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Bill No. 1641

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Referred to Committee on *Public Personnel and Military Affairs*

LCO No. 4146

Introduced by SEN. HOULEY, 35th DIST.

General Assembly,

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AN ACT AUTHORIZING STATE EMPLOYEES TO RECEIVE CREDIT FOR
RETIREMENT FOR SERVICE WITH OTHER GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES.

CONNECTICUT
STATE LIBRARY
LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in

General Assembly convened:

Section 5-191 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof: A member of the state employees retirement system who has been in the active full-time employment of another state or [states] , CITY, COUNTY OR FEDERAL GOVERNMENT AGENCY for some past period or period or periods for which he has received or will receive no retirement benefit or pension and for which he cannot obtain credit for retirement purposes under any section of this chapter may receive credit for such period or periods, not to exceed ten years in the aggregate, by making contributions to the state employees retirement fund, for each year of such prior service, equal to six per cent of his annual rate of compensation when he first became a full-time employee of this state[, provided the state or states in which such service was rendered make similar provision for former employees of this state and provided such payment into the state employees retirement system shall be made within one year of his entry into service in this state or on or before July 1, 1966, whichever is later.] When a person who has gained credit for such prior service retires, not more than one year of such [out-of-state] service may be counted for each two years of [state] service IN THE EMPLOY OF THIS STATE; provided, if such person has

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purchased more of such service than can be counted, refund of the 40
amount paid on the extra years of service shall be made.

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE: To extend to all state employees ten-year 45
purchase benefits accorded all teachers and to encourage 46
competent people to move freely between city, state, county and 47
federal jobs. 48

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets and proposed 50
additions are all capitalized, or underlined where appropriate.] 52