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"AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISPOSITION OF STATE-ASSISTED HOUSING PROPERTIES IN DEFAULT."

1 After the last section, insert the following:

2 "Sec. 4. Subsection (d) of section 32-56 of the general statutes is
3 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*
4 *October 1, 2002*):

5 (d) In determining that a municipality has been severely impacted
6 by a prime defense contract cutback the commissioner shall find that
7 (1) one or more businesses in the municipality has experienced a
8 cancellation of one or more prime defense contracts, or subcontracts
9 entered into in connection with prime defense contracts, or a
10 significant reduction in prime defense contract or related subcontract
11 awards or orders; (2) such prime defense contract cutback has caused

12 or will cause a loss of employment opportunities in the municipality;
13 (3) such prime defense contract cutback has caused or will cause a
14 severe adverse impact in the municipality. In making such findings the
15 commissioner may consider the extent to which the businesses in the
16 municipality are, or were at the period in time before the prime
17 defense contract cutback occurred, dependent on prime defense
18 contracts or on subcontracts related to such prime defense contracts;
19 the extent to which one or more prime defense contractors in the
20 municipality has or plans to reduce its work force or the amount of
21 defense subcontract awards or orders which would be performed by
22 businesses in the municipality; the extent to which the unemployed in
23 the municipality are or were defense workers with specialized skills
24 not easily transferable to other industries; the existence of abandoned
25 or underutilized defense-related manufacturing facilities in the
26 municipality; and any other factors which the commissioner deems
27 relevant to such finding. The commissioner's determination that a
28 municipality is severely impacted by a prime defense contract cutback
29 shall be effective for two years from the date of the decision of the
30 commissioner. The commissioner may renew such determination for
31 [another] additional two-year [period] periods following a public
32 hearing and upon making the findings required by this subsection."