



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5723

LCO No. 128



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Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by:
REP. CUMMINGS, 74th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF MEDICARE
REIMBURSEMENTS BY INSURANCE COMPANIES.**

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

- 1 That title 38a of the general statutes be amended to require that each
- 2 insurance company tender payment directly to counsel for a Medicare
- 3 beneficiary if (1) the beneficiary sustained a bodily injury in this state,
- 4 (2) such beneficiary received health care services resulting from such
- 5 injury, (3) Medicare conditionally tendered payment to such
- 6 beneficiary for the cost of such services, and (4) such company is
- 7 deemed liable for the cost of such services as part of a legal
- 8 proceeding.

Statement of Purpose:

To require that insurance companies tender payment directly to counsel for Medicare beneficiaries in certain circumstances.