



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6205

LCO No. 2051



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
REP. BLUMENTHAL, 147th Dist.
(By Request)

AN ACT REVISING CERTAIN ABSENTEE VOTING STATUTES.

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

- 1 That sections 9-135 and 9-137 of the general statutes be amended to
- 2 (1) no longer require that an elector be absent from his or her town of
- 3 voting residence during all the hours of voting at a primary, election or
- 4 referendum, and (2) remove language in said provisions that tether
- 5 sickness and physical disability to a particular individual.

Statement of Purpose:

To revise certain absentee voting statutes to more closely align their
language with state constitutional provisions.