



# Senate

General Assembly

**File No. 618**

January Session, 2021

Senate Bill No. 1092

*Senate, April 26, 2021*

The Committee on Judiciary reported through SEN. WINFIELD of the 10th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the bill ought to pass.

## ***AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE STATE'S CIVIL LAWS.***

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

1       Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) There is established a working group  
2       to study the state's civil laws as set forth in title 52 of the general statutes.  
3       The working group shall receive, consider and prepare comments and  
4       recommendations on proposed changes to such civil laws. The working  
5       group shall consist of the following members who have familiarity with  
6       the provisions set forth in title 52 of the general statutes: (1) One  
7       appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives; (2) one  
8       appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate; (3) one appointed  
9       by the majority leader of the House of Representatives; (4) one  
10       appointed by the majority leader of the Senate; (5) one appointed by the  
11       minority leader of the House of Representatives; and (6) one appointed  
12       by the minority leader of the Senate. Not later than February 1, 2022, the  
13       working group shall report on its findings and recommendations to the  
14       joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
15       matters relating to the judiciary, in accordance with the provisions of

16 section 11-4a of the general statutes. The working group shall terminate  
17 on the date that it submits such report or February 1, 2022, whichever is  
18 later.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

**JUD**      *Joint Favorable*

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### **OFA Fiscal Note**

**State Impact:** None

**Municipal Impact:** None

### **Explanation**

The bill establishes a six-member working group to study the state's civil laws as set forth in title 52 of the general statutes. The working group shall receive, consider and prepare comments and recommendations on proposed changes to such civil laws.

The working group shall submit a report on its findings and recommendations to the judiciary committee by February 1, 2022. The working group shall terminate on the date that it submits such report or February 1, 2022, whichever is later.

This bill has no fiscal impact as PA 17-236 prohibits transportation allowances for working group members.

### **The Out Years**

**State Impact:** None

**Municipal Impact:** None

**OLR Bill Analysis**

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**SUMMARY**

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

Judiciary Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 29    Nay 6    (04/09/2021)