



# House of Representatives

General Assembly

**File No. 484**

February Session, 2012

House Bill No. 5441

*House of Representatives, April 17, 2012*

The Committee on Appropriations reported through REP. WALKER of the 93rd Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the bill ought to pass.

## **AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES RELATED TO HIGHER EDUCATION.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective July 1, 2012*) Not later than January 1, 2013, the  
2 Board of Regents for Higher Education, the Office of Financial and  
3 Academic Affairs for Higher Education and the Board of Trustees for  
4 The University of Connecticut shall each submit a report, in  
5 accordance with section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint  
6 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
7 matters relating to appropriations. Said board of regents, said office  
8 and said board of trustees shall include in the report (1) an assessment  
9 of the effectiveness and benefits of the programs and services it  
10 administers or provides, and (2) an assignment of priority for the  
11 continued funding of such programs and services. In addition, said  
12 board of regents and said office shall include in the report an  
13 assessment of the effectiveness and benefits of any programs and  
14 services administered or provided by a constituent unit of the state

15 system of higher education for which said board or said office has  
16 oversight.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>July 1, 2012</i>	New section

**APP**      *Joint Favorable*

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***OFA Fiscal Note******State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None***Explanation***

The bill requires a review of certain expenditures by the Office of Fiscal Analysis and would not result in a fiscal impact.

***The Out Years******State Impact:*** None***Municipal Impact:*** None

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**OFA Bill Analysis**

**HB 5441**

***AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES FOR PROGRAMS AND SERVICES RELATED TO HIGHER EDUCATION.***

**SUMMARY:**

The bill requires the Office of Fiscal Analysis to review certain expenditures. The office must submit its findings to the Appropriations Committee on or before January 1, 2013.

EFFECTIVE DATE: July 1, 2012

**COMMITTEE ACTION**

Appropriations Committee

Joint Favorable

Yea 53    Nay 0    (04/03/2012)