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**"AN ACT CONCERNING THE RECOUPMENT OF STATE COSTS  
ATTRIBUTABLE TO LOW WAGE EMPLOYERS."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) (a) There is established a  
4 Commission on Overtime Expenditures. The commission shall study  
5 the overtime expenditures of state agencies and make  
6 recommendations for legislative actions to curtail such expenditures.

7 (b) The commission shall consist of the following members:

8 (1) The speaker of the House of Representatives, or the speaker's  
9 designee;

10 (2) The president pro tempore of the Senate, or the president pro  
11 tempore's designee;

12 (3) The majority leader of the House of Representatives, or the  
13 majority leader's designee;

14 (4) The majority leader of the Senate, or the majority leader's  
15 designee;

16 (5) The minority leader of the House of Representatives, or the  
17 minority leader's designee;

18 (6) One person appointed by the minority leader of the House of  
19 Representatives;

20 (7) The minority leader of the Senate, or the minority leader's  
21 designee; and

22 (8) One person appointed by the minority leader of the Senate.

23 (c) Any member of the commission designated or appointed under  
24 subsection (b) of this section may be a member of the General  
25 Assembly.

26 (d) All appointments to the commission shall be made not later than  
27 thirty days after the effective date of this section. Any vacancy shall be  
28 filled by the appointing authority.

29 (e) The speaker of the House of Representatives and the minority  
30 leader of the Senate shall select the chairpersons of the commission  
31 from among the members of the commission. Such chairpersons shall  
32 schedule the first meeting of the commission, which shall be held not  
33 later than sixty days after the effective date of this section.

34 (f) The administrative staff of the joint standing committee of the  
35 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to  
36 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies shall serve as  
37 administrative staff of the commission.

38 (g) (1) Commencing July 1, 2016, and monthly thereafter, each state  
39 agency shall report to the Office of Fiscal Analysis on its overtime  
40 expenditures for the previous month, including the amount of  
41 overtime expenditures per location, the type of overtime work that  
42 was undertaken and a detailed description of the need to accrue such

43 overtime expenditures.

44 (2) Not later than thirty days after receiving such reports on  
45 overtime expenditures, the Office of Fiscal Analysis shall prepare and  
46 submit a compilation of such reports, in accordance with the  
47 provisions of section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the commission  
48 and to the chairpersons and ranking members of the joint standing  
49 committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters  
50 relating to appropriations and the budgets of state agencies.

51 (h) Not later than October 1, 2016, and quarterly thereafter, the  
52 commission shall submit a report on its findings and recommendations  
53 to the joint standing committee of the General Assembly having  
54 cognizance of matters relating to appropriations and the budgets of  
55 state agencies, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a of the  
56 general statutes."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	New section