



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5657

LCO No. 654

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by:
REP. MCCLUSKEY, 20th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESTORATION OF FREIGHT RAIL SERVICE.

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

- 1 That existing bond authorizations for the Departments of
- 2 Transportation and Economic Development be used to refurbish
- 3 railroad tracks and restore and increase the use of freight rail service.

Statement of Purpose:

To reestablish Connecticut's seventy per cent to thirty per cent partnership with freight rail companies and to refurbish tracks, increase freight rail, reduce greenhouse gasses and save energy.