



General Assembly

**Substitute Bill No. 7369**

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**AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE  
BROWNFIELDS TASK FORCE.**

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

1       Section 1. Section 32-9cc of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2       following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

3       (a) There is established, within the Department of Economic and  
4       Community Development, an Office of Brownfield Remediation and  
5       Development [that shall be within the Department of Economic and  
6       Community Development for administrative purposes only.] Said  
7       office shall be staffed, at a minimum, with a director and a project  
8       manager, both of whom shall have backgrounds in environmental  
9       planning, and an administrative support staff member. The director of  
10       the office shall report directly to the Commissioner of Economic and  
11       Community Development and the office shall be staffed with  
12       professionals solely dedicated to brownfields initiatives.

13       (b) The office shall:

14       (1) Develop procedures and policies for streamlining the process for  
15       brownfield remediation and development;

16       (2) Provide a single point of contact for financial and technical  
17       assistance from the state and quasi-public agencies;

18 [(2)] (3) Identify existing [and create new] sources of funding for  
19 brownfield development and remediation; [and] develop a common  
20 application to be used by all state and quasi-public entities providing  
21 financial assistance for brownfield assessment, remediation and  
22 development; and establish procedures for expediting the application  
23 for and release of such funds; [to municipalities or economic  
24 development agencies;]

25 [(3)] (4) Establish a [place] central office where municipalities, [or]  
26 economic development agencies, not-for-profits, existing property  
27 owners or potential property owners may turn to for guidance and  
28 assistance as to the state's funding programs; [may facilitate  
29 compliance with state and federal clean up requirements and  
30 qualification for state funds;]

31 [(4)] (5) Identify and prioritize brownfield development  
32 opportunities state-wide;

33 [(5) Analyze any action taken by other states, particularly New  
34 Jersey and Pennsylvania, regarding brownfield remediation and  
35 liability; and]

36 (6) Maintain a web site for the dissemination of information  
37 regarding the state's brownfield development programs;

38 [(6)] (7) Develop and execute [an] a communication and outreach  
39 program to educate [property owners and] municipalities, economic  
40 development agencies, not-for-profits, existing property owners,  
41 potential property owners and other organizations and individuals  
42 with regard to state policies and procedures for brownfield  
43 remediation; and

44 (8) Work with the Department of Environmental Protection to allow  
45 for their environmental review of proposed projects.

46 (c) The Office of Brownfield Remediation and Development shall  
47 establish and operate a state-funded pilot program to identify

48 brownfield remediation economic opportunities in [four] six  
49 Connecticut municipalities, one of which shall have a population of  
50 less than twenty-five thousand, one of which shall have a population  
51 of more than twenty-five thousand but less than fifty thousand, one of  
52 which shall have a population of more than fifty thousand but less  
53 than one hundred thousand, [and two] one of which shall have  
54 [populations] a population of more than one hundred thousand but  
55 less than one hundred fifteen thousand, and two of which shall have  
56 populations of more than one hundred fifteen thousand.  
57 Municipalities chosen for such pilot programs shall be targeted  
58 investment communities or designated as a continuous municipal  
59 zone, manufacturing zone, railroad zone, entertainment zone or a  
60 defense plant zone. The Office of Brownfield Remediation and  
61 Development shall designate [four] six pilot municipalities in which  
62 untreated brownfields hinder economic development and shall make  
63 grants under such pilot program to these municipalities or economic  
64 development agencies associated with each of the [four] six  
65 municipalities that are likely to produce significant economic  
66 development benefit for the designated municipality.

67 (d) The Department of Environmental Protection, [and] the  
68 Connecticut Development Authority, the Department of Public Health  
69 and the Office of Responsible Growth shall each designate a [staff  
70 member] manager to act as a liaison between their offices and the  
71 Office of Brownfield Remediation and Development pursuant to the  
72 memorandum of understanding in section 2 of this act. The Office of  
73 Brownfield Remediation and Development [shall] may develop and  
74 recruit two volunteers from the private sector, including a person from  
75 the Connecticut chapter of the National Brownfield Association, with  
76 experience in different aspects of brownfield remediation and  
77 development. Said liaisons and volunteers [shall] may assist the Office  
78 of Brownfield Remediation and Development in developing its  
79 programs and achieving the goals of this section [and, together, shall  
80 represent said office's response team] to assist in the development of  
81 its programs.

