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To: House Bill No. 5054

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***"An Act Concerning Powers Of The Commissioner Of
Agriculture Regarding Establishment Of A Maintenance,
Repair And Improvement Account."***

1 After line 24, add the following and renumber the remaining section
2 accordingly:

3 "Sec. 2. Section 22-455 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof:

5 There is established a Connecticut Seafood Advisory Council to
6 assist in the promotion of Connecticut seafood products and examine
7 market opportunities. The advisory council shall consist of one
8 freshwater fish grower appointed by the Governor, two finfish,
9 shellfish or lobster harvesters or representatives of harvester
10 organizations appointed one each by the speaker and majority leader
11 of the House of Representatives, two finfish, shellfish or lobster
12 processors or representatives of processor organizations appointed one

13 each by the minority leaders of the Senate and House of
14 Representatives, one retailer serving restaurants or representing a
15 restaurant organization appointed by the president pro tempore of the
16 Senate, one member at-large appointed by the majority leader of the
17 Senate, and four nonvoting members one of whom shall represent the
18 Department of Environmental Protection, one the Department of
19 Economic and Community Development and one the Department of
20 Agriculture and one the Sea Grant Program at The University of
21 Connecticut. The advisory council shall be within the Department of
22 Agriculture. The advisory council may use such funds as may be
23 available from federal, state or other sources and may enter into
24 contracts to carry out the purposes of this section. The advisory council
25 may establish general membership and annual dues."

26 In line 25, after "effect" insert "from its passage, except that section 1
27 shall take effect"