



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5486

LCO No. 2924



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
(JUD)

AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE CIVIL LAWS IN THIS STATE.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) There is established a working group
2 to study the civil laws of this state. Such study shall include, but not be
3 limited to, a review of provisions set forth in various titles of the general
4 statutes, including, but not limited to, titles 51 and 52 of the general
5 statutes for the purpose of recommending needed changes to such
6 provisions of the general statutes. The working group shall consist of
7 the following members, who have familiarity with and expertise in the
8 interpretation of the state's civil laws: (1) One appointed by the speaker
9 of the House of Representatives; (2) one appointed by the president pro
10 tempore of the Senate; (3) one appointed by the majority leader of the
11 House of Representatives; (4) one appointed by the majority leader of
12 the Senate; (5) one appointed by the minority leader of the House of
13 Representatives; and (6) one appointed by the minority leader of the
14 Senate. Not later than January 1, 2025, the working group shall submit
15 a report on its findings and recommendations to the joint standing
16 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters

17 relating to the judiciary, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-
18 4a of the general statutes. The working group shall terminate on the date
19 that it submits such report or January 1, 2025, whichever is later.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To establish a working group to study the need for possible revisions to various civil laws in this state.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]