

Planning and Development Committee

JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.: SB-964

AN ACT REQUIRING A STUDY OF THE ACCESSIBILITY OF THE STATE
CAPITOL BUILDING, LEGISLATIVE OFFICE BUILDING AND RELATED

Title: FACILITIES.

Vote Date: 3/21/2021

Vote Action: Joint Favorable

PH Date: 3/5/2021

File No.:

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

N/A

REASONS FOR BILL:

To study the accessibility of the State Capitol building, the Legislative Office Building and all other buildings, related structures, grounds and parking facilities under the supervision, security, utilization and control of the Joint Committee on Legislative Management.

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

N/A

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

Kelly McConney Moore, Interim Senior Policy Counsel of ACLU-CT: Voiced support. Testimony explained how it is crucial that government buildings are accessible to those with disabilities to prevent them from "being unjustly shut out" of the democratic process. Testimony requests that disabled people and advocates of the disability community be ensured a voice in selecting the auditor and weighing results of the assessment.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

N/A

Reported by: Colin Savino

Date: 03/24/2021

