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STATE OF RHODE ISLAND

IN GENERAL ASSEMBLY

JANUARY SESSION, A.D. 2019

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RELATING TO PUBLIC PROPERTY AND WORKS

Introduced By: Representatives Solomon, Phillips, Jackson, McNamara, and Lima

Date Introduced: January 09, 2019

Referred To: House Judiciary

It is enacted by the General Assembly as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 37-8 of the General Laws entitled "Public Buildings" is hereby
2 amended by adding thereto the following section:

3 **37-8-21. Prohibition of the development of land contiguous to the State House.**
4 [Notwithstanding the provisions of §§ 37-8-1 and 37-8-10, it shall be prohibited to develop any](#)
5 [and all land that is contiguous to and outside the Rhode Island State House, including the land](#)
6 [bordered by Francis Street, Gaspee Street, and Smith Street in Providence, for any development](#)
7 [unless it is approved by the general assembly.](#)

8 SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon passage.

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EXPLANATION
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- 1 This act would prohibit any development of land contiguous to the State House unless
- 2 approved by the general assembly.
- 3 This act would take effect upon passage.

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