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### ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE
BILL SUMMARIES
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## ONE HUNDRED AND ELEVENTH LEGISLATURE SECOND REGULAR SESSION

#### JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE ON

STATE GOVERNMENT

BILL SUMMARY



MAY, 1984

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AN ACT TO CHANGE THE TITLES
OF 3 POLICY INFLUENCING
POSITIONS AND TO ESTABLISH
NEW POLICY-INFLUENCING POSITIONS WITHIN THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS AND THE
DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH
AND MENTAL RETARDATION

SUMMARY: LD 2415, the New Draft of LD 2115, established 7 new policy influencing positions including:

- 2. Dept. of Human Services
  - A. Assistant Deputy Commissioners
- 2. Department of Corrections
  - A. Associate Commissioner; and
  - B. Director, Correctional Programs
- 3. Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation
  - A. Childrens Services Executive Director
  - B. Director, Mental Retardation Facility
  - C. Director, Elizabeth Levinson Center; and
  - D. Assistant to the Commissioner For Public Information.

In addition, the New Draft changed the position title of "Executive Director" of the Public Utilities Commission to "Administrative Director." The PUC Division Chiefs which were placed in pay range 88 by LD 2115 were left in that same pay range in LD 2415.

LD 2415 rewrote the entire "Policy-Influencing" chapter in title 5 to enable position changes to be made without repeating the entire Chapter.

2220 RESOLVE, AUTHORIZING THE COMMISSIONER OF MENTAL HEALTH
AND MENTAL RETARDATION TO
ENTER INTO AGREEMENTS TO
SUPPLY WATER TO NEIGHBORS OF
PINELAND CENTER WHOSE WELLS
ARE

Mitchell, J. OTP PL 1983, C. 72

SUMMARY: LD 2220 authorized Commissioner of Mental Health and Mental Retardation to sell or enter into agreements with property owners around the Pineland Center to furnish them with water. Many of these property owners have contaminated well water.