

SENATE
List of Bills

S.B. No. 7 (COMM) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING CALF PASTURE BEACH IN NORWALK AS A WILDLIFE REFUGE', to designate Calf Pasture Beach in Norwalk as a wildlife refuge but permit fishing in such refuge.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

S.B. No. 21 (COMM) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE REPORT OF THE TASK FORCE ON THE HUMANE TREATMENT OF ANIMALS IN MUNICIPAL ANIMAL SHELTERS', to extend the work of the task force on the humane treatment of animals in municipal and regional shelters to January 1, 2020.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

S.B. No. 232 (COMM) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ALLOWABLE PERCENTAGE OF LEAKAGE FROM GAS PIPELINES', to reduce methane emissions and certain charges to gas customers.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

S.B. No. 233 (COMM) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING COTTAGE FOOD PRODUCTS AND THE PRODUCTION OF HONEY AND MAPLE SYRUP', to retain the regulation of maple syrup and honey production with the Department of Agriculture.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

S.B. No. 237 (COMM) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT DESIGNATING ROCKY TOP AND YORK HILL AS PROTECTED TRAPROCK RIDGES', to protect Rocky Top and York Hill in Hamden as traprock ridges for purposes of preservation.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

Proposed **S.B. No. 718** SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT ELIMINATING CERTAIN FUNDING FOR THE XL CENTER AND THE CITY OF HARTFORD AND INCREASING FUNDING FOR SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICERS', to provide funding for school safety programs in all towns and cities in the state by reducing certain state funding for the XL Center and the city of Hartford.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed **S.B. No. 719** SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST. 'AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE DRUG RECOGNITION EXPERT PROGRAM', to fund the drug recognition expert program in Connecticut.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 720](#) SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CREDITED SERVICE IN THE TEACHERS' RETIREMENT SYSTEM FOR SERVICE AT GRACE WEBB SCHOOL OR WOODSTOCK SCHOOL', to add Grace Webb School and Woodstock School to the list of schools approved for additional credited service.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 721](#) SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST. 'AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS TO THE DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION TO SUPPORT THE CONNECTICUT WING CIVIL AIR PATROL', to appropriate funds for services provided by the Connecticut Wing Civil Air Patrol.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 722](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT PREVENTING OVERTIME PAYMENTS FROM BEING USED TO CALCULATE THE RETIREMENT INCOME OF STATE EMPLOYEES', to prohibit the calculation of a state employee's pension from including overtime pay.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 723](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF STATE FUNDS FOR BALL PARKS FOR PROFESSIONAL SPORTS TEAMS', to prevent the misuse of state funds.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 724](#) SEN. KISSEL, 7th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING PAYMENTS IN LIEU OF TAXES TO MUNICIPALITIES CONTAINING A CORRECTIONAL FACILITY', to aid municipalities in the financial support of correctional facilities.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 725](#) SEN. FORMICA, 20th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A PAYMENT IN LIEU OF TAXES FOR IMPROVEMENTS MADE AT THE STATE PIER IN NEW LONDON', to offset the loss in tax revenue from improvements to the state pier in the city of New London.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 726](#) SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING FUNDING FOR OPIOID ADDICTION TREATMENT FACILITIES', to combat the opioid epidemic and rehabilitate those who are currently incarcerated.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 727](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; REP. RYAN, 139th DIST.; REP. RILEY, 46th DIST.; REP. BOYD, 50th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; REP. CONLEY, 40th DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST. 'AN ACT RESTORING FUNDING FOR THE DAIRY SUSTAINABILITY FUND', to allow the Dairy Sustainability Fund to provide the necessary resources for dairy farms to remain viable.

