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**"AN ACT CONCERNING DEFICIT MITIGATION FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 2009."**

1 Strike section 3 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu  
2 thereof:

3 "Sec. 3. Section 21 of public act 07-1 of the June special session, as  
4 amended by public act 08-1 of the November 24 special session, is  
5 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
6 *passage*):

7 (a) The following sums are appropriated from the General Fund for  
8 the purposes herein specified for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2007:

T1 GENERAL FUND

T2

T3 LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT

T4 Other Expenses

150,000

T5	Connecticut Academy of Science and		400,000
T6	Engineering		
T7	AGENCY TOTAL		550,000
T8			
T9	SECRETARY OF THE STATE		
T10	Other Expenses		1,500,000
T11			
T12	OFFICE OF POLICY AND		
T13	MANAGEMENT		
T14	Contingency Needs	[12,000,000]	<u>9,075,550</u>
T15	Implement Energy Initiatives		5,000,000
T16	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL		
T17	GOVERNMENTS		
T18	Regional Performance Incentive Program		10,000,000
T19	AGENCY TOTAL	[27,000,000]	<u>24,075,550</u>
T20			
T21	OFFICE OF WORKFORCE		
T22	COMPETITIVENESS		
T23	Film Industry Equipment		500,000
T24	Film Industry Study		250,000
T25	AGENCY TOTAL		750,000
T26			
T27	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WORKS		
T28	Other Expenses		850,000
T29	[Permanent Upgrades to 61 Woodland		1,000,000
T30	Street		
T31	AGENCY TOTAL		1,850,000]
T32			
T33	DIVISION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE		
T34	Other Expenses		58,500
T35			
T36	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY		
T37	Other Expenses		150,000
T38			
T39	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC UTILITY		
T40	CONTROL		
T41	State-wide Energy Efficiency and Outreach		2,000,000
T42			

T43	DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE		
T44	Dairy Farmers		4,000,000
T45			
T46	DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL		
T47	PROTECTION		
T48	Clean Diesel Buses	[8,000,000]	<u>6,000,000</u>
T49	Griswold Recreational Fields		50,000
T50	Tidal Boundaries Study		50,000
T51	AGENCY TOTAL		8,100,000
T52			
T53	COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND		
T54	TOURISM		
T55	Nathan Hale Homestead		250,000
T56	Bushnell Memorial		2,000,000
T57	Fairfield Arts Council		150,000
T58	Hartford Arena Study		250,000
T59	AGENCY TOTAL		2,650,000
T60			
T61	DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND		
T62	COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT		
T63	Biofuels	[4,650,000]	<u>3,600,000</u>
T64	Deferred Maintenance for Public Housing		10,000,000
T65	Home CT		4,000,000
T66	AGENCY TOTAL	[18,650,000]	<u>17,600,000</u>
T67			
T68	DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH		
T69	Personal Services		500,000
T70	Other Expenses		4,561,325
T71	Equipment		775,000
T72	AGENCY TOTAL		5,836,325
T73			
T74	DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENTAL		
T75	SERVICES		
T76	Other Expenses		1,778,321
T77			
T78	DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH		
T79	AND ADDICTION SERVICES		
T80	Other Expenses		170,000

T81	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL		
T82	GOVERNMENTS		
T83	Grants for Substance Abuse Services		500,000
T84	AGENCY TOTAL		670,000
T85			
T86	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES		
T87	Other Expenses		3,200,000
T88	Crisis Hospital Fund		30,000,000
T89	AGENCY TOTAL		33,200,000
T90			
T91	DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION		
T92	Personal Services		208,836
T93	Other Expenses		150,000
T94	DNA Epicenter in New London		250,000
T95	Distance Learning Initiative		850,000
T96	Technical School Supplies		500,000
T97	Longitudinal Data Systems		4,900,000
T98	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS		
T99	School Safety	[8,000,000]	<u>7,000,000</u>
T100	Fuel Cell Projects		800,000
T101	AGENCY TOTAL	[15,658,836]	<u>14,658,836</u>
T102			
T103	COMMISSION ON THE DEAF AND		
T104	HEARING IMPAIRED		
T105	Part-Time Interpreters		320,000
T106			
T107	STATE LIBRARY		
T108	Arts Inventory		75,000
T109			
T110	DEPARTMENT OF HIGHER EDUCATION		
T111	Other Expenses		100,000
T112	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL		
T113	GOVERNMENTS		
T114	Higher Education State Matching Grant		4,185,000
T115	AGENCY TOTAL		4,285,000
T116			

