



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 751

LCO No. 4281

Referred to Committee on Commerce

Introduced by:
(CE)

AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN INTERNET BUSINESS DISTRICT PROGRAM.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. (NEW) The Commissioner of Economic and Community
2 Development shall establish an Internet business district program that
3 provides developers engaged in the redevelopment of industrial
4 properties or brownfields with (1) tax credits for the redevelopment of
5 such properties into smart buildings or other office space providing
6 high-speed Internet access; and (2) assistance in petitioning the
7 Department of Public Utility Control for fast-track connections to the
8 local telecommunications digital network for such projects.

9 Sec. 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001.

Statement of Purpose:

To redevelop industrial properties into Internet business districts providing high-technology office space.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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