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Legislative Update #4

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Legislative Update #4 lists hearing dates for several bills that have been scheduled for public hearings. For information on providing testimony, please click on the committee hyperlinks below.

In the **Public Safety and Security Committee** the following bills will be heard:

- HB-5256 AN ACT CONCERNING REQUIRED HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR DETOXIFICATION AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE SERVICES. (2/27/20 1:00, Room 2E, LOB)
- HB-5254 AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR MEDICATION-ASSISTED TREATMENT FOR OPIOID USE DISORDER. (2/27/20 1:00, Room 2E, LOB)

In the Insurance and Real Estate Committee the following bills will be heard:

- HB-5248 AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR PEER SUPPORT SERVICES IN THIS STATE. (2/27/20 1:00, Room 2E, LOB)
- SB-21 AN ACT AUTHORIZING SPORTS WAGERING, ONLINE GAMING, ONLINE LOTTERY TICKET SALES AND ONLINE KENO AND PROVIDING REVENUE TO THE STATE FROM SUCH GAMING. (3/3/20, 11:00, Room 1D, LOB)
- SB-212 AN ACT AUTHORIZING A CASINO GAMING FACILITY IN BRIDGEPORT, SPORTS WAGERING, ENTERTAINMENT ZONES, ONLINE GAMING, ONLINE LOTTERY TICKET SALES AND ONLINE KENO (3/3/20, 11:00, Room 1D, LOB)

In the Judiciary Committee the following bill with be heard:

• SB-16 AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADULT USE OF CANNABIS (3/2/20, 10:00 Room 2C, LOB)

Please feel free to contact me if you have questions about any of the information contained in the legislative updates. I can be reached at (860) 418-6839 or mary.mason@ct.gov. During session, you may want to try to reach me on my cell phone at (860) 985-2120 since I am often at the Capitol and away from my desk phone.