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**AN ACT CONCERNING A MUNICIPAL ELECTION MONITOR AT THE
2020 STATE ELECTION AND PROCESSING OF ABSENTEE BALLOTS
FOR THE 2020 STATE ELECTION.**

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

1 Section 1. (*Effective from passage*) (a) There shall be, in any
2 municipality with a population of at least one hundred forty thousand,
3 an election monitor for the state election in 2020 to detect and prevent
4 irregularity and impropriety in the management of election
5 administration procedures and the conduct of said election in such
6 municipality. The office of the Secretary of the State shall contract with
7 an individual to serve in such capacity as election monitor until
8 December 31, 2020, unless such contract is terminated for any reason by
9 the Secretary of the State prior to said date. Such election monitor shall:
10 (1) Not be considered a state employee; (2) be compensated in
11 accordance with such contract; and (3) be reimbursed for necessary
12 expenses incurred in the performance of his or her duties. Costs related

13 to the service of such election monitor shall be paid from federal funds
14 allocated to the Secretary to address the effects of COVID-19 on the
15 conduct of elections. Such municipality shall provide for such election
16 monitor any office space, supplies, equipment and services necessary to
17 properly carry out the duties and responsibilities of the position. For
18 purposes of this subsection, (A) "population" means the estimated
19 number of people according to the most recent version of the State
20 Register and Manual prepared pursuant to section 3-90 of the general
21 statutes, and (B) "COVID-19" means the respiratory disease designated
22 by the World Health Organization on February 11, 2020, as coronavirus
23 2019, and any related mutation thereof recognized by said organization
24 as a communicable respiratory disease.

25 (b) An election monitor appointed under subsection (a) of this section
26 shall: (1) Conduct inspections, inquiries and investigations relating to
27 any duty or responsibility under title 9 of the general statutes to be
28 carried out by any official of the municipality or appointee of such
29 official; (2) have access to all records, data and material maintained by
30 or available to any such official or appointee; and (3) immediately report
31 to the Secretary of the State any irregularity or impropriety in the
32 performance of any duty or responsibility described in subdivision (1)
33 of this subsection. Nothing in this section shall be construed to prohibit
34 the State Elections Enforcement Commission from taking any action
35 authorized under section 9-7b of the general statutes.

36 Sec. 2. Section 9-140c of the general statutes, as amended by section 6
37 of public act 20-3 of the July special session, is repealed and the
38 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

39 (a) The municipal clerk shall retain the envelopes containing absentee
40 ballots received by him under section 9-140b and shall not open such
41 envelopes. The municipal clerk shall endorse over his signature, upon
42 each outer envelope as he receives it, the date and precise time of its
43 receipt. The clerk shall make an affidavit attesting to the accuracy of all
44 such endorsements, and at the close of the polls shall deliver such

45 affidavit to the head moderator, who shall endorse the time of its receipt
46 and return it to the clerk after all counting is complete. The clerk shall
47 preserve the affidavit for one hundred eighty days in accordance with
48 the requirements of section 9-150b. The clerk shall keep a list of the
49 names of the applicants who return absentee ballots to the clerk under
50 section 9-140b. The list shall be preserved as a public record as required
51 by section 9-150b.

52 (b) (1) ~~(A)~~ Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision,
53 ~~[(2) of this subsection,]~~ beginning not earlier than the seventh day before
54 the election, primary or referendum and on any weekday thereafter, all
55 absentee ballots received by the municipal clerk ~~[not later than]~~ at or
56 prior to eleven o'clock a.m. of such day may be sorted into voting
57 districts by the municipal clerk and checked as provided in this
58 ~~[subsection]~~ subparagraph. On any such day, beginning as soon as the
59 ballots have been sorted, the registrars of voters, without opening the
60 outer envelopes, may check the names of the applicants returning
61 ballots on the official checklist to be used at the election, primary or
62 referendum by indicating "absentee" or "A" preceding each such name
63 and, if unaffiliated electors are authorized under section 9-431 to vote in
64 the primary of either of two parties, the designation of the party in
65 which the applicants are voting preceding each such name. Unless
66 absentee ballots are to be counted in the respective polling places,
67 pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, the registrars shall also
68 place such indication on a duplicate ~~[of the]~~ checklist to be retained by
69 the municipal clerk until ~~[he]~~ the municipal clerk delivers [it] such
70 duplicate checklist to the registrars, ~~[at twelve o'clock noon, except as~~
71 ~~provided in subparagraph (A) of subdivision (2) of subsection (e) of this~~
72 ~~section, on election, primary or referendum day]~~ in accordance with
73 subsection (e) of this section, for the use of the absentee ballot counters
74 pursuant to subsection (i) of this section.

