

SB 756 AN ACT CONCERNING A DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT REGISTRY CHECK FOR APPLICANTS OF EMPLOYMENT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES OR THE DEPARTMENT'S PROVIDERS, to provide the Commissioner of

Developmental Services with the authority to require an applicant seeking an employment position in the department or seeking employment with a provider licensed or funded by the department, to submit to a check of the Department of Children and Families child abuse and neglect registry.

Public Health Committee Joint Favorable (JF) Change of Reference to the Human Services Committee. We are working on getting this one JFd from Human Services.

SB 789 AN ACT CONCERNING THE SHARING OF INFORMATION BETWEEN THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES AND THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, to allow the Department of Children and Families to share limited information with the Department of Developmental Services that will be used to facilitate enrollment and the planning of services for children in the Department of Developmental Services voluntary services program.

Human Services Committee JF to the Senate Floor. (Awaiting file copy)

SB 872 AN ACT PROVIDING STATE-FUNDED MEDICAL COVERAGE TO CHILDREN IN THE CARE OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, to expand eligibility for state-funded medical assistance to include children under the care and supervision of the Department of Developmental Services who are ineligible for Medicaid.

Human Services Committee JF to the Senate Floor. (Awaiting file copy)

HB 6309 AN ACT CONCERNING ADMINISTRATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES, to make various minor changes concerning the internal administration of the Department of Developmental Services and entities under the auspices of the department.

Public Health Committee JF Change of Reference to the Government Administration and Elections Committee. (Next GAE Committee meeting scheduled for Friday, March 6, 2009)

The following concepts for bills have been submitted by DDS and are awaiting further action:

1. **An Act Concerning Sexual Assault Against Persons Placed Or Treated Under The Direction Of The Commissioner Of Developmental Services.** Judiciary Committee voted to raise this concept as a bill, we reworked the language this week and are expecting it to come out with a bill number next week.
2. **An Act Concerning Volunteer Programs Within State Agencies.** Government Administration and Elections Committee voted to raise this concept as a bill. The raised bill has not come out and has not been scheduled for a Public Hearing by the GAE Committee yet.