



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5178

LCO No. 1288



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
(PS)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPANSION OF THE CRISIS INITIATIVE PILOT PROGRAM THROUGHOUT THE STATE.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Not later than January 1,
2 2023, the Division of State Police within the Department of Emergency
3 Services and Public Protection shall, in conjunction with the Department
4 of Mental Health and Addiction Services, expand the pilot program
5 known as the CRISIS Initiative: Connection to Recovery through
6 Intervention, Support and Initiating Services throughout the state. At a
7 minimum, such expanded program shall include the components of the
8 pilot program that require training for state police officers, coordination
9 between state police officers and mental health professionals and
10 referrals to facilities for mental health services.

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

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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PS *Joint Favorable*