



General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 753

LCO No. 3525

Referred to Committee on Education

Introduced by:

(ED)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE AUTHORIZATION OF BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE KIDCITY MUSEUM IN MIDDLETOWN AND THE CREATING KIDS CHILDREN'S MUSEUM IN NEW HAVEN.

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

1 Section 1. (a) For the purposes described in subsection (b) of this
2 section, the State Bond Commission shall have the power, from time to
3 time, to authorize the issuance of bonds of the state in one or more
4 series and in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate one
5 million seven hundred thousand dollars.

6 (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds, to the extent of the
7 amount stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the
8 Office of Policy and Management for the purpose of a grant to the city
9 of Middletown for the purchase of land and expansion of the Kidcity
10 Museum.

11 (c) All provisions of section 3-20 of the general statutes, or the
12 exercise of any right or power granted thereby, which are not
13 inconsistent with the provisions of this section are hereby adopted and
14 shall apply to all bonds authorized by the State Bond Commission

15 pursuant to this section, and temporary notes in anticipation of the
16 money to be derived from the sale of any such bonds so authorized
17 may be issued in accordance with said section 3-20 and from time to
18 time renewed. Such bonds shall mature at such time or times not
19 exceeding twenty years from their respective dates as may be provided
20 in or pursuant to the resolution or resolutions of the State Bond
21 Commission authorizing such bonds. None of said bonds shall be
22 authorized except upon a finding by the State Bond Commission that
23 there has been filed with it a request for such authorization which is
24 signed by or on behalf of the Secretary of the Office of Policy and
25 Management and states such terms and conditions as said commission,
26 in its discretion, may require. Said bonds issued pursuant to this
27 section shall be general obligations of the state and the full faith and
28 credit of the state of Connecticut are pledged for the payment of the
29 principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due, and
30 accordingly and as part of the contract of the state with the holders of
31 said bonds, appropriation of all amounts necessary for punctual
32 payment of such principal and interest is hereby made, and the State
33 Treasurer shall pay such principal and interest as the same become
34 due.

35 Sec. 2. (a) For the purposes described in subsection (b) of this
36 section, the State Bond Commission shall have the power, from time to
37 time, to authorize the issuance of bonds of the state in one or more
38 series and in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate one
39 million seven hundred thousand dollars.

40 (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds, to the extent of the
41 amount stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the
42 Department of Economic and Community Development for a grant to
43 Creating Kids Children's Museum in New Haven for its expansion.

44 (c) All provisions of section 3-20 of the general statutes, or the
45 exercise of any right or power granted thereby, which are not
46 inconsistent with the provisions of this section are hereby adopted and

47 shall apply to all bonds authorized by the State Bond Commission
48 pursuant to this section, and temporary notes in anticipation of the
49 money to be derived from the sale of any such bonds so authorized
50 may be issued in accordance with said section 3-20 and from time to
51 time renewed. Such bonds shall mature at such time or times not
52 exceeding twenty years from their respective dates as may be provided
53 in or pursuant to the resolution or resolutions of the State Bond
54 Commission authorizing such bonds. None of said bonds shall be
55 authorized except upon a finding by the State Bond Commission that
56 there has been filed with it a request for such authorization which is
57 signed by or on behalf of the Secretary of the Office of Policy and
58 Management and states such terms and conditions as said commission,
59 in its discretion, may require. Said bonds issued pursuant to this
60 section shall be general obligations of the state and the full faith and
61 credit of the state of Connecticut are pledged for the payment of the
62 principal of and interest on said bonds as the same become due, and
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64 said bonds, appropriation of all amounts necessary for punctual
65 payment of such principal and interest is hereby made, and the State
66 Treasurer shall pay such principal and interest as the same become
67 due.

68 Sec. 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2001.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide funds for the expansion of two museums for children.

[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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