T117	UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT	
T118	Operating Expenses	400,000
T119		
T120	UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT	
T121	HEALTH CENTER	
T122	Operating Expenses	200,000
T123		
T124	TEACHERS' RETIREMENT BOARD	
T125	OTHER THAN PAYMENTS TO LOCAL	
T126	GOVERNMENTS	
T127	Retirement Contributions	300,000,000
T128		
T129	REGIONAL COMMUNITY - TECHNICAL	
T130	COLLEGES	
T131	Operating Expenses	520,000
T132		
T133	DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION	
T134	Cheshire Prison Effluence	500,000
T135		
T136	DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND	
T137	FAMILIES	
T138	Other Expenses	300,000
T139	Adolescent Psychiatric Services	300,000
T140	AGENCY TOTAL	600,000
T141		
T142	DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION	
T143	Bus Operations	4,494,500
T144	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS	
T145	Town Aid Road Grants	16,000,000
T146	Elderly and Disabled Demand Responsive	
T147	Transportation Program	3,900,000
T148	AGENCY TOTAL	24,394,500
T149		
T150	DEBT SERVICE - STATE TREASURER	
T151	Defeasance (ECLM and Clean Energy)	85,000,000
T152	[Supportive Housing Debt Service	3,000,000]
T153	AGENCY TOTAL	[88,000,000] 85,000,000
T154		

T155	MISCELLANEOUS APPROPRIATIONS		
T156	ADMINISTERED BY THE		
T157	COMPTRROLLER		
T158			
T159	STATE COMPTRROLLER -		
T160	MISCELLANEOUS		
T161	PAYMENTS TO LOCAL GOVERNMENTS		
T162	Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes		
T163	on State Property		13,999,858
T164	Grants to Towns		13,497,038
T165	Reimbursements to Towns for Loss of		
T166	Taxes on Private Tax-Exempt Property		13,997,038
T167	AGENCY TOTAL		41,493,934
T168			
T169	STATE COMPTRROLLER - FRINGE		
T170	BENEFITS		
T171	State Employees Health Service Cost		4,000,000
T172	Other Post Employment Benefits		10,000,000
T173	AGENCY TOTAL		14,000,000
T174			
T175	TOTAL - GENERAL FUND	[\$599,190,416]	<u>\$588,215,966</u>

9 (b) Except as provided in subsections (c), (d), (e), (f), (g), (h), (i), (j),  
 10 (k), (l), (m), (n), (o), and (p) [, and (q),] of this section, funds  
 11 appropriated in subsection (a) of this section shall not lapse on June 30,  
 12 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure during the  
 13 fiscal year ending June 30, 2008.

14 (c) Funds appropriated to Legislative Management in subsection (a)  
 15 of this section, for Other Expenses, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and  
 16 shall continue to be available for expenditure for such purpose as  
 17 follows: The sum of \$75,000 shall be available during the fiscal year  
 18 ending June 30, 2008; the sum of \$5,000 shall be available during the  
 19 fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

20 (d) Funds appropriated to the Office of Policy and Management in

21 subsection (a) of this section, for Contingency Needs, shall not lapse on  
22 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for  
23 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$6,000,000 shall be available  
24 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of ~~[\$6,000,000]~~  
25 \$3,075,550 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
26 2009.

27 (e) Funds appropriated to the Department of Environmental  
28 Protection in subsection (a) of this section, for Clean Diesel Buses, shall  
29 not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
30 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$5,000,000 shall  
31 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of  
32 ~~[\$3,000,000]~~ \$1,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending  
33 June 30, 2009.

34 (f) Funds appropriated to the Department of Education in  
35 subsection (a) of this section, for Longitudinal Data Systems, shall not  
36 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
37 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$3,650,000 shall  
38 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of  
39 \$1,250,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
40 2009.

41 (g) Funds appropriated to the Department of Education in  
42 subsection (a) of this section, for School Safety, shall not lapse on June  
43 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for such  
44 purpose as follows: The sum of \$5,000,000 shall be available during the  
45 fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of ~~[\$3,000,000]~~ \$2,000,000 shall  
46 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

47 (h) Funds appropriated to the State Library in subsection (a) of this  
48 section, for Arts Inventory, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall  
49 continue to be available for expenditure for such purpose as follows:  
50 The sum of \$75,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending  
51 June 30, 2008.

52 (i) Funds appropriated to the Department of Higher Education in

53 subsection (a) of this section, for Other Expenses, shall not lapse on  
54 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for  
55 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$100,000 shall be available during  
56 the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008.

57 (j) Funds appropriated to the Teachers' Retirement Board in  
58 subsection (a) of this section, for Retirement Contributions, shall not  
59 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
60 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$90,000,000 shall  
61 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of  
62 \$210,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
63 2009.

64 (k) Funds appropriated to the Department of Transportation in  
65 subsection (a) of this section, for Bus Operations, shall not lapse on  
66 June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for expenditure for  
67 such purpose as follows: The sum of \$2,200,000 shall be available  
68 during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of \$2,294,500 shall  
69 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

70 (l) Funds appropriated to the Department of Transportation in  
71 subsection (a) of this section, for Town Aid Road Grants, shall not  
72 lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
73 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$8,000,000 shall  
74 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of  
75 \$8,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
76 2009.

77 [(m) Funds appropriated to the Debt Service-State Treasurer in  
78 subsection (a) of this section, for Supportive Housing Debt Service,  
79 shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
80 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$3,000,000 shall  
81 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.]

