



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5320

LCO No. 2227



Referred to Committee on COMMERCE

Introduced by:
(CE)

**AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A
CONNECTICUT BRIDGE AUTHORITY.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Economic and
2 Community Development may study and make recommendations
3 regarding the feasibility of establishing a Connecticut Bridge Authority
4 for the purpose of overseeing the funding and construction of a bridge
5 connecting Connecticut to Long Island. If the commissioner conducts
6 such study, not later than January 1, 2027, the commissioner shall
7 submit a report on the results of such study to the joint standing
8 committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
9 relating to commerce, planning and development and transportation, in
10 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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Statement of Purpose:

To allow the Commissioner of Economic and Community Development to study the feasibility of establishing a Connecticut Bridge Authority tasked with overseeing the funding and construction of a bridge connecting Connecticut to Long Island.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]