General Assembly

Proposed Bill No. 6245

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LCO No. **3165**

Referred to Committee on ENVIRONMENT

Introduced by:
REP. DATHAN, 142nd Dist.
REP. HUGHES, 135th Dist.
REP. CONSTANTINE, 42nd Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DIVERSION OF ORGANIC MATERIALS FROM THE WASTE STREAM.

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

That the general statutes be amended to establish a state-wide municipal waste management program to support the diversion of food from the waste stream through donation programs, feeding animals or livestock, composting and anaerobic digestion. Additionally, to establish a five-million-dollar fund, through bonding, to provide for grants of up to one hundred thousand dollars to support such programs.

Statement of Purpose:
To fund programs that divert food from the waste stream.