



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6276

LCO No. 1914

Referred to Committee on Transportation

Introduced by:
REP. GUERRERA, 29th Dist.

**AN ACT INCREASING THE FINES AND PENALTIES FOR CERTAIN
OFFENSES COMMITTED AGAINST A TRANSIT WORKER IN
CONNECTICUT.**

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

1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that certain
2 offenses committed against a transit worker in Connecticut, including
3 murder, manslaughter, aggravated assault, assault with a dangerous
4 weapon, threat of bodily harm, sexual abuse, robbery, carjacking and
5 kidnapping, while such worker is engaged in the performance of
6 duties as a transit worker, may be punishable by a fine or by a term of
7 imprisonment of up to one hundred fifty per cent of the maximum fine
8 or term of imprisonment otherwise authorized for such offense, or
9 both.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide protection to our state transit workers.