



General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 5503

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LCO No. 5668



Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:
(TRA)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE NAME OF THE THAMES RIVER.

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioners of
2 Transportation and Energy and Environmental Protection shall (1)
3 consult with the Eastern Pequot Tribe, the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe
4 and the Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut with regard to
5 restoring the name of the Thames River to a former name that honors
6 the heritage of such river, and (2) in the event of an agreement of said
7 tribes concerning a former name, apply to the United States Board on
8 Geographic Names to restore the name of the Thames River to such
9 former name.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

TRA Joint Favorable