

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 1372

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LCO No. 5132



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by: (PH)

## AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL DEVICE REPRESENTATIVES.

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

Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2025*) A medical device representative shall not provide technical or educational assistance

3 regarding any medical device during the preparation, conduct or

4 completion of a surgical procedure at a hospital, as defined in section

5 19a-490 of the general statutes, unless such medical device

6 representative has undergone credentialing and been issued credentials

7 by such hospital. For the purposes of this section, "credentialing" means

8 a hospital's process of assessing and validating the qualifications of a

9 person applying to be approved to provide treatment, care or services

10 in or for a hospital, and "medical device representative" means a

11 nonhospital employee authorized by a medical device company to

12 provide technical and educational assistance regarding medical devices

during the preparation, conduct or completion of surgical procedures.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

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Section 1	October 1, 2025	New section

## Statement of Purpose:

To require medical device representatives to undergo credentialing by hospitals.

[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.]

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