REF. APPROPRIATIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 728](#) SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING EDUCATION COST SHARING GRANTS BE PAID DIRECTLY TO THE BOARD OF EDUCATION FOR AN ALLIANCE DISTRICT', to ensure that there is a method for the boards of education for alliance districts to receive their education cost sharing grant funds.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 729](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SAFE ENVIRONMENTS FOR STUDENTS RECEIVING SPECIAL EDUCATION SERVICES FROM CERTAIN PROVIDERS', to provide safe environments for students receiving special education services and transparency in the operations of the providers that care for such students.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 730](#) SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING A BOARD OF EDUCATION FROM DENYING A STUDENT ACCESS TO SCHOOL BECAUSE EDUCATION RECORDS HAVE NOT BEEN TRANSFERRED', to prevent a school district from denying access to any student because the student's education records have not been received by such school district.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 731](#) SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A SCHOOL BUILDING PROJECT GRANT FOR STAMFORD HIGH SCHOOL', to provide a school building project grant to the town of Stamford for capital infrastructure costs at Stamford High School.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 732](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING PAY-TO-PLAY AND OTHER STUDENT ACTIVITY FEES', to prohibit pay-to-play and student activity fees from being charged to students in public schools.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 733](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE TEACHING OF CERTIFIED NURSING ASSISTANT PROGRAMS AT PUBLIC HIGH SCHOOLS', to resolve the disparity between the certification requirements for teaching certified nursing assistant programs at technical education and career schools and comprehensive high schools.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 734](#) SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE INCLUSION OF COMPLETION OF THE FAFSA FORM AS PART OF THE HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS', to help students access higher education after graduation of high school.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 735](#) SEN. SOMERS, 18th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF AN EDUCATION PROGRAM THAT TEACHES CERTAIN SKILLS TO HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS AND PROMOTES WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT', to engage young adults and teach them vital skills in workforce development.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 736](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SCHOOL NUTRITION STANDARDS', to adopt and codify federal guidelines and regulations concerning school nutrition promulgated during the Obama administration.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 737](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A FIRM HIGH SCHOOL GRADUATION DATE', to permit boards of education to establish and maintain a firm graduation date regardless of the cancellation of school days due to inclement weather or otherwise.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 738](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF REGIONAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS', to create a more efficient educational system.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 739](#) SEN. MARTIN, 31st DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION OF MILITARY-CONNECTED CHILDREN IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS', to require public school registration forms to indicate that a minor is a military-connected child.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 740](#) SEN. FASANO, 34th DIST.; SEN. WITKOS, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING EXPANDED ELIGIBILITY AND INCREASED FUNDING FOR THE CARE 4 KIDS PROGRAM', to provide funding to assist with childcare for working parents of certain income levels.

REF. EDUCATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 741](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; REP. RYAN, 139th DIST.; REP. RILEY, 46th DIST.; REP. DUBITSKY, 47th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMISSION TAX ON EVENTS AT DODD STADIUM IN NORWICH', to permit the State Treasurer to deposit admission tax revenue derived from events at Dodd Stadium into an account established to provide support for Dodd Stadium in Norwich.
REF. FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Proposed [S.B. No. 742](#) SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST.; REP. MCGEE, 5th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING BREWERY SALES FOR ON-PREMISE OR OFF-PREMISE CONSUMPTION', to require breweries to choose between off-premise or on-premise sale and consumption.
REF. GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 743](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ADMINISTRATION TEN-HOUR TRAINING CARDS', to reduce costs to state contractors by extending Occupational Safety and Health Administration ten-hour training card validity from five years to ten years.
REF. GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Proposed [S.B. No. 744](#) SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PALLIATIVE AND RECREATIONAL USE OF MARIJUANA', to amend the palliative marijuana program and to establish and regulate a recreational use of marijuana program.
REF. GENERAL LAW

Proposed [S.B. No. 745](#) SEN. SOMERS, 18th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A FEASIBILITY STUDY ON THE CREATION OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL AGRICULTURAL PROGRAM WITHIN THE REGIONAL COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM', to consider the creation of an environmental agricultural program within the regional community-technical college system.
REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 746](#) SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A FOUNDATION TO RECEIVE DONATIONS FOR THE ROBERTA B. WILLIS SCHOLARSHIP PROGRAM', to establish a foundation to receive donations for the Roberta B. Willis Scholarship program.
REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 747](#) SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING A PARTNERSHIP BETWEEN CHARTER OAK STATE COLLEGE AND BUSINESSES THAT OFFER FREE COLLEGE', to allow partnerships between Charter Oak State College and businesses that offer free college to their employees.
REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 748](#) SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PILOT PROGRAM TO FUND TUITION-FREE AND DEBT-FREE PROGRAMS OF STUDY AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION', to establish a pilot program for tuition-free college.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 749](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; REP. BOYD, 50th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING LEGISLATIVE APPROVAL FOR THE MERGER OR CLOSURE OF THE REGIONAL COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL COLLEGES', to require legislative approval for the merger or closure of any regional community-technical college.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 750](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST.; SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST.; SEN. BERGSTEIN, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF MENTAL ILLNESS AT INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION', to establish programs for the prevention and treatment of mental illness at institutions of higher education.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 751](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADMISSION OF IN-STATE STUDENTS TO PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION', to give priority to in-state students for admission to public institutions of higher education and to ensure that taxpayer subsidies to public institutions of higher education are used first for in-state students.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

[S.B. No. 752](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SMOKING AND VAPING ON BEACHES IN STATE PARKS', to prohibit smoking and vaping on beaches in state parks.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

[S.B. No. 753](#) (RAISED) ENVIRONMENT. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE-WIDE BAN ON FRACKING WASTE', to expand the state-wide fracking ban to apply to all gas and oil extraction activities and to assure that such ban is permanent.

