



General Assembly

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**Raised Bill No. 265**

LCO No. 1429

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Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by:  
(ENV)

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE TAXATION OF REFUSE EXPORTED FROM CONNECTICUT.**

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 22a-232 of the general statutes is  
2 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from*  
3 *passage*):

4 (a) (1) There shall be paid to the Commissioner of Revenue Services  
5 by the owner of any resources recovery facility one dollar per ton of  
6 solid waste processed at the facility beginning on the date of  
7 commencement of commercial operation of the facility for calendar  
8 quarters commencing on or after October 1, 1987, until September 30,  
9 2003. For calendar quarters commencing on and after October 1, 2003,  
10 the owner of any resources recovery facility shall pay to the  
11 Commissioner of Revenue Services one dollar and fifty cents per ton of  
12 solid waste processed at such facility.

13 (2) For calendar quarters commencing on and after October 1, 2013,  
14 the Commissioner of Revenue Services, in consultation with the  
15 Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection, shall

16 implement and collect an assessment of one dollar and fifty cents per  
17 ton of solid waste that is generated in this state and exported to any  
18 other state for processing. The Commissioner of Revenue Services, in  
19 consultation with the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental  
20 Protection, shall determine the portion of such assessment to be paid  
21 by any solid waste facility, collector, as defined in subsection (g) of  
22 section 22a-220a, municipality or any other person.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	22a-232(a)

**Statement of Purpose:**

To reduce the negative environmental effect of exporting solid waste and to provide fuel for in-state trash-to-energy facilities.

*[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.]*