82 [(n)] (m) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations  
83 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for  
84 the Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes on State Property, shall

85 not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be available for  
86 expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of \$6,999,929 shall  
87 be available during the fiscal year ending June 30, 2008; the sum of  
88 \$6,999,929 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
89 2009.

90 [(o)] (n) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations  
91 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for  
92 Grants to Towns, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to  
93 be available for expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of  
94 \$6,748,519 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
95 2008; the sum of \$6,748,519 shall be available during the fiscal year  
96 ending June 30, 2009.

97 [(p)] (o) Funds appropriated to the Miscellaneous Appropriations  
98 Administered by the Comptroller in subsection (a) of this section, for  
99 the Reimbursement to Towns for Loss of Taxes on Private Tax-Exempt  
100 Property, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be  
101 available for expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of  
102 \$6,998,519 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
103 2008; the sum of \$6,998,519 shall be available during the fiscal year  
104 ending June 30, 2009.

105 [(q)] (p) Funds appropriated to the State Comptroller - Fringe  
106 Benefits in subsection (a) of this section, for State Employee Health  
107 Service Cost, shall not lapse on June 30, 2007, and shall continue to be  
108 available for expenditure for such purpose as follows: The sum of  
109 \$4,000,000 shall be available during the fiscal year ending June 30,  
110 2009."

111 Strike section 4 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu  
112 thereof:

113 "Sec. 4. (*Effective from passage*) The amounts appropriated to the  
114 following agencies in section 11 of public act 07-1 of the June special  
115 session, as amended by section 68 of public act 07-5 of the June special  
116 session and section 3 of public act 08-1 of the November 24 special

117 session, are reduced by the following amounts for the fiscal year  
 118 ending June 30, 2009:

T176	GENERAL FUND	
T177		\$
T178	LEGISLATIVE MANAGEMENT	
T179	Personal Services	1,000,000
T180	Other Expenses	500,000
T181		
T182	AUDITORS OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS	
T183	Personal Services	1,000,000
T184	Other Expenses	39,050
T185	Equipment	5,000
T186		
T187	ELECTIONS ENFORCEMENT COMMISSION	
T188	Personal Services	50,000
T189		
T190	OFFICE OF STATE ETHICS	
T191	Personal Services	50,000
T192	Information Technology Initiatives	150,000
T193		
T194	FREEDOM OF INFORMATION COMMISSION	
T195	Personal Services	50,000
T196		
T197	JUDICIAL SELECTION COMMISSION	
T198	Personal Services	5,000
T199		
T200	OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT	
T201	Personal Services	100,000
T202	Other Expenses	25,000
T203	Automated Budget System and Data Base Link	20,000
T204	Justice Assistance Grants	100,000
T205	Office of Property Rights Ombudsman	50,000
T206	Distressed Municipalities	491,000
T207		
T208	STATE MARSHAL COMMISSION	
T209	Other Expenses	15,000
T210		
T211	DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT	
T212	AND HOMELAND SECURITY	
T213	Personal Services	75,000
T214		

T215	COMMISSION ON CULTURE AND TOURISM	
T216	State-Wide Marketing	350,000
T217		
T218	DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC	
T219	AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT	
T220	Small Business Incubator Program	600,000
T221	CCAT - CT Manufacturing Supply Chain	750,000
T222		
T223	DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES	
T224	Medicaid	2,250,000
T225		
T226	STATE DEPARTMENT ON AGING	
T227	Personal Services	314,212
T228	Other Expenses	115,234
T229	Equipment	950
T230		
T231	JUDICIAL DEPARTMENT	
T232	Personal Services	1,414,960
T233	Equipment	600,000
T234	Youthful Offender Services	750,000
T235		
T236	TOTAL - GENERAL FUND	10,820,406"

119 In line 140, strike "7,500,000" and substitute "17,900,000" in lieu  
 120 thereof

121 In line 145, strike "6,000,000" and substitute "12,000,000" in lieu  
 122 thereof

123 In line 150, strike "3,000,000" and substitute "6,000,000" in lieu  
 124 thereof

125 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
 126 internal references accordingly:

127 "Sec. 501. Subsection (b) of section 17b-28e of the general statutes is  
 128 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
 129 *passage*):

130 (b) [The] On or before July 1, 2011, the Commissioner of Social

131 Services shall [amend the Medicaid state plan to include] provide  
132 foreign language interpreter services [provided] to any beneficiary  
133 with limited English proficiency [as a covered service] under the  
134 Medicaid program.

135 Sec. 502. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 15-155 of  
136 the general statutes, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, the sum of  
137 \$3,000,000 shall be transferred from the boating account of the  
138 Conservation Fund and credited to the resources of the General Fund.

