



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5009**

LCO No. 25

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:

REP. FRITZ, 90<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING GRANTS FOR NITROGEN REDUCTION IN MUNICIPALITIES WHERE PRISON FACILITIES ARE LOCATED.**

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

1 That section 22a-478 of the general statutes be amended to increase  
2 grants for an eligible water quality project to a municipality in which  
3 prison facilities are located from thirty to fifty per cent and to provide  
4 any such municipality that previously received a grant an additional  
5 grant of twenty per cent for any such project, and that the general  
6 statutes be further amended to provide a municipality in which a  
7 prison facility is located a grant for fifty per cent of the cost of purchase  
8 of nitrogen credits under the nitrogen credit exchange program,  
9 established under public act 01-180.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To adequately compensate municipalities where prisons are located for expenses for water pollution control.