

Bill History
Session Year 2025
Proposed H.B. No. 5445

[Proposed Bill](#) [\[doc\]](#)

Introducer(s):

REP. ANNE M. HUGHES, 135th DIST.
REP. NICK GAUTHIER, 38th DIST.
REP. LAURIE SWEET, 91st DIST.
REP. NICHOLAS MENAPACE, 37th DIST.
REP. MICHAEL "MJ" SHANNON, 117th DIST.

Title: AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF STRIP SEARCHES AND USE OF CHEMICAL RESTRAINTS BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION.

Statement of Purpose: To govern the use of strip searches and use of chemical restraints by the Department of Correction and improve transparency concerning the use of such methods.

Bill History:

01-17-2025 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Judiciary Committee

Co-sponsor(s):

Rep. Steven Winter, 94th Dist. Sen. Herron Gaston, 23rd Dist.
Rep. Joshua M. Hall, 7th Dist. Rep. Maryam Khan, 5th Dist.