



House of Representatives

General Assembly

File No. 357

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House Bill No. 5275

House of Representatives, April 10, 2018

The Committee on Commerce reported through REP. SIMMONS of the 144th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE BIOSCIENCE INDUSTRY.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Economic
2 and Community Development, in consultation with Connecticut
3 Innovations, Incorporated, shall conduct a study of issues relating to
4 the state's bioscience industry and the pipeline for jobs in such
5 industry. Not later than January 1, 2019, the commissioner shall submit
6 a report of the results of such study to the joint standing committee of
7 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to
8 commerce, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the
9 general statutes.

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

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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OFA Fiscal Note***State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None***Explanation***

The bill has no fiscal impact by requiring the Department of Economic and Community Development (DECD) to conduct a study of issues related to the state's bioscience industry and its pipeline for jobs. The bill does not outline any specific items for the study to include. It is therefore anticipated that DECD can produce the study within existing resources.

The Out Years***State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None

OLR Bill Analysis

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SUMMARY

The Office of Legislative Research does not analyze Special Acts.

COMMITTEE ACTION

Commerce Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 19 Nay 1 (03/22/2018)