



General Assembly

**Proposed Substitute
Bill No. 5543**

February Session, 2012

LCO No. 2815

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION AND EXPANSION OF
MUNICIPAL UTILITIES.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) The Public Utilities Regulatory
2 Authority shall initiate a docket to examine the procedures for creating
3 and expanding municipal electric utilities. On or before January 1,
4 2013, the authority shall submit a report, in accordance with the
5 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing
6 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters
7 relating to energy identifying the findings of said docket. Said report
8 shall identify (1) all procedures necessary for a municipality to
9 establish or expand a municipal electric utility, and (2) any statutory
10 changes necessary to enable a municipality to implement or initiate
11 such procedures.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
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