



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 198

LCO No. 1102

Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Introduced by:
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**AN ACT CONCERNING INVESTMENT IN CONNECTICUT'S
ECONOMIC FUTURE AND THE STATE BOND COMMISSION
AGENDA.**

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

1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that the State Bond
2 Commission agenda shall prioritize infrastructure improvement
3 projects such as mass transit, roads, bridges, flood control, schools,
4 universities and the state park system to create jobs and provide
5 economic stimulus. All State Bond Commission agenda items shall
6 include an economic stimulus justification that specifies leading
7 economic indices such as the number of jobs created, related capital
8 investment from private sector sources, related economic development
9 within distressed and targeted investment municipalities and the
10 economic return on the state's investment.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the State Bond Commission to provide a priority on its agendas for infrastructure improvement projects, and to include an economic stimulus justification for each item on an agenda.