



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 262

LCO No. 1604



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
(PS)

AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF THE USE OF COMBUSTIBLE GAS DETECTORS.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Emergency
2 Services and Public Protection, the State Building Inspector and the State
3 Fire Marshal, or their designees, shall study the effectiveness of
4 combustible gas detectors and whether to require the installation of such
5 detectors in newly constructed buildings with natural gas connections.
6 Not later than January 1, 2021, the commissioner shall submit a report
7 of the results of the study, in accordance with the provisions of section
8 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing committee of the
9 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to public safety
10 and security.

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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Statement of Purpose:

To study whether to require the use of combustible gas detectors in new construction with natural gas connections.

[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.]