



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5307**

LCO No. 2145

Referred to Committee on Appropriations

Introduced by:

REP. O'ROURKE, 32<sup>nd</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT REINSTATING THE REQUIREMENT OF HOLDING PUBLIC HEARINGS ON UNFUNDED MANDATES.**

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

- 1 That section 2-32c of the general statutes be amended to reinstate
- 2 the provision requiring committees to hold a public hearing on
- 3 mandates referred to them by the Connecticut Advisory Commission
- 4 on Intergovernmental Relations and advise leaders as to whether the
- 5 mandates should be approved, rejected or modified.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide an oversight mechanism to help reduce unfunded mandates on municipalities.