82 (e) The Office of Brownfield Remediation and Development may  
83 call upon any other department, board, commission or other agency of  
84 the state to supply such reports, information and assistance as said  
85 office determines is appropriate to carry out its duties and  
86 responsibilities. Each officer or employee of such office, department,  
87 board, commission or other agency of the state is authorized and  
88 directed to cooperate with the Office of Brownfield Remediation and  
89 Development and to furnish such reports, information and assistance.

90 (f) Brownfield sites identified for funding under the pilot program  
91 established in subsection (c) of this section shall receive priority review  
92 status from the Department of Environmental Protection. Each  
93 property funded under this program shall be investigated, in  
94 accordance with prevailing standards and practices, and remediated in  
95 accordance with the regulations established in accordance with  
96 prevailing standards and practices for the remediation of such sites  
97 adopted by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection or  
98 pursuant to section 22a-133k and under the supervision of the  
99 department or in accordance with the voluntary remediation program  
100 established in section 22a-133x. In either event, the department shall  
101 determine that remediation of the property has been fully  
102 implemented upon submission of a report indicating that remediation  
103 has been verified by an environmental professional licensed in  
104 accordance with section 22a-133v. Not later than ninety days after  
105 submission of the verification report, [the] said commissioner shall  
106 notify the municipality or economic development agency as to  
107 whether the remediation has been performed and completed in  
108 accordance with the remediation standards or whether any additional  
109 remediation is warranted. For purposes of acknowledging that the  
110 remediation is complete, the commissioner may indicate that all  
111 actions to remediate any pollution caused by any release have been  
112 taken in accordance with the remediation standards and that no  
113 further remediation is necessary to achieve compliance except  
114 postremediation monitoring, natural attenuation monitoring or the  
115 recording of an environmental land use restriction.

116 (g) All relevant terms in this subsection, subsection (h) of this  
117 section, sections 32-9dd to 32-9ff, inclusive, and section 11 of public act  
118 06-184\* shall be defined in accordance with the definitions in chapter  
119 445. For purposes of subdivision (12) of subsection (a) of section 32-9t,  
120 this subsection, subsection (h) of this section, sections 32-9dd to 32-9g,  
121 inclusive, and section 11 of public act 06-184\*, "brownfields" means any  
122 abandoned or underutilized site where redevelopment and reuse has  
123 not occurred due to the presence of pollution in the soil or  
124 groundwater that requires remediation prior to or in conjunction with  
125 the restoration, redevelopment and reuse of the property.

126 (h) The Departments of Economic and Community Development  
127 and Environmental Protection shall administer the provisions of  
128 subdivision (1) of section 22a-134, section 32-1m, subdivision (12) of  
129 subsection (a) of section 32-9t, sections 32-9cc to 32-9gg, inclusive, and  
130 section 11 of public act 06-184\* within available appropriations and  
131 any funds allocated pursuant to sections 4-66c [,] and 22a-133t and tax132 credits allocated pursuant to section 32-9t.

133 Sec. 2. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) On or before January 1, 2008,  
134 the Office of Brownfield Remediation and Development and the  
135 Department of Economic and Community Development shall enter  
136 into a memorandum of understanding with the Department of Public  
137 Health, the Department of Environmental Protection, the Connecticut  
138 Development Authority and the Office of Responsible Growth to  
139 ensure that all brownfield remediation and development projects in  
140 the state are coordinated through the Office of Brownfield  
141 Remediation and Development. The memorandum of understanding  
142 shall establish monthly meetings of senior managers of participating  
143 offices and agencies. Such monthly meetings shall be used to (1)  
144 coordinate the number of applications for brownfields funding  
145 received by the state agencies or quasi-public agencies; (2) review the  
146 status of the current projects, including determining which offices and  
147 agencies have staff available to work on such projects and make  
148 recommendations to the Commissioner of Economic and Community  
149 Development and the Connecticut Development Authority as to which

150 projects should be funded through the state brownfields funding  
151 programs established in sections 3 to 5, inclusive, of this act; (3)  
152 critique and suggest changes to existing brownfields programs; and (4)  
153 discuss and recommend regulatory or statutory changes to streamline  
154 the brownfield development process. The memorandum of  
155 understanding shall establish meetings among said senior managers  
156 more often than monthly as such managers determine are necessary to  
157 (A) administer the funding to the designated project recipients, (B)  
158 evaluate and coordinate specific brownfield projects, (C) address  
159 specific brownfields issues with stakeholders, (D) review case  
160 management and coordination issues, and (E) develop and execute an  
161 educational and outreach program.

