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Introducer(s):

Environment Committee

Title: AN ACT PROHIBITING THE RELEASE OF HELIUM BALLOONS INTO THE ATMOSPHERE.

Statement of Purpose: To address the environmental harm caused to Long Island Sound and other waterways from the intentional release of helium balloons.

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01-15-2019 REFERRED TO JOINT COMMITTEE ON Environment Committee
01-18-2019 VOTE TO DRAFT
01-28-2019 DRAFTED BY COMMITTEE
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05-28-2019 FAVORABLE REPORT, TABLED FOR THE CALENDAR, SENATE
05-28-2019 SENATE CALENDAR NUMBER 615

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