



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 5161**

LCO No. 723



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:  
REP. COOLEY, 22<sup>nd</sup> Dist.

**AN ACT REQUIRING THE ADOPTION OF EPA AIR REGULATIONS  
AND THE REPEAL OF CALIFORNIA AIR STANDARDS.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the Commissioner of
- 2 Energy and Environmental Protection to repeal California-based air
- 3 regulations and adopt United States Environmental Protection Agency
- 4 air standards in lieu thereof.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To remove Connecticut's reliance on the California emissions standards and base Connecticut's Clean Air regulations on the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency standards.