162       Sec. 3. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) The Office of Brownfield  
163 Remediation and Development shall establish a municipal and  
164 regional economic and community grant program to provide  
165 municipalities, economic development agencies, regional economic  
166 development agencies or community based nonprofit organizations  
167 with necessary funding to develop, investigate, remediate, reuse or sell  
168 brownfield properties within their towns or regions. Eligible costs shall  
169 include the cost of investigation, assessment, remediation, abatement,  
170 hazardous materials or waste disposal, long term groundwater or  
171 natural attenuation monitoring, costs associated with an  
172 environmental land use restriction, planning, engineering and  
173 environmental consulting costs and building and structural issues,  
174 including demolition, asbestos abatement, PCB removal, contaminated  
175 wood or lead paint removal and other infrastructure remedial  
176 activities. Grants pursuant to this subsection may be used to remediate  
177 property for manufacturing, retail, residential, municipal, educational,  
178 parks, community centers or mixed-use.

179       (b) The office shall establish an annual competitive bid process for  
180 awarding grants. Applications for such grants shall be in a form  
181 prescribed by the Commissioner of Economic and Community  
182 Development and filed on or before September first each year. The  
183 office shall award grants not later than five months after the

184 application deadline. Grants awarded pursuant to this section shall not  
185 exceed four million dollars per project.

186 (c) In addition to the costs set forth in subsection (a) of this section, a  
187 grant may be applied to the cost of investigation, assessment,  
188 remediation, abatement, hazardous materials or waste disposal, long  
189 term groundwater or natural attenuation monitoring, costs associated  
190 with an environmental land use restriction, planning, engineering and  
191 environmental consulting costs and building and structural issues,  
192 including demolition, asbestos abatement, PCB removal, contaminated  
193 wood or lead paint removal and other infrastructure remedial  
194 activities.

195 (d) The office shall adopt written procedures, in accordance with the  
196 provisions of section 1-121 of the general statutes, to carry out the  
197 provisions of this section.

198 Sec. 4. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) As used in this section, (1)  
199 "eligible developers" means anyone who did not cause or contribute to  
200 the discharge, spillage, uncontrolled loss, seepage or filtration of such  
201 hazardous substance, material or waste and such person is not a  
202 member, officer, manager, director, shareholder, subsidiary, successor  
203 of, related to, or affiliated with, directly or indirectly, the person who is  
204 otherwise liable pursuant to section 22a-432, 22a-433, 22a-451 or 22a-  
205 452 of the general statutes; (2) "eligible property owner" means  
206 property owners who are in good general standing with the  
207 Department of Environmental Protection, demonstrate an inability to  
208 obtain financing through traditional lending associations, and cannot  
209 retain or expand jobs due to the expense associated with the  
210 investigation and remediation of contamination of the property; and  
211 (3) "eligible expenses" means the costs of investigation; assessment;  
212 abatement; hazardous materials or waste disposal; long-term  
213 groundwater or natural attenuation monitoring; costs associated with  
214 an environmental land use restriction; planning, engineering and  
215 environmental consulting costs; and building and structural issues,  
216 including demolition, asbestos abatement, PCB removal, contaminated

217 wood or lead paint removal, and other infrastructure remedial  
218 activities.

