



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5925

LCO No. 2353



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:

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AN ACT PROHIBITING THE CLEARING OF FOREST LAND FOR GRID-SCALE SOLAR PHOTOVOLTAIC PROJECTS.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) prohibit the clearing of
- 2 existing forest land for the purpose of developing grid-scale solar
- 3 photovoltaic projects, and (2) encourage the siting of such projects on
- 4 canopies, roofs, brownfields or on existing developed land uses.

Statement of Purpose:

To (1) prohibit the clearing of such land for the purpose of developing grid-scale solar photovoltaic projects, and (2) encourage the siting of such projects on canopies, roofs, brownfields or on existing developed land uses.