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An Act To Appropriate Matching Funds for the Construction of a Convention Center in Oxford Hills

(EMERGENCY)

Reference to the Committee on Appropriations and Financial Affairs suggested and ordered printed.

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Presented by Representative MILLETT of Waterford.
Cosponsored by Senator HASTINGS of Oxford and
Representatives: HAMPER of Oxford, HANLEY of Paris, JODREY of Bethel, SYKES of Harrison.

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