75 (B) For the state election in 2020, beginning on the fourteenth day
76 before the election and on any weekday thereafter, all absentee ballots
77 received by the municipal clerk at or prior to eleven o'clock a.m. of such

78 day may be sorted into voting districts by the municipal clerk and
79 checked as provided in subparagraph (A) of this subdivision.

80 (2) All absentee ballots received [not later than] at or prior to eleven
81 o'clock a.m. of the last day before the election, primary or referendum
82 which is not a Sunday or legal holiday, shall be [so] sorted into voting
83 districts by the municipal clerk and checked as provided in
84 subparagraph (A) of subdivision (1) of this subsection not later than
85 such last day.

86 [(2) For the state election in 2020, beginning the fourteenth day before
87 the election and on any weekday thereafter, all absentee ballots received
88 by the municipal clerk not later than eleven o'clock a.m. of such day may
89 be sorted into voting districts by the municipal clerk and checked as
90 provided in subdivision (1) of this subsection.]

91 (c) If the name of the applicant returning the ballot is not on the
92 official checklist for any polling place in such municipality, the
93 registrars shall endorse on the face of such outer envelope the word
94 "rejected", followed by a statement of the reasons for rejection, and the
95 outer envelope shall not be opened or the ballot counted.

96 (d) After such checking has been completed on any such day, the
97 municipal clerk shall seal the unopened ballots in a package and retain
98 them in a safe place.

99 (e) (1) Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, ballots
100 received [not later than] at or prior to eleven o'clock a.m. on [such] the
101 last day before the election, primary or referendum shall be delivered
102 by the municipal clerk to the registrars [not earlier than] between ten
103 o'clock a.m. and [not later than] twelve o'clock noon on the day of the
104 election or primary and at twelve o'clock noon on the day of a
105 referendum. Unless absentee ballots are to be counted in the respective
106 polling places, pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, the
107 municipal clerk shall also deliver to the registrars at this time the
108 duplicate checklist provided for in subsection (b) of this section, for the

109 use of the absentee ballot counters pursuant to subsection (i) of this
110 section.

111 (2) (A) For the state election in 2020: [, ballots]

112 (i) Ballots received, sorted and checked prior to five o'clock p.m. on
113 the (I) fourth day before the election may be delivered by the municipal
114 clerk to the registrars at five o'clock p.m. on such fourth day, (II) third
115 day before the election may be so delivered at five o'clock p.m. on such
116 third day, and (III) second day before the election may be so delivered
117 at five o'clock p.m. on such second day;

118 (ii) Ballots received not later than eleven o'clock a.m. on [such] the
119 last day before the election shall be delivered by the municipal clerk to
120 the registrars at six o'clock a.m. on the day of the election; [.] and

121 (iii) Each time ballots are delivered pursuant to this subparagraph,
122 the municipal clerk shall also deliver to the registrars at such time a copy
123 of the duplicate checklist provided for in subsection (b) of this section,
124 current as of the time of such delivery, for the use of the absentee ballot
125 counters pursuant to subsection (i) of this section.

126 (B) The municipal clerk may deliver the ballots at [a time that is] times
127 later than [the time] those provided in subdivision (1) of this subsection
128 or subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, as applicable, provided any
129 such time is mutually agreed upon by the municipal clerk and registrars
130 and is not later than eight o'clock p.m. on the day of the election, primary
131 or referendum.

132 (f) Absentee ballots timely received by the clerk after eleven o'clock
133 a.m. of such last day before an election, primary or referendum shall be
134 sorted into voting districts by the clerk and retained by the clerk
135 separately until delivered to the registrars of voters for checking.

136 (g) Any or all of such ballots received after eleven o'clock a.m. of such
137 last day before an election, primary or referendum and before six o'clock

138 p.m. on the day of the election, primary or referendum shall, upon
139 request of the registrars, be delivered to the registrars by the municipal
140 clerk at six o'clock p.m. on the day of the election, primary or
141 referendum for checking, or at a later time mutually agreed upon by the
142 clerk and registrars, provided such time is not later than eight o'clock
143 p.m. on the day of the election, primary or referendum.

144 (h) Absentee ballots received after six o'clock p.m. on the day of the
145 election, primary or referendum and any ballots received prior to six
146 o'clock p.m. of such day which were not delivered earlier shall be
147 delivered to the registrars at the close of the polls for checking. Although
148 absentee ballots shall be checked by the registrars of voters at various
149 times throughout the election, primary or referendum day, absentee
150 ballots may be counted at one single time during such day.

