO THE STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION.

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

1 That chapter 163 of the general statutes be amended to (1) create a
2 scope of review process for the adoption of curriculum guides and
3 materials that includes (A) public comment on any newly developed
4 curriculum guides and materials under consideration by the State Board
5 of Education, and (B) submission of such curriculum guides and
6 materials to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly
7 having cognizance of matters relating to education for approval
8 following a public hearing on such curriculum guides and materials by
9 such committee prior to the adoption and implementation of such
10 curriculum guides and materials by the state board; and (2) provide an
11 appointment to the State Board of Education for each of the six

- 12 legislative leaders of the House of Representatives and the Senate.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide transparency and solicit community input on newly developed curriculum guides and materials by the State Board of Education.