



CCM 2012 Testimony

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The Connecticut Conference of Municipalities (CCM) is Connecticut's statewide association of towns and cities and the voice of local government - your partners in governing Connecticut. Our members represent over 90% of Connecticut's population. We appreciate the opportunity to testify on bills of interest to towns and cities.

S.B. 106, "An Act Concerning Employment of Private Detectives By Municipalities"

CCM supports this bill.

CCM appreciates that S.B. 106 would increase, from \$500 to \$2,000, the maximum amount for which municipalities may hire private detectives. However, we do not understand the rationale behind requiring municipalities to provide written notice to so many entities prior to hiring such detectives.

CCM is unaware of a statewide problem that would necessitate Section 1(a)(3) of this bill.

Thank you.

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If you have any questions, please contact Ron Thomas at rthomas@ccm-ct.org or (203) 498-3000.