



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 505

LCO No. 1463



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:
SEN. COHEN, 12th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE REGULATION OF NEONICOTINOIDS.

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to prohibit, as of January 1,
- 2 2028, the use or application of neonicotinoids to treat: (1) Golf courses;
- 3 (2) turf grass; (3) lawns and playing fields; (4) outdoor ornamental
- 4 plants; (5) property owned by or leased to the state or any municipality;
- 5 or (6) corn, wheat or soybeans, unless the Commissioner of Energy and
- 6 Environmental Protection determines that there is an environmental
- 7 emergency that necessitates such use.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect pollinators, birds, ecosystems and public health by further regulating the use of neonicotinoids.