



General Assembly

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 239

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"AN ACT PROHIBITING THE USE OF CERTAIN RODENTICIDES FOR THE PROTECTION OF HAWKS, RAPTORS AND OTHER WILDLIFE."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Energy
4 and Environmental Protection shall establish a fund for the purpose of
5 mitigation of the impact on migratory birds and other marine wildlife
6 and the remediation or mitigation of other environmental consequences
7 for all future purchase power agreements approved by the Department
8 of Energy and Environmental Protection pursuant to section 16a-3n of
9 the general statutes. Such fund shall be funded from the terms of such
10 power purchase agreements which shall provide for the designation of
11 moneys for such fund.

12 Sec. 502. Subdivision (4) of subsection (a) of section 16a-3n of the 2022
13 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is

14 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

15 (4) For each solicitation issued pursuant to this section, the
 16 commissioner shall establish a commission on environmental standards
 17 to provide input on best practices for avoiding, minimizing and
 18 mitigating any impacts to wildlife, natural resources, ecosystems and
 19 traditional or existing water-dependent uses, including, but not limited
 20 to, commercial fishing, during the construction and operation of
 21 facilities eligible pursuant to this section. Each such commission shall
 22 meet not less than quarterly to review any existing or newly developed
 23 project in relation to any such solicitation."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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