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To: Senate Bill No. 679

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE PAYMENT OF CERTAIN COSTS
FROM BOND FUNDS."**

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

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective October 1, 2009*) (a) For the purposes of
4 this section, "nonresident bidder" means a business that is not a
5 resident of the state that submits a bid in response to an invitation to
6 bid by a state contracting agency, "resident bidder" means a business
7 that submits a bid in response to an invitation to bid by a state
8 contracting agency and that has paid unemployment taxes or income
9 taxes in this state during the twelve calendar months immediately
10 preceding submission of such bid, has a business address in the state
11 and has affirmatively claimed such status in the bid submission,
12 "contract" means "contract" as defined in section 4e-1 of the 2008
13 supplement to the general statutes and "state contracting agency"

14 means "state contracting agency as defined in section 4e-1 of the 2008
15 supplement to the general statutes.

16 (b) Notwithstanding any provision of law, in the award of a
17 contract, a state contracting agency shall add a per cent increase to the
18 bid of a nonresident bidder equal to the per cent, if any, of the
19 preference given to such nonresident bidder in the state in which such
20 nonresident bidder resides.

21 (c) Not later than January 1, 2009, and each January thereafter, the
22 State Contracting Standards Board shall publish a list of states that
23 give preference to in-state bidders with the per cent increase applied in
24 each state. Such list shall be made available to all state contracting
25 agencies and may be relied upon by such agencies in determining the
26 lowest responsible bidder."