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R. B. No. 6659, An Act Concerning Civil Immigration Detainers

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The Office of Chief Public Defender supports *Raised Bill No. 6659, An Act Concerning Civil Immigration Detainers*. Passage of this bill would be a step forward in creating a process that would provide consistency in how civil immigration detainees are handled in this state. The Office of Chief Public Defender adopts and endorses the testimony as submitted by the Connecticut Criminal Defense Lawyers Association and requests that this bill be voted upon favorably by this Committee.