



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5937

LCO No. 2142



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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
REP. ROCHELLE, 104th Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO ADDRESS VOLUNTEER
FIREFIGHTER SHORTAGES.**

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

- 1 That a task force be established to compile data on volunteer
- 2 firefighter shortages in the state, examine the effect of such shortages on
- 3 public safety, and make recommendations to the General Assembly
- 4 regarding strategies to increase the number of and improve the
- 5 retention of volunteer firefighters.

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a state-wide task force to address volunteer firefighter
shortages.