139 Sec. 503. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of  
140 section 2-71x of the general statutes, for the fiscal year ending June 30,  
141 2009, the Comptroller shall segregate \$2,000,000 of the amount of the  
142 funds received by the state from the tax imposed under chapter 211 of  
143 the general statutes on public service companies providing community  
144 antenna television service in this state. No other funds received by the  
145 state from said tax may be segregated for such purpose. Such moneys  
146 segregated by the Comptroller shall be deposited with the Treasurer  
147 and made available to the Office of Legislative Management to defray  
148 the cost of providing the citizens of this state with Connecticut  
149 Television Network coverage of state government deliberations and  
150 public policy events.

151 Sec. 504. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding section 16-245n of  
152 the general statutes, the sum of \$10,000,000 shall be transferred from  
153 the Renewable Energy Investment Fund and credited to the resources  
154 of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

155 Sec. 505. Subsection (e) of section 7-34a of the general statutes is  
156 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
157 *passage*):

158 (e) In addition to the fees for recording a document under  
159 subsection (a) of this section, town clerks shall receive a fee of thirty  
160 dollars for each document recorded in the land records of the  
161 municipality. The town clerk shall retain one dollar of any fee paid  
162 pursuant to this subsection and three dollars of such fee shall become

163 part of the general revenue of the municipality and be used to pay for  
164 local capital improvement projects, as defined in section 7-536. Not  
165 later than the fifteenth day of each month, town clerks shall remit  
166 twenty-six dollars of the fees paid pursuant to this subsection during  
167 the previous calendar month to the State Treasurer. Upon deposit in  
168 the General Fund, such amount shall be credited to the land  
169 protection, affordable housing and historic preservation account  
170 established pursuant to section 4-66aa, as amended by this act; except  
171 that on and after January 1, 2009, but not later than June 30, 2009, all  
172 amounts remitted to the state by municipalities pursuant to this  
173 subsection shall be credited to the General Fund. The provisions of this  
174 subsection shall not apply to any document recorded on the land  
175 records by an employee of the state or of a municipality in conjunction  
176 with such employee's official duties. As used in this subsection,  
177 "municipality" includes each town, consolidated town and city, city,  
178 consolidated town and borough, borough, and district, as defined in  
179 chapter 105 or 105a, any municipal corporation or department thereof  
180 created by a special act of the General Assembly, and each municipal  
181 board, commission and taxing district not previously mentioned.

182 Sec. 506. Section 4-66aa of the general statutes is repealed and the  
183 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

184 There is established, within the General Fund, a separate,  
185 nonlapsing account to be known as the "land protection, affordable  
186 housing and historic preservation account". The account shall contain  
187 any moneys required by law to be deposited in the account. The funds  
188 in the account shall be distributed every three months as follows: (1)  
189 Twenty-five per cent to the Connecticut Commission on Culture and  
190 Tourism to use as follows: (A) Two hundred thousand dollars,  
191 annually, to supplement the technical assistance and preservation  
192 activities of the Connecticut Trust for Historic Preservation,  
193 established pursuant to special act 75-93, and (B) the remainder to  
194 supplement historic preservation activities as provided in sections 10-  
195 409 to 10-415, inclusive; (2) twenty-five per cent to the Connecticut  
196 Housing Finance Authority to supplement new or existing affordable

197 housing programs; (3) twenty-five per cent to the Department of  
198 Environmental Protection for municipal open space grants; and (4)  
199 twenty-five per cent to the Department of Agriculture to use as  
200 follows: (A) Five hundred thousand dollars annually for the  
201 agricultural viability grant program established pursuant to section 22-  
202 26j; (B) five hundred thousand dollars, annually for the farm transition  
203 program established pursuant to section 22-26k; (C) one hundred  
204 thousand dollars annually to encourage the sale of Connecticut Grown  
205 food to schools, restaurants, retailers, and other institutions and  
206 businesses in the state; (D) seventy-five thousand dollars annually for  
207 the Connecticut farm link program established pursuant to section 22-  
208 26l; and (E) the remainder for farmland preservation programs  
209 pursuant to chapter 422. Each agency receiving funds under this  
210 section may use not more than ten per cent of such funds for  
211 administration of the programs for which the funds were provided,  
212 except that such agencies may use funds received prior to January 1,  
213 2009, to pay for administrative costs incurred on or before June 30,  
214 2009.

215       Sec. 507. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of  
216 section 19a-73b of the general statutes, the sum of \$1,000,000 shall be  
217 transferred from the Connecticut Cancer Partnership Account and  
218 credited to the resources of the General Fund for the fiscal year ending  
219 June 30, 2009.

220       Sec. 508. (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions of  
221 section 16-245m of the general statutes, the Department of Public  
222 Utility Control shall authorize the disbursement of a total of one  
223 million dollars in each month, commencing with February, 2009, and  
224 ending with July, 2009, from the Energy Conservation and Load  
225 Management Funds established pursuant to said section. The amount  
226 disbursed from each Energy Conservation and Load Management  
227 Fund shall be proportionately based on the receipts received by each  
228 fund. Such disbursements shall be credited to the resources of the  
229 General Fund for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009.

