AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL RESTRICTION OF LAWN CARE PESTICIDES.

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

That the general statutes be amended to provide that a municipality may restrict the use of pesticides for the cosmetic care of lawn and turf, provided such restriction is at least as restrictive as the classification by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection. Such provision shall not include pesticide use on lawns and turf for purposes of protection of the public health from pests, including, but not limited to, mosquitoes, ticks and stinging insects.

Statement of Purpose:

To allow municipalities to restrict the use of pesticides used for the cosmetic care of lawn and turf.