



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 139**

LCO No. 881



Referred to Committee on INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE

Introduced by:  
SEN. GORDON, 35th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING UTILIZATION OF THE PRIOR  
AUTHORIZATION PROCESS FOR HEALTH INSURANCE.**

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

- 1 That title 38a of the general statutes be amended to require that the
- 2 Insurance Department (1) conduct a study evaluating utilization of the
- 3 prior authorization process by health insurers and the impacts of such
- 4 process on health care providers and insureds, and (2) make
- 5 recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General
- 6 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to insurance.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To require that the Insurance Department (1) conduct a study evaluating utilization of the prior authorization process by health insurers and the impacts of such process on health care providers and insureds, and (2) make recommendations to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to insurance.