



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5139

LCO No. 705



Referred to Committee on COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN

Introduced by:
(KID)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF RECYCLED TIRE RUBBER AT MUNICIPAL AND PUBLIC SCHOOL PLAYGROUNDS.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2016*) (a) For the purposes of
2 this section, "crumb rubber" means any material that contains
3 shredded or ground rubber recycled from motor vehicle tires.

4 (b) On and after October 1, 2016, no person shall install a crumb
5 rubber ground cover within the boundaries of a municipal
6 playground, as defined by subdivision (7) of subsection (a) of section
7 22a-66m of the general statutes, or a playground located at a school
8 under the jurisdiction of a local or regional board of education.

9 (c) The provisions of subsection (b) of this section shall not apply to
10 an installation that is the subject of a contract entered into prior to
11 October 1, 2016.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2016</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To prohibit the installation of ground cover that contains shredded or ground rubber recycled from motor vehicle tires in municipal and public school playgrounds.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]