



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 273

LCO No. 3475



Referred to Committee on CHILDREN

Introduced by:
(KID)

AN ACT CONCERNING FOSTER CHILDREN AND INTERNSHIP OPPORTUNITIES.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2013*) (a) For purposes of this
2 section, "preference" means priority over similarly qualified applicants.

3 (b) Each state agency shall give preference in hiring for or placement
4 in an internship at such state agency to any individual up to twenty-
5 four years of age who is or was, at the age of majority, in the custody
6 of the Commissioner of Children and Families and placed in foster
7 care.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2013	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To give priority to current or former foster children seeking internship positions at state agencies.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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