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TESTIMONY

of the

CONNECTICUT CONFERENCE OF MUNICIPALITIES

to the

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE

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The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities appreciates the opportunity to testify on the following bill of interest to towns and cities:

H.B. 5832, "An Act Concerning Eyewitness Identification"

H.B. 5832 may have fiscal implications for smaller communities. CCM urges the Committee to obtain a fiscal note on this bill.

Further, CCM understands that the research on sequential line-ups vs. simultaneous is inconclusive.

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