

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 378



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: SEN. SAMPSON, 16th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF POLITICAL ACTIVITY BY NONPROFIT ORGANIZATIONS THAT RECEIVE STATE FUNDING OR PASS-THROUGH GRANTS.

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

- 1 That (1) a study be conducted of ways to prohibit nonprofit 2 organizations that receive state funding or pass-through grants from 3 engaging in political activity, and (2) such study (A) include penalties
- 4 for violations, such as reduction or elimination of such funding or grants
- 5 and criminal liability, and (B) determine a process for reviewing claims
- 6 of such political activity.

Statement of Purpose:

To address political activity by nonprofit organizations that receive state funding or pass-through grants.