151 (i) (1) Except as otherwise provided in this subsection, the absentee
152 ballot counters, upon receipt of the ballots delivered by the municipal
153 clerk to the registrars at six o'clock p.m. on the day of the election,
154 primary or referendum and at the close of the polls pursuant to
155 subsections (g) and (h) of this section, shall check the names of the
156 applicants returning ballots on the duplicate checklist in the same
157 manner as provided in subsections (b) and (c) of this section.

158 (2) (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision,
159 the names of applicants whose ballots were delivered at six o'clock p.m.
160 on the day of the election, primary or referendum shall be called in to
161 the appropriate polling places where they shall be checked by the
162 checkers on the official checklists, and they shall also be checked by the
163 absentee ballot counters on the duplicate checklist required under
164 subsection (b) of this section.

165 (B) Whenever absentee ballots are counted in any polling place
166 pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, the names of applicants
167 whose ballots were delivered at six o'clock p.m. on the day of the
168 election, primary or referendum shall be checked by the absentee ballot

169 counters and checkers at such polling place on the official checklist used
170 at such polling place.

171 (3) (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision,
172 the names of applicants whose ballots were delivered at the close of the
173 polls shall be checked by the absentee ballot counters on the official
174 checklists used at the polling places and such official checklists, bearing
175 the certifications required by section 9-307, shall be delivered by the
176 registrars or assistant registrars to the central counting moderator for
177 that purpose.

178 (B) Whenever absentee ballots are counted in any polling place
179 pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, the official checklist used at
180 such polling place shall remain in such polling place for checking by the
181 absentee ballot counters at such polling place.

182 (4) If the name of an applicant returning a ballot has been checked on
183 the official checklist as having voted in person the absentee ballot
184 counters shall, in checking the ballots, endorse on the face of the outer
185 envelope the word "rejected" followed by a statement of the reason for
186 rejection, and the outer envelope shall not be opened or the ballot
187 counted.

188 (5) (A) Except as provided in subparagraph (B) of this subdivision,
189 when central counting is completed and the result is announced, the
190 central counting moderator shall deliver the duplicate checklist, the
191 official checklists and the returns required by section 9-150b to the head
192 moderator.

193 (B) Whenever absentee ballots are counted in any polling place
194 pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, and such counting is
195 completed and the result for such polling place is announced, the
196 moderator for such polling place shall deliver the official checklist used
197 at such polling place and the return required by section 9-150b to the
198 head moderator.

199 (j) Each time absentee ballots are delivered by the clerk to the
200 registrars [on election, primary or referendum day] pursuant to this
201 section, the clerk and registrars shall execute an affidavit of delivery and
202 receipt stating the number of ballots delivered. The clerk shall preserve
203 the affidavit for [six months in accordance with] the period prescribed
204 in section 9-150b.

205 (k) (1) [Each group of absentee ballots shall be counted by the
206 absentee ballot counters when received from the registrars on election,
207 primary or referendum day, in the manner provided in section 9-150a]
208 Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection, the absentee
209 ballot counters shall count, in the manner provided in section 9-150a,
210 each group of absentee ballots upon receipt from the registrars.

211 (2) For the state election in 2020, whenever absentee ballots are to be
212 processed before the day of the election, pursuant to subdivision (1) of
213 subsection (c) of section 9-147a, the absentee ballot counters shall
214 process, in the manner provided in section 5 of this act, each group of
215 absentee ballots upon receipt from the registrars.

216 (l) The municipal clerk shall retain all outer envelopes containing
217 absentee ballots received by him after the close of the polls, unopened,
218 for the period prescribed in section 9-150b.

219 Sec. 3. Section 9-147a of the general statutes is repealed and the
220 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

221 (a) Except as provided in subsection (b) or (c) of this section, at any
222 election, primary or referendum, all absentee ballots shall, within
223 existing resources, be counted in the manner provided in section 9-150a
224 at a central location designated by the registrars of voters in writing to
225 the municipal clerk at least twenty days before the election, primary or
226 referendum, which location shall be published in the warning for the
227 election, primary or referendum. Except as provided in subsection (b) of
228 this section, if unaffiliated electors are authorized under section 9-431 to
229 vote in the primary of either of two parties, all absentee ballots shall be

230 separated, counted, tallied and placed in depository envelopes by
231 voting district. Any member of the public may observe the counting of
232 absentee ballots at such central location.

