



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 191**

LCO No. 1221



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Referred to Committee on COMMERCE

Introduced by:  
SEN. FORMICA, 20th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING STATE TOURISM FUNDS.**

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

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to require organizations
- 2 applying for state tourism funds to provide evidence to the
- 3 Department of Economic and Community Development that the
- 4 requesting organization is actively engaged in and collaborating with
- 5 established regional entities that are focused on promoting and
- 6 supporting the arts, culture and tourism industry.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To provide opportunities for cost savings by minimizing duplication of services.