General Assembly

Proposed Senate Joint Resolution No. 16

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LCO No. **1991**

Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by:
SEN. OSTEN, 19th Dist.

RESOLUTION CONDEMNING THE PROVISIONS OF THE TREATY OF HARTFORD OF 1638 THAT SOUGHT TO ERADICATE THE PEQUOT CULTURAL IDENTITY.

Resolved by this Assembly:

That this Assembly condemn the provisions of the Treaty of Hartford, an agreement between the English inhabitants in Connecticut and the Narragansett and Mohegan Tribes in 1638, that sought to eradicate the Pequot cultural identity by prohibiting the Pequots from returning to their lands, abolishing their tribal name and forcing them to assimilate into the Mohegan and the Narragansett Tribes and the remaining members of the Pequot Tribe to be sold into slavery or killed.

Statement of Purpose:
To condemn the provisions of the Treaty of Hartford of 1638 that sought to eradicate the Pequot cultural identity.