



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 332

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(As Amended by Senate Amendment Schedule "A")

**"AN ACT AMENDING THE CHARTER OF THE METROPOLITAN DISTRICT IN HARTFORD COUNTY."**

1 Strike section 1 in its entirety and insert the following in lieu thereof:

2 "Section 1. Number 358 of the special acts of 1931, as amended by  
3 special act 77-62, is amended to read as follows (*Effective October 1,*  
4 *2014*):

5 The Metropolitan District is authorized to supply water [, at rates  
6 uniform with those charged within said district,] to any town or city,  
7 any part of which is situated not more than twenty miles from the state  
8 capitol at Hartford, or to the inhabitants thereof, or to any state facility  
9 located within such area, upon such terms as may be agreed upon, but  
10 all other sources belonging to any such town or city shall be developed  
11 by such consumer or made available for development by said district.  
12 The district shall supply such water at water use rates and with

13 customer service charges that are uniform to the water use rates and  
 14 customer service charges imposed within the district. In addition, the  
 15 district may impose a nonmember surcharge on customers in any  
 16 nonmember town or city for the purpose of recovering the cost of  
 17 capital improvements incurred on or after January 1, 2014. The  
 18 nonmember surcharge in any year may not exceed twenty per cent of  
 19 the sum of the charges arising from the water use rate and customer  
 20 service charge in that year. For purposes of this section, "rate" includes  
 21 any water use charges and "customer service charge" includes any  
 22 customer service charge, general surcharge or other charge associated  
 23 with the supply of water with the exception of any nonmember  
 24 surcharge, but does not include any costs associated with sewers or  
 25 wastewater treatment. The cost of constructing the pipe connection  
 26 between the district and such town or city shall be paid by such town  
 27 or city. The cost of constructing the pipe connection between the  
 28 district and any such state facility shall be paid by the state of  
 29 Connecticut. Nothing herein shall authorize The Metropolitan District  
 30 to supply any water in competition with any water system in any town  
 31 or city, except by agreement."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2014</i>	Number 358 of the special acts of 1931