



General Assembly

Amendment

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Offered by:
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To: Subst. House Bill No. 7259

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(As Amended)

**"AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO VARIOUS STATUTES
CONCERNING CRIMINAL JUSTICE."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2025*) (a) As used in this section:

4 (1) "Employer" has the same meaning as provided in section 31-40j of
5 the general statutes;

6 (2) "Employee" has the same meaning as provided in subdivision (3)
7 of section 31-51kk of the general statutes; and

8 (3) Federal immigration authority has the same meaning as provided
9 in subdivision (4) of subsection (a) of section 54-192h of the general
10 statutes.

11 (b) No employer shall engage, retain or otherwise employ an

12 employee if such employer has reason to believe that such employee
13 illegally resides in the United States or has otherwise committed a
14 violation of federal immigration law.

15 (c) If an employer has reason to believe that an employee of such
16 employer illegally resides in the United States or has otherwise
17 committed a violation of federal immigration law, then such employer
18 shall immediately notify a federal immigration authority of such
19 employer's reasons to believe that such employee illegally resides in the
20 United States or has otherwise committed a violation of federal
21 immigration law.

22 (d) Any employer who violates the provisions of subsection (a) or (b)
23 of this section shall be liable to Labor Department for a civil penalty of
24 five thousand dollars for each violation of said subsections."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>July 1, 2025</i>	New section