



General Assembly

Substitute Bill No. 7298

January Session, 2019



**AN ACT CONCERNING THE MARKET FOR RECYCLED
COMMODITIES IN THE STATE AND NORTHEAST REGION.**

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

- 1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Commissioner of Energy and
2 Environmental Protection, in consultation with the Commissioner of
3 Economic and Community Development, the Connecticut Conference
4 of Municipalities and the Council of Small Towns, shall review and
5 assess the market for recycled commodities in the state and the
6 northeast region that are generated by consumers in this state. Not
7 later than January 1, 2020, the Commissioner of Energy and
8 Environmental Protection shall submit a report, in accordance with the
9 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing
10 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
11 relating to the environment on any recommendations for increasing
12 the value of such commodities, decreasing the costs of recycling for
13 municipalities and amending the state's designated recyclable items or
14 the state's system for recycling such items.

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

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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ENV Joint Favorable Subst.