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SECRETARY MERRILL ON THE FAILURE TO PASS EARLY VOTING CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT

HARTFORD: Secretary of the State Denise Merrill said: "I am disappointed that this proposal didn't get through both chambers this year. However, I want to be clear that I will reintroduce early voting next year and continue fighting for it in the future. With more than one-third of Americans casting a ballot early in 2016, the citizens of Connecticut have every right to expect this service. The proposal enjoyed bipartisan support in the House and I believe it had the votes to pass in the Senate this year. And I look forward to even more support in 2018."