219 (b) There is established a revolving loan fund to be known as the  
220 "Targeted Brownfield Development Loan Fund". Investment earnings  
221 credited to the fund shall become part of the assets of the fund. Any  
222 balance remaining in the fund at the end of any fiscal year shall be  
223 carried forward in the fund for the next fiscal year. Payments of  
224 principal or interest on a low interest loan made pursuant to this  
225 section shall be paid to the State Treasurer for deposit in the Targeted  
226 Brownfield Development Loan Fund. The fund shall be used to make  
227 low interest loans pursuant to subsection (c) of this section and to pay  
228 reasonable and necessary expenses incurred in administering loans  
229 under this section. The Commissioner of Economic and Community  
230 Development may enter into contracts with nonprofit corporations to  
231 provide for the administration of the Targeted Brownfield  
232 Development Loan Fund by such nonprofit corporations, provided no  
233 low interest loan shall be made from the fund without the  
234 authorization of the commissioner as provided in subsection (c) of this  
235 section.

236 (c) The state, acting by and in the discretion of the Commissioner of  
237 Economic and Community Development, may enter into contracts to  
238 provide financial assistance in the form of low interest loans to eligible  
239 owners or eligible developers for eligible costs for any type of  
240 brownfields development. The office shall establish and publish  
241 criteria for awarding loans pursuant to this section, including project  
242 merit and viability, the economic and community development  
243 opportunity, the projected contribution to the municipal tax base,  
244 municipal support, number of jobs, number of housing units  
245 developed to serve the needs of the first-time home buyer, track record  
246 of the applicant, environmental compliance history of the applicant  
247 and the applicant's ability to pay. To qualify for a loan, the applicant  
248 shall agree to enter into a Department of Environmental Protection  
249 remediation program. Applications for such loans shall be in a form  
250 prescribed by the commissioner. Loans shall be awarded on a rolling

251 basis. Said loans shall not exceed two million dollars per year for two  
252 years.

253 (d) The Commissioner of Economic and Community Development  
254 may establish the terms and conditions for loans pursuant to this  
255 section provided: (1) The principal amount of any loan and all  
256 outstanding interest accruing shall be due upon the occurrence of any  
257 one of the following events: (A) The sale or lease of the brownfield  
258 property for which the loan was made; (B) the approval by the  
259 Commissioner of Environmental Protection of a final remedial action  
260 report regarding such brownfield property submitted in accordance  
261 with section 22a-133y of the general statutes; and (C) an event of  
262 default, after any applicable cure period, under the terms of the loan  
263 agreement.

264 (2) The Commissioner of Economic and Community Development  
265 may: (A) Amortize the repayment of the loan for a period not to exceed  
266 five years from the date of sale or lease of such brownfield property or  
267 the date of approval by the Commissioner of Environmental Protection  
268 of the final remedial action report; (B) modify the loan to forgive the  
269 repayment of a part or all of the principal amount of the loan  
270 outstanding if completion of remediation of environmental pollution  
271 at or on the property is economically infeasible due to the cost of such  
272 remediation; (C) waive or vary the interest rate on any such loan; and  
273 (D) require the borrower to provide appropriate security for such loan,  
274 including, but not limited to, a letter of credit, a lien on real property or  
275 a security interest in goods, equipment, machinery or other property of  
276 any kind.

277 (e) The commissioner shall adopt written procedures, in accordance  
278 with the provisions of section 1-121 of the general statutes, to carry out  
279 the provisions of this section.

280 Sec. 5. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) The Office of Brownfield  
281 Remediation and Development shall establish a small business grant  
282 assistance program to provide funding to eligible start-up and small

283 business property owners otherwise unable to develop or retain jobs  
284 due to the expense associated with the investigation and remediation  
285 of contamination of the property. For purposes of this section, "eligible  
286 start-up and small business property owners" means those companies  
287 seeking to create or retain fifty jobs or less.

288 (b) Grants awarded pursuant to subsection (a) of this section shall  
289 (1) not exceed fifty thousand dollars for site investigation and  
290 assessment, and (2) not exceed three hundred thousand dollars for  
291 total investigation and remediation. The Office of Brownfield  
292 Remediation and Development shall award such grants on a rolling  
293 basis. Grant recipients shall enter a Department of Environmental  
294 Protection remediation program. Grants shall be used for any eligible  
295 expenses as defined in section 4 of this act.

296 Sec. 6. Section 22a-133u of the general statutes is amended by  
297 adding subsection (f) as follows (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

298 (NEW) (f) Notwithstanding any subsection of this section, the  
299 Commissioner of Environmental Protection shall not accept any  
300 applications for funds pursuant to subsection (a) of this section after  
301 January 1, 2009.