REF. ENVIRONMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 754](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING LANDLORD CONSIDERATION OF PROSPECTIVE TENANTS', to allow landlords to consider the criminal records of prospective tenants.

REF. HOUSING

Proposed [S.B. No. 755](#) SEN. KELLY, 21st DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING VETERANS' BENEFITS IN MEDICAID ELIGIBILITY DETERMINATIONS', to require that all veterans' benefits be disregarded when determining income eligibility for Medicaid assistance.

REF. HUMAN SERVICES

Proposed [S.B. No. 756](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING CERTIFICATIONS OF HELPFULNESS FOR VICTIMS OF CRIMES', to assure expeditious processing of requests for certification of helpfulness in certain immigration-related matters.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 757](#) SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO MEDICAL RECORDS OF AN INDIVIDUAL WHO DIES IN STATE CUSTODY', to establish a procedure to allow access to medical records when a person who is incarcerated or under the care of any state agency dies.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 758](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING PARITY IN SEXUAL VIOLENCE PROTECTIONS FOR PERSONS IN SPOUSAL AND COHABITATING RELATIONSHIPS', to create parity in sexual violence protections for persons in spousal and cohabitating relationships.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 759](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; REP. HADDAD, 54th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE EMPOWERMENT OF MINORS TO GET SEXUAL ASSAULT FORENSIC EXAMS', to eliminate obstacles that may prevent a minor victim of sexual assault from getting a sexual assault forensic exam and to empower such individuals with the knowledge of how to seek such an exam.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 760](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TASK FORCE TO PROVIDE AND ANALYZE DATA CONCERNING INMATES ESTABLISHED AS CHRONICALLY MENTALLY ILL', to establish a task force to provide data on the number of inmates who are established as chronically mentally ill.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 761](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PRIVATE RIGHT OF ACTION AGAINST AN EMPLOYER WHO FAILS TO PROVIDE HONEST RECOMMENDATIONS WHEN ASKED TO PROVIDE A REFERENCE FOR A JOB APPLICANT', to ensure that an individual who provides a reference for an employee does not intentionally conceal information concerning acts of sexual harassment or assault committed by the employee.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 762](#) SEN. WITKOS, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING THE MINIMUM EARNINGS NECESSARY TO QUALIFY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION', to increase the minimum earnings necessary to qualify for unemployment compensation.

REF. LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Proposed [S.B. No. 763](#) SEN. FASANO, 34th DIST.; SEN. WITKOS, 8th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE SOLVENCY OF THE UNEMPLOYMENT TRUST FUND', to update and reform unemployment compensation law to ensure that the Unemployment Trust Fund remains solvent in future years.

REF. LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Proposed [S.B. No. 764](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. FONFARA, 1st DIST.; SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT PROHIBITING ON-CALL SHIFT SCHEDULING', to prohibit the unfair employment practice of on-call shift scheduling.

REF. LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Proposed [S.B. No. 765](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST.; SEN. BERGSTEIN, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT ENSURING FAIR AND EQUAL PAY FOR EQUAL WORK', to ensure all employees receive fair and equal pay for equal work.

REF. LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Proposed [S.B. No. 766](#) SEN. BERTHEL, 32nd DIST.; REP. POLLETTA, 68th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE EXPIRATION OF CERTAIN LAND USE PERMITS', to provide that no land use permit issued to an individual pursuant to section 8-3, 8-26c, 8-26g or 22a-42a of the general statutes that relates to the same parcel of land shall expire until the expiration date associated with the last of such permits issued to such individual.

REF. PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 767](#) SEN. LOGAN, 17th DIST. 'AN ACT REVISING THE PROCESS FOR THE TAKING OF REAL PROPERTY BY MUNICIPALITIES FOR REDEVELOPMENT AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT', to revise the process of eminent domain for municipal redevelopment projects and economic development projects by (1) requiring a determination in the plan that a taking of real property is for a public use or economic development; (2) requiring a two-thirds vote if the taking is for economic development; (3) increasing compensation if the taking is for economic development; and (4) authorizing the owner of condemned real property to challenge all aspects of the taking.

