



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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LCO No. 9888



Offered by:  
REP. FISHBEIN, 90<sup>th</sup> Dist.

To: Subst. House Bill No. 6888

File No. 758

Cal. No. 407

(As Amended)

**"AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILE JUSTICE."**

1 Strike subsection (b) of section 1 in its entirety and insert the  
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "(b) In lieu of arresting a child for a first or second violation of section  
4 53a-182 a law enforcement agency shall refer such child to a juvenile  
5 review board or community-based service provider in accordance with  
6 such community-based diversion system. The juvenile review board or  
7 community-based service provider shall require the child to receive  
8 prevention, intervention and treatment services provided by a youth  
9 service bureau or community-based service provider. If such child does  
10 not successfully fulfill the requirements imposed by the youth service  
11 bureau or community-based service provider, the juvenile review board  
12 or community-based service provider that initially referred the child for  
13 services may refer the child to the referring law enforcement agency,  
14 which may refer the child for delinquency proceedings."