



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6235**

LCO No. 1009

Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:

REP. GROGINS, 129th Dist.

REP. BERGER, 73rd Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING BLIGHT VIOLATIONS.***

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to authorize municipalities to
- 2 hold property owners personally liable for blight violations and to
- 3 authorize municipalities to place liens on other property owned by
- 4 such property owners rather than limiting such liens to the blighted
- 5 property.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To expand current blight laws by giving cities and towns additional methods of recovering blight liens and fines and by holding property owners personally responsible for blight violations.