



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 7003

January Session, 2019



AN ACT ESTABLISHING A MORATORIUM ON THE INSTALLATION OF RECYCLED TIRE RUBBER AT MUNICIPAL AND PUBLIC SCHOOLS PLAYGROUNDS.

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

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2019*) (a) As used in this section:
- 2 (1) "Crumb rubber" means any material that contains shredded or
3 ground rubber recycled from motor vehicle tires; and
- 4 (2) "Municipality" means any town, city or borough, consolidated
5 town and city or consolidated town and borough.
- 6 (b) On and after October 1, 2019, no municipality or local or regional
7 board of education shall enter into a new contract for the installation of
8 a crumb rubber ground cover within the boundaries of a municipal
9 playground, as defined in section 22a-66m of the general statutes, or a
10 playground located at a school under the jurisdiction of a local or
11 regional board of education, until such time as the findings of the
12 Federal Research Action Plan on Recycled Tire Crumb Used on
13 Playing Fields and Playgrounds are released by the United States
14 Environmental Protection Agency, National Centers for Disease
15 Control and Prevention and United States Consumer Product Safety
16 Commission.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>July 1, 2019</i>	New section
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Statement of Legislative Commissioners:

The title was changed to accurately reflect the contents of the bill.

KID *Joint Favorable Subst. -LCO*