



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 123

LCO No. 382



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
SEN. BERTHEL, 32nd Dist.

**AN ACT INCREASING PENALTIES FOR THE INJURING OR KILLING
OF POLICE ANIMALS OR SEARCH AND RESCUE DOGS.**

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

- 1 That subsections (d) and (e) of section 53-247 of the general statutes
- 2 be amended to increase the penalties for the intentional injury or killing
- 3 of police animals or dogs in volunteer canine search and rescue teams.

Statement of Purpose:

To increase the penalties for the intentional injury or killing of police
animals or dogs in volunteer canine search and rescue teams.