



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6410**

LCO No. 2753



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Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION  
AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:

REP. LEEPER, 132nd Dist.

REP. KEITT, 134th Dist.

REP. KAVROS DEGRAW, 17th Dist.

REP. PARIS, 145th Dist.

REP. BERGER-GIRVALO, 111th Dist.

REP. WELANDER, 114th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING GUIDELINES FOR THE REPORTING AND  
ENFORCEMENT OF ONLINE HARASSMENT OF STATE AND  
MUNICIPAL ELECTED OFFICIALS.**

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

- 1 That a working group be established to create guidelines and best
- 2 practices for the reporting and enforcement of abusive, offensive or
- 3 threatening harassment of state and municipal elected officials on social
- 4 media platforms.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To create guidelines that find a balance between making election  
officials accessible to the people whom they serve and protecting them  
from abusive, offensive or threatening online harassment.