



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5298

LCO No. 739

Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:
REP. FRITZ, 90th Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A DEMONSTRATION PROJECT FOR THE
GROWTH OF FOOD BY CONNECTICUT FARMERS ALL YEAR LONG.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Department of
- 2 Agriculture, in cooperation with the University of Connecticut School
- 3 of Agriculture, The Connecticut Agricultural Experiment Station, the
- 4 greenhouse industry and farmers, to establish a demonstration project
- 5 that teaches farmers methods to grow food throughout the year.

Statement of Purpose:

To end the state's dependency on foods from outside of Connecticut by
enabling framers to produce vegetables and fruits throughout the year.