233 (b) At any election, primary or referendum, all absentee ballots may
234 be counted in the manner provided in section 9-150a in the respective
235 polling places if the registrars of voters agree that such absentee ballots
236 should be so counted. If unaffiliated electors are authorized under
237 section 9-431 to vote in the primary of either of two parties, absentee
238 ballots may be counted in the respective polling places if the parties
239 agree that such absentee ballots should be so counted. Any election
240 official serving in a polling place may observe the counting of absentee
241 ballots at such polling place.

242 (c) (1) For the state election in 2020, absentee ballots may be processed
243 before the day of the election in the manner provided in section 5 of this
244 act. Any such processing shall take place at a central location designated
245 by the registrars of voters in writing to the municipal clerk at least ten
246 days before the election, which location shall be published in the
247 warning for the election.

248 (2) If absentee ballots are to be processed pursuant to subdivision (1)
249 of this subsection, the registrars of voters and municipal clerk shall
250 jointly certify such fact in writing to the Secretary of the State at least ten
251 days before the election. Such written certification shall (A) include the
252 name, street address and relevant contact information associated with
253 the designated central location, and (B) list the name and address of each
254 absentee ballot counter appointed pursuant to section 9-147c. The
255 Secretary shall approve or disapprove such written certification not later
256 than two days after receipt of such certification and may require the
257 appointment of one or more additional absentee ballot counters.

258 (3) In the case of absentee ballots delivered to the registrars on the
259 day of the election, nothing in this subsection shall preclude the
260 counting of such absentee ballots in the respective polling places

261 pursuant to subsection (b) of this section.

262 Sec. 4. Section 9-225 of the general statutes is repealed and the
263 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

264 (a) (1) [The] Except as provided in subdivision (2) of this subsection,
265 the town clerk or assistant town clerk of each town shall warn the
266 electors therein to meet on the Tuesday following the first Monday in
267 November in the even-numbered years, at six o'clock a.m., which
268 warning shall be given by publication in a newspaper having a general
269 circulation in such town, or towns in the case of a joint publication under
270 subsection (b) of this section, not more than fifteen nor less than five
271 days previous to holding such election. The clerk in each town shall, in
272 the warning for such election, give notice of the time and the location of
273 the polling place in the town, and in towns divided into voting districts,
274 of the time and the location of the polling place in each district, at which
275 such election will be held. The town clerk shall record each such
276 warning.

277 (2) For the state election in 2020, the warning under subsection (a) of
278 this section shall be given not more than seven nor less than four days
279 previous to holding such election.

280 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of any charter or home rule
281 ordinance, the warning under subsection (a) of this section may be
282 published jointly by two or more towns in a newspaper, provided all
283 other requirements of this section with respect to such warning are met.

284 Sec. 5. (NEW) (*Effective from passage*) Notwithstanding the provisions
285 of section 9-150a of the general statutes, for the state election in 2020, in
286 any municipality in which absentee ballots are processed pursuant to
287 subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of section 9-147a of the general statutes:

288 (a) (1) Not earlier than five o'clock p.m. on the fourth day before the
289 election, the absentee ballot counters shall proceed to the central
290 counting location at the times designated by the registrars of voters;

291 (2) At the time each group of ballots is delivered pursuant to
292 subdivision (2) of subsection (e) of section 9-140c of the general statutes,
293 the counters shall proceed as hereinafter provided;

294 (3) Except with respect to ballots marked "Rejected" pursuant to
295 section 9-140c of the general statutes or other applicable law, the
296 counters shall then remove the inner envelopes from the outer
297 envelopes, shall note the total number of absentee ballots received and
298 shall report such total to the moderator. The counters shall similarly
299 note and separately so report the total numbers of presidential ballots
300 and overseas ballots received pursuant to sections 9-158a to 9-158m,
301 inclusive, of the general statutes;

302 (4) If the statement on the inner envelope has not been signed as
303 required by section 9-140a of the general statutes, such inner envelope
304 shall not be opened or the ballot removed therefrom, and such inner
305 envelope shall be replaced in the opened outer envelope which shall be
306 marked "Rejected" and the reason therefor endorsed thereon by the
307 counters; and

308 (5) Not earlier than the day of the election, and after the duties under
309 subdivisions (1) to (4), inclusive, of this subsection have been
310 performed, absentee ballots shall be counted in the manner provided in
311 subsections (e) to (m), inclusive, of section 9-150a of the general statutes.

