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Testimony Supporting House Bill No. 5479

AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE REAL PROPERTY INVENTORY

Senator Osten, Representative Miller and distinguished members of the Planning and Development Committee, thank you for the opportunity to offer testimony in support of H.B. No. 5479 An Act Concerning the State Real Property Inventory.

The purpose of the bill is to change the date that OPM is required to submit to the General Assembly the annual report of the State's real property inventory.

Currently, CGS 4-67g(e) requires OPM to submit the Annual Real Property Inventory to the General Assembly every March 15th. In addition, CGS 4b-23(c) requires OPM to submit the State Facility Plan to the General Assembly on March 15th of every odd numbered year. Consequently, in odd-numbered years, the same unit within OPM is required to submit two (2) reports to the General Assembly on the same date.

In order to have a more orderly work-flow, the proposed bill would change the submittal date for the Annual Real Property Inventory from March 1st to July 1st. No changes are being proposed for the report itself, merely the date by which it is required to be submitted to the General Assembly.

I respectfully request that the committee support this bill. I would like to again thank the committee for the opportunity to present this testimony, and I am happy to answer any questions you may have.