



General Assembly

Amendment

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LCO No. 3830



Offered by:
SEN. LESSER, 9th Dist.

To: Senate Bill No. 430

File No. 363

Cal. No. 250

"AN ACT CODIFYING THE AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT."

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1 (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2026*) (a) As used in this section, (1)
4 "integrated setting" means a setting that enables persons with
5 disabilities to interact with nondisabled persons to the fullest extent
6 possible in accordance with the provisions of subsection (d) of 28 CFR
7 35.130, and (2) "public entity" means a state agency as defined in section
8 1-79 of the general statutes or a local government or department, agency,
9 special purpose district or other instrumentality of a local government
10 located within the state.

11 (b) A public entity shall administer services, programs and activities
12 in the most integrated setting appropriate to the needs of persons with
13 disabilities who meet any applicable eligibility requirements for receipt
14 of such services, programs or activities. Any person aggrieved by an
15 alleged violation of this section may file a discriminatory practice
16 complaint with the Commission on Human Rights and Opportunities

17 in accordance with the provisions of section 46a-82 of the general
18 statutes.

19 Sec. 2. Subdivision (8) of section 46a-51 of the 2026 supplement to the
20 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
21 thereof (*Effective July 1, 2026*):

22 (8) "Discriminatory practice" means a violation of section 4a-60, 4a-
23 60g, 19a-498c, 31-40y, subsection (b), (d), (e) or (f) of section 31-51i,
24 subparagraph (C) of subdivision (15) of section 46a-54, subdivisions (16)
25 and (17) of section 46a-54, section 46a-58, 46a-59, 46a-59a, 46a-60, 46a-
26 64, 46a-64c, 46a-66 or 46a-68, sections 46a-68c to 46a-68f, inclusive,
27 sections 46a-70 to 46a-78, inclusive, subsection (a) of section 46a-80,
28 sections 46a-81b to 46a-81o, inclusive, sections 46a-80b to 46a-80e,
29 inclusive, [or] sections 46a-80k to 46a-80m, inclusive, [or] section 49-41c
30 or section 1 of this act;"

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2026</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2026</i>	46a-51(8)