

General A	Asse	mbly	Raised Bill No. 227			
February Session, 2024			LCO No. 599			
Referred DEVELOP			on		AND	824 *

Introduced by: (PD)

AN ACT CONCERNING MUNICIPAL INTERNET WEB SITES.

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective from passage) Notwithstanding the 2 provisions of any municipal charter, special act or home rule ordinance, 3 not later than July 1, 2026, each municipality shall (1) register a ".gov" 4 Internet top-level domain for such municipality with the Cybersecurity 5 and Infrastructure Security Agency within the United States 6 Department of Homeland Security, and (2) redirect any existing Internet 7 web site addresses maintained by such municipality to such domain or 8 discontinue the use of such addresses. On and after July 1, 2026, each municipality shall maintain an Internet web site with a ".gov" Internet 9 10 top-level domain. For the purposes of this section, "municipality" has 11 the same meaning as provided in section 7-479a of the general statutes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:Section 1from passageNew section

PD Joint Favorable