



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 969

LCO No. 2977

Referred to Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding

Introduced by:

SEN. HANDLEY, 4th Dist.

REP. MUSHINSKY, 85th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING PILOT PROGRAMS THAT PROMOTE
COLLEGE EDUCATION FOR LOW-INCOME STUDENTS.**

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

1 That title 10a of the general statutes be amended to require Charter
2 Oak State College and the Board of Trustees for Community-Technical
3 Colleges to establish pilot programs at Gateway, Housatonic and
4 Quinibaug Valley Community Colleges and Charter Oak State College
5 to provide workforce advancement grants to low income parents to
6 assist with the direct and indirect costs of education and that the sum
7 of one million two hundred fifteen dollars be appropriated to the
8 Board of Trustees for Community-Technical Colleges, from the
9 General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008, and the fiscal
10 year immediately thereafter, and that the sum of one hundred forty
11 thousand dollars be appropriated to Charter Oak State College, from
12 the General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008, and the
13 fiscal year immediately thereafter, for workforce advancement grants,
14 and that section 10a-72f of the general statutes be repealed.

Statement of Purpose:

To assist low income college schools to complete their programs.