



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 3

LCO No. 988



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Referred to Committee on GENERAL LAW

Introduced by:

SEN. LOONEY, 11th Dist.
SEN. DUFF, 25th Dist.
SEN. ANWAR, 3rd Dist.
SEN. CABRERA, 17th Dist.
SEN. COHEN, 12th Dist.
SEN. FLEXER, 29th Dist.
SEN. GADKAR-WILCOX, 22nd Dist.
SEN. GASTON, 23rd Dist.
SEN. HARTLEY, 15th Dist.
SEN. HOCHADEL, 13th Dist.
SEN. HONIG, 8th Dist.
SEN. KUSHNER, 24th Dist.

SEN. LESSER, 9th Dist.
SEN. LOPES, 6th Dist.
SEN. MAHER, 26th Dist.
SEN. MARONEY, 14th Dist.
SEN. MARX, 20th Dist.
SEN. MCCRORY, 2nd Dist.
SEN. MILLER P., 27th Dist.
SEN. NEEDLEMAN, 33rd Dist.
SEN. OSTEN, 19th Dist.
SEN. RAHMAN, 4th Dist.
SEN. SLAP, 5th Dist.
SEN. WINFIELD, 10th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING CONSUMER PROTECTION AND SAFETY.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) eliminate junk fees
- 2 charged in connection with certain consumer transactions, (2) provide
- 3 that neither the state nor any state agency, state contractor or
- 4 municipality shall purchase or use any aerial drone manufactured in the
- 5 People's Republic of China or the Russian Federation, (3) prohibit sales
- 6 of certain information gathered by way of consumer electronics without
- 7 consumers' consent, (4) require manufacturers of consumer goods to
- 8 enable third parties to repair such consumer goods, (5) prohibit price

9 gouging at all levels of the supply chain, and (6) require each
10 municipality to establish and maintain a ".gov" Internet top-level
11 domain.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect the privacy, safety and financial security of Connecticut residents and to protect infrastructure in the state.