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**"AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE TOXICITY OF
ARTIFICIAL TURF ATHLETIC FIELDS."**

1 Strike everything after the enacting clause and substitute the
2 following in lieu thereof:

3 "Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) On or before September 1, 2008,
4 the Department of Public Health, shall, within available appropriations
5 and, in consultation with the Department of Environmental Protection
6 and the Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, conduct, in
7 whole or in part, or contract with an individual, firm, corporation or
8 other entity to conduct, a study of the toxicity of artificial turf athletic
9 fields. Such study shall evaluate whether such fields cause harmful
10 effects on air quality, water quality or human health. Not later than
11 September 1, 2009, the Department of Public Health shall report, in
12 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes,
13 to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having
14 cognizance of matters relating to the environment the conclusions of
15 such study and any recommendations for further action."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section