



General Assembly

**Substitute Bill No. 5325**

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**AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELECTRONIC SUBMISSION OF REPORTS.**

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

1 Section 1. Section 11-4a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2010*):

3 Each commission, task force or committee appointed by the  
4 Governor or the General Assembly, or both, and required to report its  
5 findings and recommendations, and each state agency which submits a  
6 report to the General Assembly or any committee of the General  
7 Assembly, shall submit its report electronically to the clerks of the  
8 Senate and the House of Representatives, [and shall file with the State  
9 Librarian as many copies of such report as the commission, task force,  
10 committee or agency and the librarian jointly deem appropriate, and  
11 one copy with] the State Librarian and the Office of Legislative  
12 Research.

13 Sec. 2. Section 2-110 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
14 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2010*):

15 (a) There is established a Commission on Innovation and  
16 Productivity for State Government. The commission shall be composed  
17 as follows: The chairpersons of the Legislative Program Review and  
18 Investigations Committee, the chairpersons and ranking members of

19 the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having  
20 cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of  
21 state agencies and government administration, the Secretary of the  
22 Office of Policy and Management and the Commissioner of  
23 Administrative Services; ten persons appointed by the Governor, two  
24 of whom shall represent the State Employees' Bargaining Agent  
25 Coalition (SEBAC), two of whom shall represent the business  
26 community and two of whom shall represent the State Managers  
27 Association of Connecticut; and six members appointed as follows:  
28 One appointed by the president pro tempore of the Senate, one  
29 appointed by the majority leader of the Senate, one appointed by the  
30 minority leader of the Senate, one appointed by the speaker of the  
31 House of Representatives, one appointed by the majority leader of the  
32 House of Representatives and one appointed by the minority leader of  
33 the House of Representatives. Appointments by legislative leaders  
34 may be public members or legislators. The Governor shall appoint a  
35 cochairperson who is not a legislator from among the members  
36 appointed by him. The other cochairperson shall be a legislator elected  
37 by the legislative members of the commission at its first meeting. All  
38 appointments shall be made on or before July 15, 1993. The  
39 cochairperson appointed by the Governor shall convene the first  
40 meeting on or before July 31, 1993.

41 (b) The commission shall recommend innovations for the  
42 improvements of cost-effectiveness and efficiency in state government.  
43 It shall examine ways to increase state government productivity,  
44 reduce costs and provide the highest quality services. The commission  
45 shall report its findings and recommended innovations to the  
46 Governor and the General Assembly not later than February 1, 1994,  
47 and annually thereafter, in accordance with the provisions of section  
48 11-4a, as amended by this act. The innovations shall include  
49 recommendations for the reduction of expenditures of at least ten  
50 million dollars for each of the two fiscal years succeeding the fiscal  
51 year in progress. On and after October 1, 1996, the report shall be  
52 submitted to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly

53 having cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and budgets of  
54 state agencies and government administration and, upon request, to  
55 any member of the General Assembly. A summary of the report shall  
56 be electronically submitted to each member of the General Assembly if  
57 the summary is two pages or less and a notification of the report shall  
58 be electronically submitted to each member if the summary is more  
59 than two pages. Submission shall be by [mailing] electronically  
60 sending the report, summary or notification to [the legislative address  
61 of] each member of the committees or the General Assembly, as  
62 applicable.

63 Sec. 3. Subsection (b) of section 17b-369 of the 2010 supplement to  
64 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
65 thereof (*Effective July 1, 2010*):

66 (b) (1) The Commissioner of Social Services shall submit, in  
67 accordance with this subdivision, a copy of any report on the Money  
68 Follows the Person demonstration project that the commissioner is  
69 required to submit to the Secretary of Health and Human Services and  
70 that pertains to (A) the status of the implementation of the Money  
71 Follows the Person demonstration project, (B) the anticipated date that  
72 the first eligible person or persons will be transitioned into the  
73 community, or (C) information concerning when and how the  
74 Department of Social Services will transition additional eligible  
75 persons into the community. The commissioner shall submit any such  
76 [copy] report to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly  
77 having cognizance of matters relating to human services and to the  
78 select committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
79 matters relating to aging, in accordance with the provisions of section  
80 11-4a, as amended by this act. Copies of reports prepared prior to  
81 October 1, 2009, shall be submitted by said date and [copies of] reports  
82 prepared thereafter shall be submitted semiannually.

83 (2) After October 1, 2009, if the commissioner has not prepared any  
84 new reports for submission to the Secretary of Health and Human  
85 Services for any six-month submission period under subdivision (1) of

86 this subsection, the commissioner shall prepare and submit a written  
87 report in accordance with this subdivision to the joint standing  
88 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters  
89 relating to human services and to the select committee of the General  
90 Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to aging, in  
91 accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a, as amended by this  
92 act. Such report shall include (A) the status of the implementation of  
93 the Money Follows the Person demonstration project, (B) the  
94 anticipated date that the first eligible person or persons will be  
95 transitioned into the community, and (C) information concerning  
96 when and how the Department of Social Services will transition  
97 additional eligible persons into the community.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2010</i>	11-4a
Sec. 2	<i>July 1, 2010</i>	2-110
Sec. 3	<i>July 1, 2010</i>	17b-369(b)

**GAE**      *Joint Favorable Subst.*

**ED**        *Joint Favorable*