230 Sec. 509. Subsection (a) of section 16-245l of the general statutes is  
231 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
232 *January 1, 2009*):

233 (a) The Department of Public Utility Control shall establish and each  
234 electric distribution company shall collect a systems benefits charge to  
235 be imposed against all end use customers of each electric distribution  
236 company beginning January 1, 2000, except that such charge shall not  
237 be imposed against the state. The department shall hold a hearing that  
238 shall be conducted as a contested case in accordance with chapter 54 to  
239 establish the amount of the systems benefits charge. The department  
240 may revise the systems benefits charge or any element of said charge  
241 as the need arises. The systems benefits charge shall be used to fund (1)  
242 the expenses of the public education outreach program developed  
243 under subsections (a), (f) and (g) of section 16-244d other than  
244 expenses for department staff, (2) the reasonable and proper expenses  
245 of the education outreach consultant pursuant to subsection (d) of  
246 section 16-244d, (3) the cost of hardship protection measures under  
247 sections 16-262c and 16-262d and other hardship protections,  
248 including, but not limited to, electric service bill payment programs,  
249 funding and technical support for energy assistance, fuel bank and  
250 weatherization programs and weatherization services, (4) the payment  
251 program to offset tax losses described in section 12-94d, (5) any sums  
252 paid to a resource recovery authority pursuant to subsection (b) of  
253 section 16-243e, (6) low income conservation programs approved by  
254 the Department of Public Utility Control, (7) displaced worker  
255 protection costs, (8) unfunded storage and disposal costs for spent  
256 nuclear fuel generated before January 1, 2000, approved by the  
257 appropriate regulatory agencies, (9) postretirement safe shutdown and  
258 site protection costs that are incurred in preparation for  
259 decommissioning, (10) decommissioning fund contributions, (11) the  
260 costs of temporary electric generation facilities incurred pursuant to  
261 section 16-19ss, (12) operating expenses for the Connecticut Energy  
262 Advisory Board, (13) costs associated with the Connecticut electric  
263 efficiency partner program established pursuant to section 16-243v,

264 (14) reinvestments and investments in energy efficiency programs and  
265 technologies pursuant to section 16a-38l, costs associated with the  
266 electricity conservation incentive program established pursuant to  
267 section 119 of public act 07-242\*, and (15) legal, appraisal and purchase  
268 costs of a conservation or land use restriction and other related costs as  
269 the department in its discretion deems appropriate, incurred by a  
270 municipality on or before January 1, 2000, to ensure the environmental,  
271 recreational and scenic preservation of any reservoir located within  
272 this state created by a pump storage hydroelectric generating facility.  
273 As used in this subsection, "displaced worker protection costs" means  
274 the reasonable costs incurred, prior to January 1, 2008, (A) by an  
275 electric supplier, exempt wholesale generator, electric company, an  
276 operator of a nuclear power generating facility in this state or a  
277 generation entity or affiliate arising from the dislocation of any  
278 employee other than an officer, provided such dislocation is a result of  
279 (i) restructuring of the electric generation market and such dislocation  
280 occurs on or after July 1, 1998, or (ii) the closing of a Title IV source or  
281 an exempt wholesale generator, as defined in 15 USC 79z-5a, on or  
282 after January 1, 2004, as a result of such source's failure to meet  
283 requirements imposed as a result of sections 22a-197 and 22a-198 and  
284 this section or those Regulations of Connecticut State Agencies  
285 adopted by the Department of Environmental Protection, as amended  
286 from time to time, in accordance with Executive Order Number 19,  
287 issued on May 17, 2000, and provided further such costs result from  
288 either the execution of agreements reached through collective  
289 bargaining for union employees or from the company's or entity's or  
290 affiliate's programs and policies for nonunion employees, and (B) by  
291 an electric distribution company or an exempt wholesale generator  
292 arising from the retraining of a former employee of an unaffiliated  
293 exempt wholesale generator, which employee was involuntarily  
294 dislocated on or after January 1, 2004, from such wholesale generator,  
295 except for cause. "Displaced worker protection costs" includes costs  
296 incurred or projected for severance, retraining, early retirement,  
297 outplacement, coverage for surviving spouse insurance benefits and  
298 related expenses. "Displaced worker protection costs" does not include

299 those costs included in determining a tax credit pursuant to section 12-  
300 217bb.

301 Sec. 510. Section 9-705 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
302 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective February 1, 2009, and*  
303 *applicable to elections held on or after said date*):

304 (a) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
305 for the office of Governor who has a primary for nomination to said  
306 office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the Citizens' Election  
307 Fund for the primary campaign in the amount of [one million two  
308 hundred fifty] six hundred twenty-five thousand dollars, provided, in  
309 the case of a primary held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be  
310 adjusted under subsection (d) of this section.

311 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a candidate for the office of  
312 Governor who has been nominated, or who has qualified to appear on  
313 the election ballot in accordance with the provisions of subpart C of  
314 part III of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund  
315 for the general election campaign in the amount of [three million] one  
316 million five hundred thousand dollars, provided in the case of an  
317 election held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted  
318 under subsection (d) of this section.

