



General Assembly

**Proposed Substitute
Bill No. 457**

February Session, 2008

LCO No. 3270

AN ACT CONCERNING ENERGY IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS.

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (b) of section 32-80a of the 2008 supplement to
2 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
3 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

4 (b) (1) Any municipality may, by vote of its legislative body,
5 establish [an] one or more energy improvement [district] districts
6 within such municipality. The affairs of any such district shall be
7 administered by an energy improvement district board. The chief
8 elected official of the municipality shall appoint the members of any
9 such board, who shall serve for such term as the legislative body may
10 prescribe and until their successors are appointed and have qualified.
11 The chief elected official shall fill any vacancy for the unexpired
12 portion of the term. The members of each such board shall serve
13 without compensation, except for necessary expenses. In a
14 municipality with more than one energy improvement district, the

15 legislative body may appoint one energy improvement district board
16 to oversee the other board or boards.

17 (2) After a vote by a municipality to establish an energy
18 improvement district, the chief elected official of the municipality shall
19 notify by mail each property owner of record within said district of
20 said action. An owner may record on the land records in the
21 municipality its decision to participate in the energy improvement
22 district pursuant to this section and sections 32-80b of the 2008
23 supplement to the general statutes and 32-80c of the 2008 supplement
24 to the general statutes. Any owner of record, including any new owner
25 of record, may rescind said decision at any time.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	32-80a(b)