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**Bill No. 1150**

LCO No. 3626

Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Introduced by:

SEN. DELUCA, 32<sup>nd</sup> Dist.

REP. WARD, 86<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT AUTHORIZING A PRE-TAX TRANSPORTATION BENEFIT PROGRAM.**

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) To the extent permitted under 26 USC 132(f), the  
2 State Comptroller shall establish a transportation program that permits  
3 state employees to authorize a pre-tax deduction from salary to pay for  
4 transportation in a commuter highway vehicle if such transportation is  
5 in connection with travel between the employee's residence and place  
6 of employment, any transit pass, or qualified parking. The Comptroller  
7 may contract with a third party plan administrator to administer the  
8 program and may authorize the administrator to charge a fixed fee of  
9 not more than three dollars and fifty cents for each month for each  
10 employee enrolled in the program.

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

**Statement of Purpose:**

To implement the Governor's budget recommendations.

*[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.]*