319 (b) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
320 for the office of Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, State  
321 Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State Treasurer who has a  
322 primary for nomination to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant  
323 from the fund for the primary campaign in the amount of [three  
324 hundred seventy-five thousand] one hundred eighty-seven thousand  
325 five hundred dollars, provided, in the case of a primary held in 2014,  
326 or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of  
327 this section.

328 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a candidate for the office of  
329 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
330 Treasurer who has been nominated, or who has qualified to appear on

331 the election ballot in accordance with the provisions of subpart C of  
332 part III of chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund  
333 for the general election campaign in the amount of [seven hundred  
334 fifty] three hundred seventy-five thousand dollars, provided in the  
335 case of an election held in 2014, or thereafter, said amount shall be  
336 adjusted under subsection (d) of this section.

337 (c) (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of  
338 this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible minor  
339 party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,  
340 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
341 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
342 general election campaign if the candidate of the same minor party for  
343 the same office at the last preceding regular election received at least  
344 ten per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
345 said office at said election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third  
346 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
347 (a) or (b) of this section for a candidate for the same office, provided  
348 (A) if the candidate of the same minor party for the same office at the  
349 last preceding regular election received at least fifteen per cent of the  
350 whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said office at said  
351 election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds of the amount of  
352 the general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this  
353 section for a candidate for the same office, (B) if the candidate of the  
354 same minor party for the same office at the last preceding regular  
355 election received at least twenty per cent of the whole number of votes  
356 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the amount of the  
357 grant shall be the same as the amount of the general election campaign  
358 grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a candidate for the  
359 same office, and (C) in the case of an election held in 2014, or  
360 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (d) of this  
361 section.

362 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this  
363 section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
364 party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,

365 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
366 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
367 general election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition has  
368 been signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten per  
369 cent of the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last  
370 preceding regular election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third  
371 of the amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection  
372 (a) or (b) of this section for a candidate for the same office, provided  
373 (A) if said candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a  
374 number of qualified electors equal to at least fifteen per cent of the  
375 whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding  
376 regular election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds of the  
377 amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection (a) or  
378 (b) of this section for a candidate for the same office, (B) if said  
379 candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a number of  
380 qualified electors equal to at least twenty per cent of the whole number  
381 of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding regular election,  
382 the amount of the grant shall be the same as the amount of the general  
383 election campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a  
384 candidate for the same office, and (C) in the case of an election held in  
385 2014, or thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (d)  
386 of this section.

387 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this  
388 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
389 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
390 minor party candidate for the office of Governor, Lieutenant Governor,  
391 Attorney General, State Comptroller, Secretary of the State or State  
392 Treasurer shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from the  
393 fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate  
394 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general  
395 election, pursuant to section 9-608, and such candidate received a  
396 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
397 said office at said election than the per cent of votes utilized by such  
398 candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant described in

399 subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of such  
400 supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

401 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten  
402 per cent, but not more than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of  
403 votes cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant  
404 shall be the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the  
405 difference between the percentage of such whole number of votes  
406 received by such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is  
407 ten, and (ii) two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign  
408 grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party  
409 candidate for the same office.

410 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen  
411 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes  
412 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
413 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
414 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
415 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and  
416 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant  
417 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate  
418 for the same office.

419 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any  
420 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall  
421 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election  
422 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major  
423 party candidate for the same office.

424 (d) For elections held in 2014, and thereafter, the amount of the  
425 grants in subsections (a), (b) and (c) of this section shall be adjusted by  
426 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,  
427 2014, and quadrennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in  
428 the consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the  
429 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during  
430 the period beginning on January 1, 2010, and ending on December

431 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is  
432 to be made.

433 (e) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
434 for the office of state senator who has a primary for nomination to said  
435 office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the primary  
436 campaign in the amount of [thirty-five thousand] seventeen thousand  
437 five hundred dollars, provided (A) if the percentage of the electors in  
438 the district served by said office who are enrolled in said major party  
439 exceeds the percentage of the electors in said district who are enrolled  
440 in another major party by at least twenty percentage points, the  
441 amount of said grant shall be [seventy-five thousand] thirty-seven  
442 thousand five hundred dollars, and (B) in the case of a primary held in  
443 2010, or thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h)  
444 of this section. For the purposes of subparagraph (A) of this  
445 subdivision, the number of enrolled members of a major party and the  
446 number of electors in a district shall be determined by the latest  
447 enrollment and voter registration records in the office of the Secretary  
448 of the State submitted in accordance with the provisions of section 9-  
449 65. The names of electors on the inactive registry list compiled under  
450 section 9-35 shall not be counted for such purposes.

451 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a candidate for the office of  
452 state senator who has been nominated, or has qualified to appear on  
453 the election ballot in accordance with subpart C of part III of chapter  
454 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the general  
455 election campaign in the amount of [eighty-five thousand] forty-two  
456 thousand five hundred dollars, provided in the case of an election held  
457 in 2010, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted under subsection  
458 (h) of this section.

