



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 6492

LCO No. 1355



Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:
REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th Dist.

**AN ACT ESTABLISHING A STATE AGENCY CLIMATE-FRIENDLY
FOOD PURCHASING PLAN.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require the establishment of
- 2 a procurement plan for state departments and agencies that includes a
- 3 preference for sustainable foods with a low carbon footprint.

Statement of Purpose:

To use the state's procurement power to reduce dependence on foods with a high carbon footprint and discourage food production that degrades earth's resources and that promotes health.