



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 748**

LCO No. 1234



Referred to Committee on HUMAN SERVICES

Introduced by:

SEN. SAMPSON, 16th Dist.

REP. DAUPHINAIS, 44th Dist.

REP. DUBITSKY, 47th Dist.

REP. MASTROFRANCESCO, 80th Dist.

***AN ACT REQUIRING PUBLIC ASSISTANCE BENEFICIARIES TO WORK OR VOLUNTEER.***

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

- 1 That title 17b of the general statutes be amended to require able-
- 2 bodied, adult recipients of public assistance, including, but not limited
- 3 to, supplemental nutrition assistance, state-administered general
- 4 assistance and Medicaid, to work or volunteer for a minimum of twenty
- 5 hours weekly unless otherwise exempt under federal law.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To promote work among able-bodied recipients of public assistance.