



Rep. Candelaria speaks at Latino Advocacy Day

Paid Sick Leave

The law requires employers with 50 or more people in Connecticut to provide service workers with paid sick leave at a rate of one hour per 40 hours worked. It applies to service workers who are paid by the hour and work in an occupation with one of the 68 Standard Occupational Classification System titles named in the law, such as retail clerks, home health aides, cooks, food servers, and janitors.

Días por Enfermedad

Esta ley requiere que negocios con 50 o mas empleados otorguen a los empleados en el área de servicio una hora por cada 40 horas de trabajo. Esto aplica a empleados que son compensados por hora y no con salario fijo, y que además trabajan en ocupaciones como clérigos, asistentes de salud en el hogar, cocineros, meseros y conserjes.



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Credit Reports for Jobs

We prohibited employers from requiring an employee or prospective employee to consent to a credit inquiry as a condition of employment. The bill allows employees to file a complaint about a violation of the bill's provisions with the labor commissioner.

Reporte de Crédito para Empleos

Nosotros prohibimos a los empleadores a que obliguen a empleados y solicitantes dar permiso de acceder su historial de crédito como condición de empleo. La nueva ley permite una queja formal con el comisionado de empleo para aquellos empleados o solicitantes que encuentren violaciones de la nueva ley.



Rep. Candelaria and the New Haven delegation of the General Assembly

Closing the Academic Achievement Gap

It has been a priority of the General Assembly to close this gap so that children of all income classes have opportunities for academic excellence. To that end, we passed legislation that:

- » Permits school boards with low-achieving schools to increase the number of school sessions each year and the number of school hours each day.
- » Provides for a summer reading program for kindergarten students, reading assessments of young students, and individual reading plans to improve literacy.
- » Creates a task force to develop a plan to help close the achievement gaps between racial, ethnic and socioeconomic groups and genders.
- » Allows a best practices literacy pilot study, and the distribution of model curricula and frameworks in reading and mathematics for grades pre-kindergarten to four.
- » Provides professional development for teachers and develops strategies for students in danger of failing, and culturally-relevant teaching methods for students whose primary language is not English.

Cerrando la Deficiencia Académica

Una de las prioridades de la Asamblea General ha sido darles la misma oportunidad de educación de calidad a todos sin importar su ingreso familiar o estatus social. Para lograrlo pasamos leyes que:

- » Permiten a las juntas de educación en distritos escolares por debajo del aprovechamiento escolar aumentar la cantidad de días de instrucción o de horas cada día.
- » Proveen un programa de lectura de verano para niños de kindergarten, una evaluación para los estudiantes jóvenes, y planes de lectura individuales para aumentar el alfabetismo.
- » Crean un grupo para desarrollar un plan que ayudara a disminuir la deficiencia académica entre niños de diferentes grupos raciales étnicos, grupos socioeconómicos y géneros.
- » Permiten un estudio de comprensión y la distribución de planes de estudios en lectura y matemáticas para aquellos entre pre-kindergarten y cuarto grado.
- » Proveen instrucción profesional para maestros y desarrolla estrategias para los estudiantes que están en riesgo de fracasar y métodos de enseñanza culturalmente relevantes para niños para quienes el Inglés no es su idioma principal.

WATCH VIDEOS ONLINE



In-State Tuition for Undocumented Students

Rep. Candelaria on a bill he championed to allow undocumented students to receive in-state tuition



Fairness & Equality

Rep. Candelaria speaks about the educational opportunities that should be provided for all of Connecticut's students, including undocumented ones.

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