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"AN ACT AMENDING REGULATIONS FOR PORTABLE ELECTRIC SPAS AND CERTAIN OTHER PRODUCTS."

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

3 "Sec. 501. Subdivision (3) of subsection (d) of section 16a-48 of the
4 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu
5 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

6 (3) (A) The office, in consultation with the Department of Public
7 Utility Control, shall adopt regulations, in accordance with the
8 provisions of chapter 54, to designate additional products to be subject
9 to the provisions of this section and to establish efficiency standards
10 for such products upon a determination that such efficiency standards
11 [(A)] (i) would serve to promote energy conservation in the state, [(B)]
12 (ii) would be cost-effective for consumers who purchase and use such
13 new products, and [(C)] (iii) that multiple products are available which
14 meet such standards, provided no such efficiency standards shall
15 become effective within one year following their adoption pursuant to

16 this subdivision.

17 (B) The office, in collaboration with the Multi-State Appliance
18 Standards Collaborative, shall identify additional appliance efficiency
19 standards. Not later than six months after identifying an efficiency
20 standard of a member state of such collaborative for a product for
21 which no equivalent Connecticut or federal standard exists, the office
22 shall determine whether the standard meets the criteria of
23 subparagraph (A) of this subdivision and shall report to the joint
24 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of
25 matters relating to energy regarding such standard."