REF. PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 768](#) SEN. LOGAN, 17th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF EMINENT DOMAIN', to (1) require state agencies to attempt to negotiate a purchase before they may take real property by eminent domain, (2) create an Office of the Property Rights Ombudsman, which shall have responsibilities including, but not limited to, arbitrating and mediating disputes between agencies and property owners, (3) require state agencies to pay the maximum benefits provided pursuant to the state and federal Uniform Relocation Assistance Acts, and (4) require the legislative body of a municipality in which an agency operates to vote separately to approve the acquisition of each parcel by purchase or condemnation.

REF. PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 769](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST.; SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST.; SEN. BERGSTEIN, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PREVENTION AND TREATMENT OF OPIOID USE DISORDER', to prevent and combat opioid addiction in Connecticut.

REF. PUBLIC HEALTH

Proposed [S.B. No. 770](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST.; SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST.; SEN. BERGSTEIN, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING MENTAL HEALTH PREVENTION AND TREATMENT FOR CHILDREN', to prevent and treat mental illness in all children.

REF. PUBLIC HEALTH

Proposed [S.B. No. 771](#) SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST. 'AN ACT ADDING REQUIREMENTS FOR ELECTRIC VEHICLE CHARGING PARKING SPACES TO THE STATE BUILDING CODE', to update the State Building Code to require new construction and buildings undergoing substantial rehabilitation of parking areas or electrical systems to have electric vehicle ready parking spaces and electric vehicle capable parking spaces.

REF. PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Proposed [S.B. No. 772](#) SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EMERGENCY SERVICES AND PUBLIC PROTECTION TO VERIFY THAT PERSONS APPLYING FOR CERTAIN FIREARM PERMITS HAVE NOT BEEN CONFINED IN A HOSPITAL PURSUANT TO A PHYSICIAN'S EMERGENCY CERTIFICATE', to require the Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection to verify that persons applying for certain firearm permits have not been confined in a hospital pursuant to a physician's emergency certificate.

REF. PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Proposed [S.B. No. 773](#) SEN. BERTHEL, 32nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING COMPENSATION FOR CERTAIN PROPERTIES TAKEN BY EMINENT DOMAIN', to adequately compensate property owners when their land is taken by eminent domain.

REF. TRANSPORTATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 774](#) SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE PERFORMANCE OF CERTAIN MOTOR VEHICLE SERVICES BY MUNICIPALITIES', to promote efficiencies by permitting municipalities to perform certain services currently provided by the Department of Motor Vehicles.

REF. TRANSPORTATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 775](#) SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF THE CENTRAL CONNECTICUT LOOP TRAIL', to connect the Air Line Trail with the Farmington Canal Heritage Trail.

REF. TRANSPORTATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 776](#) SEN. FASANO, 34th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING BUS PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION CHARGES FOR VETERANS', to allow a passenger who is a veteran, upon presentation of a motor vehicle operator's license or identity card indicating such passenger's status as a veteran, to ride state-owned or state-controlled bus public transportation free of charge.

REF. TRANSPORTATION

Proposed [S.B. No. 777](#) SEN. OSTEN, 19th DIST. 'AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF VETERANS' TAX ABATEMENTS', to study tax abatements available to veterans in the state.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 778](#) SEN. BERTHEL, 32nd DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GREEN ALERT SYSTEM FOR MISSING VETERANS', to establish a green alert system for locating missing veterans.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 779](#) SEN. SAMPSON, 16th DIST. 'AN ACT ESTABLISHING A GREEN ALERT SYSTEM FOR CERTAIN VETERANS', to establish a green alert system for locating missing veterans.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 780](#) SEN. FASANO, 34th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING BUS PUBLIC TRANSPORTATION CHARGES FOR VETERANS', to allow a passenger who is a veteran, upon presentation of a motor vehicle operator's license or identity card indicating such passenger's status as a veteran, to ride state-owned or state-controlled bus public transportation free of charge.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 781](#) SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FEES FOR VITAL RECORDS SOUGHT IN CONNECTION WITH THE SOLDIERS, SAILORS AND MARINES FUND', to allow town clerks to waive the fees charged for copies of a vital record sought in connection with a person's application for assistance from the Soldiers, Sailors and Marines Fund.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 782](#) SEN. MARTIN, 31st DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING UNITED STATES FLAG EMBLEMS ON CERTAIN INDIVIDUALS' MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR'S LICENSES', to allow a United States flag emblem to appear on certain individuals' motor vehicle operator's licenses.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 783](#) SEN. MARTIN, 31st DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE VERIFICATION OF ELIGIBILITY FOR CERTAIN VETERANS' PROPERTY TAX EXEMPTIONS', to streamline the process by which a veteran's age, disability and veteran status are verified for purposes of determining such veteran's eligibility for certain property tax exemptions.