302 Sec. 7. Subsection (h) of section 22a-133m of the general statutes is  
303 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
304 *1, 2007*):

305 (h) The Commissioner of Environmental Protection and the  
306 Commissioner of Economic and Community Development shall jointly  
307 identify urban community sites known to have, or suspected to have,  
308 environmental contamination which, if remediated and developed,  
309 will improve the urban environment. The Commissioner of  
310 Environmental Protection and the Commissioner of Economic and  
311 Community Development shall jointly establish the priority of such  
312 sites for evaluation and remediation based upon the following factors:  
313 (1) The potential benefits of remediation to the environment; (2) the  
314 estimated cost of evaluating and remediating the site, if known; (3) the

315 potential benefits to the local community of such site; (4) community  
316 support for remediation and redevelopment of such site; (5) the  
317 commitment from investors or the municipality to redevelop the site;  
318 and (6) any other factors which the commissioners deem relevant. No  
319 real property shall be eligible for evaluation and remediation under  
320 this subsection unless (A) the site is located in a distressed  
321 municipality, as defined in section 32-9p, a targeted investment  
322 community, as defined in section 32-222, or an enterprise corridor  
323 zone, as defined in section 32-80, or in such other municipality as the  
324 Commissioner of Economic and Community Development may  
325 designate, [and] (B) the site is not undergoing evaluation or  
326 remediation under subsections (a) to (g), inclusive, of this section, and  
327 (C) the remediation project is estimated to cost more than ten million  
328 dollars.

329 Sec. 8. Subsection (ii) of section 32-23d of the general statutes is  
330 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July*  
331 *1, 2007*):

332 (ii) "Remediation project" means any project (1) involving the  
333 development, redevelopment or productive reuse of real property  
334 within this state that (A) has been subject to a spill, as defined in  
335 section 22a-452c, (B) is an establishment, as defined in subdivision (3)  
336 of section 22a-134, (C) is a facility, as defined in 42 USC 9601(9), or (D)  
337 is eligible to be treated as polluted real property for purposes of  
338 section 22a-133m or contaminated real property for purposes of section  
339 22a-133aa or section 22a-133bb, provided the development,  
340 redevelopment or productive reuse is undertaken pursuant to a  
341 remediation plan meeting all applicable standards and requirements of  
342 the Department of Environmental Protection, (2) that the authority  
343 determines will add or support significant new economic activity or  
344 employment in the municipality in which such project is located or  
345 will otherwise materially contribute to the economic base of the state  
346 or the municipality or will provide a residential or mixed use  
347 development under chapter 828, and (3) for which assistance from the  
348 authority will be needed to attract necessary private investment.

349       Sec. 9. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) Notwithstanding the provisions  
350 of section 47-204 of the general statutes, any common interest  
351 community created pursuant to a remediation project for which bonds  
352 have been issued under section 32-23zz of the general statutes, shall be  
353 taxed and assessed as a whole, and no unit owner's interest shall be  
354 separately taxed. The executive board shall pay such taxes as provided  
355 in any proceedings authorizing the issuance of such bonds. The  
356 executive board shall include an amount equal to such taxes in the  
357 common expense liability of such common interest community, and  
358 allocate such amount to each unit holder as provided in section 47-226  
359 of the general statutes.

360       Sec. 10. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The Connecticut Development  
361 Authority shall establish a loan guarantee program to provide  
362 guarantees of not more than thirty per cent of the loan to lenders who  
363 provide financing to eligible developers or eligible property owners as  
364 defined in section 4 of this act.

365       Sec. 11. Section 11 of public act 06-184 is amended to read as follows  
366 (*Effective July 1, 2007*):

367       (a) There is established a task force to study strategies for providing  
368 long-term solutions for the state's brownfields.

