

# ELDER LAW & DISABILITY RIGHTS SECTION Respectfully submits the following position on:

SB 0461

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The position expressed is that of the Elder Law & Disability Rights Section only and is not the position of the State Bar of Michigan.

To date, the State Bar does not have a position on this matter.

The total membership of the Elder Law & Disability Rights Section is 1,739.

The position was adopted after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting. The number of members in the decision-making body is 15. The number who voted in favor to this position was 15. The number who voted opposed to this position was 0.

# Report on Public Policy Position

#### Name of section:

Elder Law & Disability Rights Section

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#### Bill Number:

SB 0461 (Schuitmaker) Probate; guardians and conservators; miscellaneous provisions in EPIC regarding legally incapacitated and other protected and vulnerable individuals; revise. Amends secs. 2802, 2803, 2804, 5305, 5306, 5314, 5315, 5316, 5410, 5422, 5423 & 5501 of 1998 PA 386 (MCL 700.2802 et seq.) & adds secs. 5306a & 5319.

# Date position was adopted:

October 1, 2011

### Process used to take the ideological position:

Position adopted after discussion and vote at a scheduled meeting.

### Number of members in the decision-making body:

15

### Number who voted in favor and opposed to the position:

- 15 Voted for position
- 0 Voted against position
- 0 Abstained from vote
- 0 Did not vote

#### **Position:**

Support

The text of any legislation, court rule, or administrative regulation that is the subject of or referenced in this report.

http://legislature.mi.gov/doc.aspx?2011-SB-0461