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Proposed Bill No. 6727

LCO No. 1521



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Referred to Committee on LABOR AND PUBLIC EMPLOYEES

Introduced by:
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AN ACT CONCERNING SAFETY METRICS.

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

1 That section 31-383 of the general statutes be amended to require the
2 Connecticut Occupational Safety and Health Administration to
3 compile an annual report to be presented to the legislature containing
4 the following information for the state: (1) The number of injured
5 workers and their corresponding demographics, (2) the number of
6 Connecticut Occupational Safety and Health Administration and
7 federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration investigations,
8 (3) the number of workplace citations, (4) the number of antiretaliation
9 cases, (5) new regulations issued, (6) the number of workplace
10 fatalities, (7) the number of criminal prosecutions for workplace
11 fatalities, (8) worker safety and environmental research being
12 conducted at state universities, (9) relevant legislation introduced or
13 passed, (10) the number and types of hazards abated, (11) the number
14 of work zone accidents, (12) the number and types of toxins released,
15 according to Environmental Protection Agency data, (13) the extent of
16 air and water pollution, and (14) relevant data from the Department of
17 Public Health, the Department of Energy and Environmental

18 Protection, the Office of the Chief State's Attorney, the Office of the
19 Attorney General, the Workers' Compensation Commission and the
20 Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

Statement of Purpose:

To provide the legislature with accurate data on the number of injured workers across various occupations in the state.