REF. VETERANS' AFFAIRS

Proposed [S.B. No. 784](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST.; REP. DILLON, 92nd DIST. 'AN ACT INCREASING TO FIFTY DOLLARS FARMERS' MARKET VOUCHERS FOR SENIORS', to ensure senior citizens have access to healthy, fresh food.

REF. AGING

Proposed [S.B. No. 785](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR A DOMESTIC JUSTICE CENTER IN NEW HAVEN', to provide funding for a Domestic Justice Center in New Haven.

REF. FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Proposed [S.B. No. 786](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF A WOMEN'S HALFWAY HOUSE IN NEW HAVEN', to provide funding for the development of a women's halfway house in New Haven.

REF. FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Proposed [S.B. No. 787](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT AUTHORIZING BONDS OF THE STATE FOR THE BASSETT STREET COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT INCUBATOR PROJECT IN NEW HAVEN', to provide funding for the Bassett Street Community Development Incubator Project.

REF. FINANCE, REVENUE AND BONDING

Proposed [S.B. No. 788](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING MUNICIPALITIES TO IMPOSE A PROPERTY TAX ON CERTAIN FACILITIES', to create more revenue options for municipalities with a large percentage of properties that are exempt from property tax.

REF. PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 789](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. WINFIELD, 10th DIST.; REP. WALKER, 93rd DIST.; REP. PORTER, 94th DIST.; REP. CANDELARIA, 95th DIST.; REP. LEMAR, 96th DIST.; REP. PAOLILLO, 97th DIST.; REP. DIMASSA, 116th DIST.; REP. DILLON, 92nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING REIMBURSEMENT TO LAW ENFORCEMENT UNITS FOR TRAINING COSTS', to ensure a law enforcement unit receives reimbursement for training costs after a police officer trained by the unit later becomes employed by another law enforcement unit.

REF. PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Proposed [S.B. No. 790](#) SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING A FREE COLLEGE PROGRAM', to establish a free college program.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 791](#) SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST. 'AN ACT ALLOWING MUNICIPALITIES TO CONTRIBUTE TO THE CONNECTICUT HIGHER EDUCATION TRUST', to allow municipalities to contribute to the Connecticut Higher Education Trust.

REF. HIGHER EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT ADVANCEMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 792](#) SEN. LOONEY, 11th DIST.; SEN. DUFF, 25th DIST.; SEN. CASSANO, 4th DIST.; SEN. LESSER, 9th DIST.; SEN. COHEN, 12th DIST.; SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST.; SEN. MARONEY, 14th DIST.; SEN. MOORE, 22nd DIST.; SEN. BRADLEY, 23rd DIST.; SEN. KUSHNER, 24th DIST.; SEN. HASKELL, 26th DIST.; SEN. LEONE, 27th DIST.; SEN. FLEXER, 29th DIST.; SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd DIST.; SEN. BERGSTEIN, 36th DIST. 'AN ACT CREATING A TASK FORCE TO STUDY DISCRIMINATION ON THE BASIS OF GENDER IDENTITY OR EXPRESSION THAT OCCURS IN STATE WORKPLACES AND SCHOOLS', to establish a task force that shall examine how state laws may be enhanced in order to strengthen protections against discrimination on the basis of gender identity or expression that occurs in workplaces and schools.

REF. JUDICIARY

Proposed [S.B. No. 793](#) SEN. ABRAMS, 13th DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING SALES OF AMMUNITION OR AMMUNITION MAGAZINES', to (1) limit sales of ammunition and ammunition magazines, and (2) require a seller to record sales of ammunition or an ammunition magazine.

REF. PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Proposed [S.B. No. 794](#) SEN. BERTHEL, 32nd DIST. 'AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR FIRE SCHOOLS', to establish a task force to examine funding for fire schools.

REF. PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY