



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 150

LCO No. 161



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Referred to Committee on BANKING

Introduced by:
SEN. KASSER, 36th Dist.

AN ACT ESTABLISHING THE CONNECTICUT INFRASTRUCTURE AUTHORITY.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to establish a new quasi-public
- 2 agency, the Connecticut Infrastructure Authority, which shall facilitate
- 3 and finance the development of public infrastructure projects,
- 4 including, but not limited to, the construction, rehabilitation and
- 5 maintenance of state-owned buildings, roads, bridges, trains, train
- 6 stations, buses, bike lanes, charging stations for buses, cars and other
- 7 vehicles, rest stops, projects generating solar energy and other
- 8 environmental infrastructure projects.

Statement of Purpose:

To: (1) Establish a new quasi-public agency to facilitate and finance the development of public infrastructure projects with the highest quality standards at the lowest cost, (2) prioritize the public's interest in public infrastructure projects and build the foundation of a thriving economy, (3) create and retain construction and maintenance jobs in this state, and (4) encourage the use of innovation, efficiencies, best practices and

technology to deliver the most functional, reliable and advanced public infrastructure projects to the residents of this state.