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"AN ACT PREVENTING THE THEFT OF COPPER."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2007*) (a) A scrap metal
4 processor, as defined in section 14-67w of the general statutes, shall not
5 be required to segregate scrap metal it receives from other materials on
6 its premises and hold the same for five days except for copper wire,
7 telephone wire or material containing copper wire or telephone wire
8 unless purchased from a person registered pursuant to section 29-402
9 of the general statutes to engage in the business of demolition of
10 buildings. Upon receipt of a load of scrap metal, such scrap metal
11 processor shall take a photograph of the motor vehicle delivering such
12 scrap metal, including the license plate of such vehicle, and such load
13 of scrap metal. Upon receipt of copper wire, such scrap metal
14 processor shall make a copy of the certificate of registration of such
15 person, record a description of the material received and record a
16 statement as to the location from which the material came.

17 (b) The scrap metal processor shall maintain the documents,
18 photographs and other records required under subsection (a) of this
19 section in good condition and shall retain such records for a period of
20 not less than two years. Such records shall be open for inspection by
21 law enforcement officials upon request during normal business hours."