459 (f) (1) The qualified candidate committee of a major party candidate  
460 for the office of state representative who has a primary for nomination  
461 to said office shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
462 primary campaign in the amount of [ten] five thousand dollars,  
463 provided (A) if the percentage of the electors in the district served by

464 said office who are enrolled in said major party exceeds the percentage  
465 of the electors in said district who are enrolled in another major party  
466 by at least twenty percentage points, the amount of said grant shall be  
467 [twenty-five thousand] twelve thousand five hundred dollars, and (B)  
468 in the case of a primary held in 2010, or thereafter, said amounts shall  
469 be adjusted under subsection (h) of this section. For the purposes of  
470 subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, the number of enrolled members  
471 of a major party and the number of electors in a district shall be  
472 determined by the latest enrollment and voter registration records in  
473 the office of the Secretary of the State submitted in accordance with the  
474 provisions of section 9-65. The names of electors on the inactive  
475 registry list compiled under section 9-35 shall not be counted for such  
476 purposes.

477 (2) The qualified candidate committee of a candidate for the office of  
478 state representative who has been nominated, or has qualified to  
479 appear on the election ballot in accordance with subpart C of part III of  
480 chapter 153, shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the  
481 general election campaign in the amount of [twenty-five thousand]  
482 twelve thousand five hundred dollars, provided in the case of an  
483 election held in 2010, or thereafter, said amount shall be adjusted  
484 under subsection (h) of this section.

485 (g) (1) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) of  
486 this section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible minor  
487 party candidate for the office of state senator or state representative  
488 shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the general  
489 election campaign if the candidate of the same minor party for the  
490 same office at the last preceding regular election received at least ten  
491 per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said  
492 office at said election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third of the  
493 amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or  
494 (f) of this section for a candidate for the same office, provided (A) if the  
495 candidate of the same minor party for the same office at the last  
496 preceding regular election received at least fifteen per cent of the  
497 whole number of votes cast for all candidates for said office at said

498 election, the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds of the amount of  
499 the general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this  
500 section for a candidate for the same office, (B) if the candidate of the  
501 same minor party for the same office at the last preceding regular  
502 election received at least twenty per cent of the whole number of votes  
503 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the amount of the  
504 grant shall be the same as the amount of the general election campaign  
505 grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a candidate for the  
506 same office, and (C) in the case of an election held in 2010, or  
507 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this  
508 section.

509 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) of this  
510 section, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
511 party candidate for the office of state senator or state representative  
512 shall be eligible to receive a grant from the fund for the general  
513 election campaign if said candidate's nominating petition has been  
514 signed by a number of qualified electors equal to at least ten per cent of  
515 the whole number of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding  
516 regular election. The amount of the grant shall be one-third of the  
517 amount of the general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or  
518 (f) of this section for a candidate for the same office, provided (A) if  
519 said candidate's nominating petition has been signed by a number of  
520 qualified electors equal to at least fifteen per cent of the whole number  
521 of votes cast for the same office at the last preceding regular election,  
522 the amount of the grant shall be two-thirds of the amount of the  
523 general election campaign grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this  
524 section for a candidate for the same office, (B) if said candidate's  
525 nominating petition has been signed by a number of qualified electors  
526 equal to at least twenty per cent of the whole number of votes cast for  
527 the same office at the last preceding regular election, the amount of the  
528 grant shall be the same as the amount of the general election campaign  
529 grant under subsection (e) or (f) of this section for a candidate for the  
530 same office, and (C) in the case of an election held in 2010, or  
531 thereafter, said amounts shall be adjusted under subsection (h) of this

532 section.

533 (3) In addition to the provisions of subdivisions (1) and (2) of this  
534 subsection, the qualified candidate committee of an eligible petitioning  
535 party candidate and the qualified candidate committee of an eligible  
536 minor party candidate for the office of state senator or state  
537 representative shall be eligible to receive a supplemental grant from  
538 the fund after the general election if the treasurer of such candidate  
539 committee reports a deficit in the first statement filed after the general  
540 election, pursuant to section 9-608, and such candidate received a  
541 greater per cent of the whole number of votes cast for all candidates for  
542 said office at said election than the per cent of votes utilized by such  
543 candidate to obtain a general election campaign grant described in  
544 subdivision (1) or (2) of this subsection. The amount of such  
545 supplemental grant shall be calculated as follows:

546 (A) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than ten  
547 per cent, but less than fifteen per cent, of the whole number of votes  
548 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
549 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
550 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
551 such candidate and ten per cent and the denominator is ten, and (ii)  
552 two-thirds of the amount of the general election campaign grant under  
553 subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate for the  
554 same office.

