



General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Public Safety and Security

Introduced by:  
(PS)

**AN ACT CONCERNING CONSTABLES AND THE CONNECTICUT STATE POLICE RESIDENT TROOPER PROGRAM.**

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

1 Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) In the event of any conflict  
2 between (1) the provisions of the Connecticut Resident Trooper  
3 Administration and Operations Manual of the Department of Public  
4 Safety, where said manual has been signed by a constable who is  
5 under the supervision of the Division of State Police within the  
6 Department of Public Safety, and (2) the provisions of a collective  
7 bargaining agreement between the collective bargaining unit such  
8 constable is a part of and a town, such collective bargaining agreement  
9 shall take precedence.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section

**Statement of Purpose:**

To clarify that in the event of a conflict between a certain manual of the Department of Public Safety and a collective bargaining agreement

that a constable is party to, such collective bargaining agreement shall take precedence.

*[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]*