

General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 287

January Session, 2019

LCO No. **1438** 

Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by: SEN. KELLY, 21st Dist.

## AN ACT ALLOWING FOR THE DEDUCTION OF CONSERVATOR EXPENSES FROM A MEDICAID RECIPIENT'S APPLIED INCOME.

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

- 1 That title 17b of the general statutes be amended to require the
- 2 Commissioner of Social Services to amend the Medicaid state plan to
- 3 permit a qualified deduction of certain conservator expenses from the
- 4 income portion of a Medicaid recipient that is applied to the cost of
- 5 such recipient's care.

## Statement of Purpose:

To eliminate the applied income penalty under the Medicaid program for costs relating to conservators.

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