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LCO No. 4625



Referred to Committee on COMMERCE

Introduced by:
(CE)

**AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR BROWNFIELD
REMEDiation AND DEVELOPMENT.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2019*) (a) For the purposes described in
2 subsection (b) of this section, the State Bond Commission shall have
3 the power from time to time to authorize the issuance of bonds of the
4 state in one or more series and in principal amounts not exceeding in
5 the aggregate one hundred million dollars, provided twenty-five
6 million dollars of said authorization shall be effective July 1, 2019,
7 twenty-five million dollars of said authorization shall be effective July
8 1, 2020, twenty-five million dollars of said authorization shall be
9 effective July 1, 2021, and twenty-five million dollars of said
10 authorization shall be effective July 1, 2022.

11 (b) The proceeds of the sale of such bonds, to the extent of the
12 amount stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the
13 Department of Economic and Community Development for the
14 brownfield remediation and development account established
15 pursuant to section 32-762 of the general statutes.

16 (c) All provisions of section 3-20 of the general statutes, or the

17 exercise of any right or power granted thereby, that are not
18 inconsistent with the provisions of this section are hereby adopted and
19 shall apply to all bonds authorized by the State Bond Commission
20 pursuant to this section. Temporary notes in anticipation of the money
21 to be derived from the sale of any such bonds so authorized may be
22 issued in accordance with section 3-20 of the general statutes and from
23 time to time renewed. Such bonds shall mature at such time or times
24 not exceeding twenty years from their respective dates as may be
25 provided in or pursuant to the resolution or resolutions of the State
26 Bond Commission authorizing such bonds. None of such bonds shall
27 be authorized except upon a finding by the State Bond Commission
28 that there has been filed with it a request for such authorization that is
29 signed by or on behalf of the Secretary of the Office of Policy and
30 Management and states such terms and conditions as said commission,
31 in its discretion, may require. Such bonds issued pursuant to this
32 section shall be general obligations of the state and the full faith and
33 credit of the state of Connecticut are pledged for the payment of the
34 principal of and interest on such bonds as the same become due, and
35 accordingly and as part of the contract of the state with the holders of
36 such bonds, appropriation of all amounts necessary for punctual
37 payment of such principal and interest is hereby made, and the State
38 Treasurer shall pay such principal and interest as the same become
39 due.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2019	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To provide funding for brownfield remediation and development projects.

[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.]