

General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5043



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: REP. VAIL, 52nd Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING THE ADOPTION OF ATLANTIC STANDARD TIME.

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

That section 1-6 of the general statutes be amended to require that once the states of Massachusetts and Rhode Island adopt Atlantic standard time, the Governor of this state apply to the United States Secretary of Transportation to change the standard of time for this state to Atlantic standard time and, if approved, adopt said time.

Statement of Purpose:

To require the state to adopt Atlantic standard time upon the enactment of legislation in Massachusetts and Rhode Island adopting said time and federal approval of such change.