



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6338**

LCO No. 2366

Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:

REP. AMANN, 118<sup>th</sup> Dist.

REP. DARGAN, 115<sup>th</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING INCREASED FUNDING FOR FIRE SERVICE TRAINING.**

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

1       That the State Bond Commission be empowered to authorize the  
2       issuance of bonds of the state in accordance with section 3-20 of the  
3       general statutes, in principal amounts not exceeding in the aggregate  
4       two million five hundred thousand dollars, the proceeds of which shall  
5       be used by the Commission on Fire Prevention and Control for the  
6       purpose of entry level courses for volunteer and paid fire departments  
7       and state agency fire departments in order to build a usable workforce  
8       for the state and all cities and towns. It is further proposed that section  
9       7-323p of the general statutes be amended to provide for the deposit of  
10      such bond funds in the fire school training and extension account for  
11      such purpose and to provide for the certification of fire service  
12      personnel at no charge to municipalities or fire departments.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To provide sufficient funds so that fire service personnel may receive training to become certified at no charge to municipalities and fire departments.