



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6276

LCO No. 2752



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:
REP. VAIL, 52nd Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE DESIGNATION OF CORE FOREST BY
THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL
PROTECTION.**

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

- 1 That section 16a-3 of the general statutes be amended to prohibit the
- 2 Department of Energy and Environmental Protection from designating
- 3 private property as core forest without the written approval of the
- 4 landowner.

Statement of Purpose:

To prevent privately held forestland from being designated as core
forest without the owner's consent.