

General Assembly

January Session, 2019

Proposed Bill No. 374



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: SEN. ABRAMS, 13th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING END-OF-LIFE CARE.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to allow a physician to 2 dispense or prescribe medication at the request of a mentally 3 competent patient that has a terminal illness that such patient may self-
- 4 administer to bring about such patient's death.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow a mentally competent patient with a terminal illness to selfadminister medication to bring about his or her death.