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**Amendment**

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To: House Bill No. 6704

File No.

Cal. No. 692

(As Amended by House Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT CONCERNING EXPENDITURES AND REVENUE FOR  
THE BIENNIUM ENDING JUNE 30, 2015."**

1 After line T834, insert the following:

T1	"Achieve SEBAC 2011 Technology Initiatives	40,000,000	50,000,000
T2	Achieve SEBAC 2011 Employee Savings Initiative	90,000,000	90,000,000
T3	Achieve Remaining FY 2013 Missed SEBAC 2011 Savings	135,000,000	135,000,000"

2 Strike sections 72, 73 and 74 in their entirety and renumber the  
3 remaining sections and internal references accordingly

4 Strike section 76 in its entirety

5 After line 1822, add the following and reletter the remaining  
6 subsections accordingly:

7 "(e) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2014, the Comptroller shall  
8 transfer the sum of fourteen million eight hundred thousand dollars  
9 from the resources of the General Fund to the Special Transportation  
10 Fund.

11 Strike section 102 in its entirety

12 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
13 internal references accordingly:

14 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) On or before July 1, 2013,  
15 the chief information officer of the state shall establish a Joint Labor  
16 Management Information Technology Committee to consider, among  
17 other things, utilizing new technologies and reducing licensing  
18 procurement and consulting costs in state executive branch agencies to  
19 achieve the savings contemplated in the Revised SEBAC Agreement,  
20 approved by the General Assembly on August 22, 2011. Said  
21 committee shall be chaired by said chief information officer or said  
22 officer's designee.

23 (b) (1) The Comptroller shall implement a program for soliciting  
24 suggestions through electronic communications from state employees  
25 for the purpose of improving state government operations and  
26 decreasing state government expenses.

27 (2) The Comptroller shall implement an electronic mail campaign to  
28 notify state employees on a regular basis of the program implemented  
29 pursuant to subdivision (1) of this subsection.

30 (c) On or before July 1, 2013, the Commissioner of Administrative  
31 Services shall establish a Joint Labor Management Committee to  
32 consider, among other things: Improving the efficiency and  
33 effectiveness of state government, streamlining and flattening  
34 organizational structures to concentrate on service delivery, examining

35 and redressing barriers to the most efficient use of in-house resources  
36 to address agency and cross-agency needs, discouraging the use of  
37 outside contractors and consultants when internal capacity exists or  
38 can reasonably be developed, and making best efforts to ensure that  
39 vendors and service providers doing business with the state do so at  
40 reasonable rates of return, to achieve the savings contemplated in the  
41 Revised SEBAC Agreement, approved by the General Assembly on  
42 August 22, 2011. Said committee shall be chaired by said commissioner  
43 or said commissioner's designee.

44 Sec. 502. Subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of section 12-587 of the  
45 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
46 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

47 (b) (1) Except as otherwise provided in subdivision (2) of this  
48 subsection, any company which is engaged in the refining or  
49 distribution, or both, of petroleum products and which distributes  
50 such products in this state shall pay a quarterly tax on its gross  
51 earnings derived from the first sale of petroleum products within this  
52 state. Each company shall on or before the last day of the month next  
53 succeeding each quarterly period render to the commissioner a return  
54 on forms prescribed or furnished by the commissioner and signed by  
55 the person performing the duties of treasurer or an authorized agent or  
56 officer, including the amount of gross earnings derived from the first  
57 sale of petroleum products within this state for the quarterly period  
58 and such other facts as the commissioner may require for the purpose  
59 of making any computation required by this chapter. Except as  
60 otherwise provided in subdivision (3) of this subsection, the rate of tax  
61 shall be (A) five per cent with respect to calendar quarters prior to July  
62 1, 2005; (B) five and eight-tenths per cent with respect to calendar  
63 quarters commencing on or after July 1, 2005, and prior to July 1, 2006;  
64 (C) six and three-tenths per cent with respect to calendar quarters  
65 commencing on or after July 1, 2006, and prior to July 1, 2007; and (D)  
66 seven per cent with respect to calendar quarters commencing on or  
67 after July 1, 2007, [, and prior to July 1, 2013; and (E) eight and one-

68 tenth per cent with respect to calendar quarters commencing on or  
 69 after July 1, 2013.]

70 Sec. 503. Subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of section 12-587 of the  
 71 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
 72 thereof (*Effective from passage*):

73 (c) (1) Any company which imports or causes to be imported into  
 74 this state petroleum products for sale, use or consumption in this state,  
 75 other than a company subject to and having paid the tax on such  
 76 company's gross earnings from first sales of petroleum products  
 77 within this state, which earnings include gross earnings attributable to  
 78 such imported or caused to be imported petroleum products, in  
 79 accordance with subsection (b) of this section, shall pay a quarterly tax  
 80 on the consideration given or contracted to be given for such  
 81 petroleum product if the consideration given or contracted to be given  
 82 for all such deliveries during the quarterly period for which such tax is  
 83 to be paid exceeds three thousand dollars. Except as otherwise  
 84 provided in subdivision (3) of this subsection, the rate of tax shall be  
 85 (A) five per cent with respect to calendar quarters commencing prior to  
 86 July 1, 2005; (B) five and eight-tenths per cent with respect to calendar  
 87 quarters commencing on or after July 1, 2005, and prior to July 1, 2006;  
 88 (C) six and three-tenths per cent with respect to calendar quarters  
 89 commencing on or after July 1, 2006, and prior to July 1, 2007; and (D)  
 90 seven per cent with respect to calendar quarters commencing on or  
 91 after July 1, 2007. [, and prior to July 1, 2013; and (E) eight and one-  
 92 tenth per cent with respect to calendar quarters commencing on or  
 93 after July 1, 2013.] Fuel in the fuel supply tanks of a motor vehicle,  
 94 which fuel tanks are directly connected to the engine, shall not be  
 95 considered a delivery for the purposes of this subsection."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 502	<i>from passage</i>	12-587(b)(1)

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Sec. 503	<i>from passage</i>	12-587(c)(1)
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