



General Assembly

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Raised Bill No. 7189

LCO No. 4322

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Referred to Committee on Higher Education and Employment
Advancement

Introduced by:
(HED)

**AN ACT CONCERNING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUMMER YOUTH
EMPLOYMENT.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) For the fiscal year ending June
2 30, 2008, the Labor Department shall distribute the following amounts
3 to the five regional workforce development boards: One million three
4 hundred thousand dollars to Capitol Workforce Partners; nine
5 hundred thousand dollars to The Workforce Alliance; five hundred
6 thousand dollars to The Workplace, Inc.; nine hundred thousand
7 dollars to the Northwest Regional Workforce Investment Board, Inc.;
8 and four hundred thousand dollars to the Eastern CT Workforce
9 Investment Board.

10 (b) Each workforce development board shall allocate at least
11 seventy-five per cent of the amount distributed to it pursuant to
12 subsection (a) of this section to one or more distressed municipalities
13 in such board's region, and shall allocate the remaining amount to
14 other municipalities in its region. Each board may set aside up to
15 twenty-five per cent of the amount allocated pursuant to this

16 subsection, or any other available funds for summer youth
17 employment programs in the municipalities in such board's region, for
18 year-round workforce development programs for youths fourteen to
19 nineteen years of age who meet family income requirements, as
20 documented by participation in school nutrition programs.

21 Sec. 2. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of four million dollars is
22 appropriated to the Labor Department, from the General Fund, for the
23 fiscal year ending June 30, 2008, to carry out the purposes of section 1
24 of this act.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To provide meaningful year-round employment for at-risk youth in the state.

[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.]