

Environment Committee

MEETING MINUTES

Monday, March 29, 2021

10:00 AM in Zoom and YouTube Live

The meeting was called to order at 10:05AM by Chairman, Rep. Gresko J. 121.

The following committee members were present:

Senators: Cohen C. S12; Haskell W. S26; Kasser A. S36; Kushner J. S24;  
Miner C. S30; Slap D. S05

Representatives: Berger-Girvalo A. 111; Betts W. 078; Borer D. 115; Callahan P.  
108; Chafee B. 033; Demicco M. 021; Dillon P. 092; Dubitsky D.  
047; Fishbein C. 090; Gresko J. 121; Gucker K. 138; Harding S.  
107; Harrison C. 069; Hennessy J. 127; Horn M. 064; Michel D.  
146; Mushinsky M. 085; O'Dea T. 125; Palm C. 036; Parker J. 101;  
Piscopo J. 076; Rebimbas R. 070; Reyes G. 075; Ryan K. 139;  
Smith F. 118; Wilson D. 066; Young P. 120

Absent were:

Senators:

Representatives:

Rep. Gresko asked for comments. Comments by Rep. Cohen, Sen. Miner, Rep. Harding.

BILLS FOR REVIEW

1. [S.B. No. 926](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESENCE OF PFAS IN CERTAIN CONSUMER PACKAGING. (ENV) ***JFS to the Floor***

Motion by Sen. Cohen

Seconded by Rep. Michel

Comments by Rep. Harding, Rep. Hennessy, Sen. Miner, Sen. Cohen, Rep. Mushinsky,

Comments by Rep. Harding

2. [S.B. No. 928](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING RECYCLED CONTENT FOR PRODUCTS SOLD IN CONNECTICUT. (ENV) ***JF to the Floor***

Motion by Rep. Hennessy

Seconded by Sen. Cohen

Comments by NONE

3. [S.B. No. 1031](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF SODIUM CHLORIDE TO MITIGATE ICE AND SNOW ACCUMULATIONS. (ENV) ***JFS to the Floor***

Motion by Sen. Cohen

Seconded by Rep. Hennessy

Comments by Sen. Miner, Sen. Haskell.

4. [H.B. No. 6441](#) (COMM) AN ACT CONCERNING CLIMATE CHANGE ADAPTATION. (ENV) ***JFS to the Floor***

Motion by Rep. Hennessy

Seconded by Rep. Mushinsky

Comments by Rep. Harding

5. [H.B. No. 6504](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING ANIMAL WELFARE. (ENV) ***JFS to the Floor***

Motion by Sen. Cohen

Seconded by Rep. Michel

Comments by Rep. Mushinsky, Rep. Harrison, Sen. Miner, Rep. Wilson

6. [S.B. No. 924](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING THE STAFFING AND RESOURCES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. (ENV) ***JF to the Floor***

Motion by Rep. Hennessy

Seconded by Rep. Gucker

Comments by NONE

7. [H.B. No. 6386](#) (RAISED) AN ACT CONCERNING EXTENDED PRODUCER RESPONSIBILITY FOR TIRES, SMOKE DETECTORS AND CERTAIN GAS CYLINDERS. (ENV) ***JFS to the Floor***

Motion by Sen. Miner

Seconded by Rep. Hennessy

Comments by Sen. Miner, Rep. Mushinsky

Meeting was recessed until 12:35 PM.

Meeting adjourned at 12:35PM

The next meeting is March 31, 2021 10AM.

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Gaia McDermott  
Committee Clerk

Steve Smith  
Assistant Committee Clerk