



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5586

LCO No. 2129

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Referred to Committee on Commerce

Introduced by:
(CE)

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING AN ACCOUNT FOR BROWNFIELDS
REMEDICATION AND REDEVELOPMENT.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2008*) There is established an account to be
2 known as the "brownfields remediation and redevelopment account"
3 which shall be a separate, nonlapsing account within the General
4 Fund. Funds in the account shall be expended by the Commissioner of
5 Economic and Community Development for providing necessary staff
6 positions and interagency cooperation to recapture brownfield sites
7 determined by the commissioner to be lost economic assets across the
8 state.

9 Sec. 2. (*Effective July 1, 2008*) The sum of seventy-five million dollars
10 is appropriated to the Department of Economic and Community
11 Development, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June
12 30, 2009, to provide necessary staff positions and interagency
13 cooperation in accordance with section 1 of this act.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2008</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To provide necessary funding to remediate and redevelop brownfield sites in the state.

[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.]