555 (B) In the case of any such candidate who receives more than fifteen  
556 per cent, but less than twenty per cent, of the whole number of votes  
557 cast for all candidates for said office at said election, the grant shall be  
558 the product of (i) a fraction in which the numerator is the difference  
559 between the percentage of such whole number of votes received by  
560 such candidate and fifteen per cent and the denominator is five, and  
561 (ii) one-third of the amount of the general election campaign grant  
562 under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major party candidate  
563 for the same office.

564 (C) The sum of the general election campaign grant received by any  
565 such candidate and a supplemental grant under this subdivision shall  
566 not exceed one hundred per cent of the amount of the general election  
567 campaign grant under subsection (a) or (b) of this section for a major  
568 party candidate for the same office.

569 (h) For elections held in 2010, and thereafter, the amount of the  
570 grants in subsections (e), (f) and (g) of this section shall be adjusted by  
571 the State Elections Enforcement Commission not later than January 15,  
572 2010, and biennially thereafter, in accordance with any change in the  
573 consumer price index for all urban consumers as published by the  
574 United States Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, during  
575 the period beginning on January 1, 2008, and ending on December  
576 thirty-first in the year preceding the year in which said adjustment is  
577 to be made.

578 (i) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (e), (f) and (g) of  
579 this section, in the case of a special election for the office of state  
580 senator or state representative, the amount of the grant for a general  
581 election campaign shall be seventy-five per cent of the amount  
582 authorized under the applicable said subsection (e), (f) or (g).

583 (j) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsections (a) to (i), inclusive,  
584 of this section:

585 (1) The initial grant that a qualified candidate committee for a  
586 candidate is eligible to receive under subsections (a) to (i), inclusive, of  
587 this section shall be reduced by the amount of any personal funds that  
588 the candidate provides for the candidate's campaign for nomination or  
589 election pursuant to subsection (c) of section 9-710;

590 (2) If a participating candidate is nominated at a primary and does  
591 not expend the entire grant for the primary campaign authorized  
592 under subsection (a), (b), (e) or (f) of this section or all moneys that  
593 may be received for the primary campaign under section 9-713 or 9-  
594 714, the amount of the grant for the general election campaign shall be  
595 reduced by the total amount of any such unexpended primary

596 campaign grant and moneys;

597 (3) If a participating candidate who is nominated for election does  
598 not have any opponent in the general election campaign, the amount  
599 of the general election campaign grant for which the qualified  
600 candidate committee for said candidate shall be eligible shall be thirty  
601 per cent of the applicable amount set forth in subsections (a) to (i),  
602 inclusive; and

603 (4) If the only opponent or opponents of a participating candidate  
604 who is nominated for election to an office are eligible minor party  
605 candidates or eligible petitioning party candidates and no such eligible  
606 minor party candidate's or eligible petitioning party candidate's  
607 candidate committee has received a total amount of contributions of  
608 any type that is equal to or greater than the amount of the qualifying  
609 contributions that a candidate for such office is required to receive  
610 under section 9-704 to be eligible for grants from the Citizens' Election  
611 Fund, the amount of the general election campaign grant for such  
612 participating candidate shall be sixty per cent of the applicable amount  
613 set forth in this section.

614 Sec. 511. Section 3-69a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
615 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

616 (a) (1) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2005, the funds received  
617 under this part, excluding the proceeds from the sale of property  
618 deposited in the Special Abandoned Property Fund in accordance with  
619 section 3-62h, shall be deposited in the General Fund.

620 (2) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2006, and each fiscal year  
621 thereafter, a portion of the funds received under this part shall, upon  
622 deposit in the General Fund, be credited to the Citizens' Election Fund  
623 established in section 9-701 as follows: (A) For the fiscal year ending  
624 June 30, 2006, seventeen million dollars, (B) for the fiscal year ending  
625 June 30, 2007, sixteen million dollars, (C) for the fiscal year ending June  
626 30, 2008, seventeen million three hundred thousand dollars, and (D)  
627 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2009, and each fiscal year thereafter,

628 [the amount deposited for the preceding fiscal year] nine million eight  
629 hundred thousand dollars, adjusted in accordance with any change in  
630 the consumer price index for all urban consumers for [such] the  
631 preceding fiscal year, as published by the United States Department of  
632 Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics. The State Treasurer shall determine  
633 such adjusted amount not later than thirty days after the end of such  
634 preceding fiscal year.

635 (b) All costs incurred in the administration of this part, except as  
636 provided in section 3-62h and subsection (a) of this section, and all  
637 claims allowed under this part shall be paid from the General Fund.

638 Sec. 512. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) No state agency shall enter  
639 into any agreement for the provision of printing or binding services  
640 unless such printing or binding service is required in connection with  
641 the performance of a duty established pursuant to the general statutes.

642 Sec. 513. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) No state agency shall enter  
643 into any agreement for the provision of any advertising-related service  
644 unless such advertising-related service is required in connection with  
645 the performance of a duty established pursuant to the general statutes.

646 Sec. 514. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding any  
647 provision of the general statutes, the Commissioner of Administrative  
648 Services shall not enter into or renew any service contract for electronic  
649 beepers or pagers for use by any state employee or public official."