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Referred to Committee on TRANSPORTATION

Introduced by:
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**AN ACT CONCERNING A TRANSPARENT RANKING AND RATING
FOR TRANSPORTATION CAPITAL PROJECTS.**

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

1 That the general statutes be amended to (1) require the Secretary of
2 the Office of Policy and Management and the Commissioner of
3 Administrative Services, in consultation with experts, to create a
4 transparent and objective methodology to rank and rate transportation
5 capital projects estimated to cost more than a specified threshold; (2)
6 require such methodology to assess each transportation capital project
7 by providing an economic value on a comparative basis, providing
8 utilization measures, including the level of subsidization, measuring the
9 social long-term value of the investment and measuring the return on
10 equity and to rank each such transportation capital project on a scale of
11 one to ten; and (3) require a nonpartisan body to apply such
12 methodology to each such transportation capital project.

Statement of Purpose:

To create a methodology to rank and rate transportation capital projects and use the ranking to ensure transportation capital is allocated to the most useful projects without political interference.