369       (b) The task force shall consist of the following [nine] ten members,  
370 each of whom shall have expertise in brownfield redevelopment either  
371 in environmental law, engineering, finance, development, consulting,  
372 insurance or other relevant experience:

373       (1) Two appointed by the Governor;

374       (2) One appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate;

375       (3) One appointed by the speaker of the House of Representatives;

376       (4) One appointed by the majority leader of the Senate;

377       (5) One appointed by the majority leader of the House of

378 Representatives;

379 (6) One appointed by the minority leader of the Senate;

380 (7) One appointed by the minority leader of the House of  
381 Representatives; [and]

382 (8) A representative of the Department of Economic and  
383 Community Development, as appointed by the Commissioner of  
384 Economic and Community Development; and

385 ~~[(8)]~~ (9) A representative of the Department of Environmental  
386 Protection, as appointed by the Commissioner of Environmental  
387 Protection.

388 (c) Any member of the task force appointed under subdivision (1),  
389 (2), (3), (4), (5), (6) or (7) of subsection (b) of this section may be a  
390 member of the General Assembly. At least one member shall be an  
391 employee.

392 (d) All appointments to the task force shall be made no later than  
393 thirty days after the effective date of this section. Any vacancy shall be  
394 filled by the appointing authority.

395 (e) The speaker of the House of Representatives and the president  
396 pro tempore of the Senate shall select the chairpersons of the task  
397 force, from among the members of the task force. Such chairpersons  
398 shall schedule the first meeting of the task force, which shall be held no  
399 later than sixty days after the effective date of this section.

400 (f) Not later than ~~[January 1, 2007]~~ February 1, 2008, the task force  
401 shall submit a report on its findings and recommendations to the joint  
402 standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
403 matters relating to environment and commerce, in accordance with the  
404 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes. [The task force shall  
405 terminate on the date that it submits such report or January 1, 2007,  
406 whichever is later.]

407 (g) The administrative staff of the joint standing committee of the  
408 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to commerce  
409 shall serve as administrative staff of the task force.

410 Sec. 12. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of one million five hundred  
411 thousand dollars is appropriated to the Department of Environmental  
412 Protection, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30,  
413 2008, for staffing dedicated to Brownfields Programs pursuant to  
414 section 32-9cc of the general statutes, as amended by this act, and  
415 chapter 445 of the general statutes.

416 Sec. 13. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of one million five hundred  
417 thousand dollars is appropriated to the Department of Economic and  
418 Community Development, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year  
419 ending June 30, 2008, for staffing and operating the Office of  
420 Brownfield Remediation and Development.

421 Sec. 14. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of five hundred thousand  
422 dollars is appropriated to the Department of Economic and  
423 Community Development, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year  
424 ending June 30, 2008, for marketing, education and outreach programs  
425 pursuant to section 32-9cc of the general statutes, as amended by this  
426 act.

427 Sec. 15. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) (a) The sum of seventy-five million  
428 dollars is appropriated to the Department of Economic and  
429 Community Development, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year  
430 ending June 30, 2008, for the purposes of the funding of programs  
431 established pursuant to sections 3 to 5, inclusive, of this act.

432 (b) For each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 2009, June 30, 2010,  
433 June 30, 2011, June 30, 2012, and June 30, 2013, the sum of five million  
434 dollars is appropriated to the Department of Economic and  
435 Community Development, from the General Fund, for the purposes of  
436 the funding programs established pursuant to sections 3 to 5, inclusive,  
437 of this act.

438       Sec. 16. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of five million dollars is  
 439 appropriated to the Connecticut Development Authority, from the  
 440 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008, for the purpose  
 441 of funding, supporting, underwriting and guaranteeing the programs  
 442 established pursuant to subsection (ii) of section 32-23d of the general  
 443 statutes, as amended by this act, and sections 9 and 10 of this act.

444       Sec. 17. (*Effective July 1, 2007*) The sum of twenty million dollars is  
 445 appropriated to the Department of Economic and Community  
 446 Development, from the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June  
 447 30, 2008, for funding the pilot program established pursuant to section  
 448 32-9cc of the general statutes, as amended by this act.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	32-9cc
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 3	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 4	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 5	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 6	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	22a-133u
Sec. 7	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	22a-133m(h)
Sec. 8	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	32-23d(ii)
Sec. 9	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 10	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 11	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	PA 06-184, Sec. 11
Sec. 12	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 13	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 14	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 15	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 16	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section
Sec. 17	<i>July 1, 2007</i>	New section

**CE**       *Joint Favorable Subst.*