



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 7107

LCO No. 3754



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by:
(JUD)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE THEFT OF WASTE VEGETABLE OIL OR ANIMAL FATS.

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

1 Section 1. Section 53a-125 of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2019*):

3 (a) A person is guilty of larceny in the fourth degree when he
4 commits larceny as defined in section 53a-119, and: (1) The property
5 consists of waste vegetable oil or animal fats; or (2) the value of the
6 property or service exceeds one thousand dollars.

7 (b) For purposes of this section, "waste vegetable oil or animal fats"
8 means used vegetable oil or animal fats being stored by a school,
9 restaurant, institutional cafeteria or other institution or business for the
10 purpose of collection and the recycling of such oil or fats or the
11 conversion of such oil or fats into a biodiesel blend, as defined in
12 section 16a-21b.

13 ~~[(b)]~~ (c) Larceny in the fourth degree is a class A misdemeanor.

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

Section 1	<i>October 1, 2019</i>	53a-125
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Statement of Purpose:

To establish the theft of waste vegetable oil or animal fats as larceny in the fourth degree.

[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.]