



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 5612

LCO No. 2115

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Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:
(ENV)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEPOSIT OF TAXES RELATED TO THE SALE OF MOTOR BOAT FUELS.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

1 Section 1. Section 12-460a of the general statutes is repealed and the
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

3 (a) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 13b-61, as amended,
4 with respect to the fiscal year ending June 30, 2003, the Commissioner
5 of Revenue Services shall deposit into the Conservation Fund
6 established under section 22a-27h [two million dollars] one hundred
7 per cent of the amount of the funds received by the state from the tax
8 imposed under this chapter attributable to sales of fuel from
9 distributors to any boat yard, public or private marina or other entity
10 renting or leasing slips, dry storage, mooring or other space for marine
11 vessels. [provided (1) two hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be
12 credited to the boating account, and (2) one million dollars shall be
13 credited to the fisheries account of which not less than seventy-five
14 thousand dollars shall be allocated to The University of Connecticut
15 for the Long Island Sound councils.]

16 (b) With respect to fiscal years ending on or after June 30, 2004, the
17 Commissioner of Revenue Services shall deposit into the Conservation
18 Fund established under section 22a-27h [three million dollars] one
19 hundred per cent of the amount of the funds received by the state from
20 the tax imposed under this chapter attributable to sales of fuel from
21 distributors to any boat yard, public or private marina or other entity
22 renting or leasing slips, dry storage, mooring or other space for marine
23 vessels. [provided (1) two hundred fifty thousand dollars shall be
24 credited to the boating account, and (2) two million dollars shall be
25 credited to the fisheries account of which not less than seventy-five
26 thousand dollars shall be allocated to The University of Connecticut
27 for the Long Island Sound councils.]

This act shall take effect as follows:	
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>

Statement of Purpose:

To dedicate all of the motor boat fuel tax to the Conservation Fund.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]