

# **Connecticut Town Clerks Association, Inc.**

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Written Testimony  
Tuesday, February 24, 2009  
Banks Committee

### **Senate Bill 951 An Act Concerning Neighborhood Protection.**

We would like to thank the committee for raising this legislation. This is a most critical time for our towns and cities in Connecticut and with the economic times facing us, this legislation will aid our towns and cities in protecting all of our residents.

The Town Clerks Association would like to respectfully request an amendment to this bill to provide for a renewal registration term of one year with a renewal fee being \$50. This would provide us with an end date for this registration for clerical and records retention purposes. In addition, we request provisions for a correction/amendment to the registration and a release of registration prior to the expiration of the registration, each of which requiring a \$50 fee.

We urge you to please consider our amendment to this bill and thank you for this opportunity to testify.

If you have any questions, we would be happy to address them.

Respectfully submitted,

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Chair, CTCA Legislative Committee

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