312 (b) In accordance with instructions which shall be prescribed by the
313 Secretary of the State not later than ten days before the election, each
314 group of ballots delivered pursuant to subdivision (2) of subsection (e)
315 of section 9-140c of the general statutes shall be kept secure (1)
316 throughout the performance of the duties under subdivisions (1) to (4),
317 inclusive, of subsection (a) of this section, and (2) after such performance
318 until such time on the day of the election that absentee ballots are
319 counted in the manner provided in subsections (e) to (m), inclusive, of
320 section 9-150a of the general statutes. The requirements of this
321 subsection shall be in addition to all other applicable requirements

322 under title 9 of the general statutes regarding the security of absentee
323 ballots and any related materials.

324 Sec. 6. Section 9-150b of the general statutes is repealed and the
325 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

326 (a) The moderator shall record the result of each count of absentee
327 ballots at any election, primary or referendum, separately by time of
328 count, on (1) a separate moderator's return for each voting district, and
329 (2) a separate record of the number of absentee votes cast for each
330 candidate for each voting district.

331 (b) Except as provided in subsection (c) of this section, when all
332 counting is complete, the moderator shall publicly declare the result of
333 such count. [He] The moderator shall then deliver to the head moderator
334 the central counting moderator's returns, together with all other
335 information required by law or by the Secretary of the State's
336 instructions. The head moderator shall add the results from the voting
337 tabulators, recorded on the moderator's return for each polling place, to
338 the absentee count recorded on the central counting moderator's return
339 for the corresponding voting district, in the manner prescribed by the
340 Secretary of the State. The returns so completed shall show separately
341 the tabulator vote and the absentee vote and the totals thereof.

342 (c) If the absentee ballots were counted in the respective polling
343 places, pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a, when all counting is
344 complete the moderator shall publicly declare the result of such count
345 as provided in section 9-309 and add such count to the results from the
346 voting tabulators recorded on the moderator's return. Such return shall
347 show separately the tabulator vote and the absentee vote and the totals
348 thereof.

349 (d) The Secretary of the State may prescribe the forms and
350 instructions for the tabulation, counting and return of the absentee
351 ballot vote.

352 (e) The sealed depository envelopes required by subsections (f) and
353 (m) of section 9-150a shall be returned by the moderator to the
354 municipal clerk as soon as practicable on or before the day following the
355 election, primary or referendum.

356 (f) The municipal clerk shall preserve for sixty days after the election,
357 primary or referendum the depository envelopes containing opened
358 envelopes and rejected ballots required by subsection (f) of section 9-
359 150a, and shall so preserve for one hundred eighty days the depository
360 envelopes containing counted ballots and related materials required by
361 subsection (m) of section 9-150a.

362 (g) (1) No such depository envelope shall be opened except by order
363 of a court of competent jurisdiction, by the State Elections Enforcement
364 Commission pursuant to a subpoena issued under subdivision (1) of
365 subsection (a) of section 9-7b or within five business days [of] after an
366 election, primary or referendum for the purpose of a recanvass
367 conducted pursuant to law. After such a recanvass the depository
368 envelopes and their contents shall be returned to the municipal clerk
369 and preserved for the stated period.

370 (2) Notwithstanding the provisions of subdivision (1) of this
371 subsection, for the state election in 2020, no such depository envelope
372 shall be opened for the purpose of a recanvass conducted pursuant to
373 law except within seven business days after the election as provided in
374 section 9-311.

375 (h) For sixty days after the election, primary or referendum the
376 following shall be preserved by the municipal clerk as a public record
377 open to public inspection: (1) All executed absentee ballot application
378 forms and direction by registrar forms, as required by subdivision (i) of
379 section 9-140; (2) the list and index of applicants for presidential or
380 overseas ballots as required by section 9-158h; (3) the numerical list of
381 absentee voting sets issued as required by subsection (e) of section 9-
382 140; (4) the list of the names of persons whose absentee ballots are

383 received by the municipal clerk, as required by subsection (a) of section
384 9-140c; (5) all unused absentee ballots; and (6) all envelopes containing
385 ballots received by the municipal clerk after the close of the polls, which
386 shall remain unopened.

387 (i) For one hundred eighty days after the election, primary or
388 referendum the following shall be preserved by the municipal clerk as a
389 public record open to public inspection: (1) The affidavit regarding the
390 municipal clerk's endorsement of inner envelopes, as required by
391 subsection (a) of section 9-140c; and (2) the affidavit regarding delivery
392 and receipt of ballots, as required by subsection (j) of said section.

393 (j) At the expiration of the applicable retention period, if no contest is
394 pending and no subpoena has been issued by the State Elections
395 Enforcement Commission pursuant to subsection (1) of section 9-7b, the
396 municipal clerk shall destroy the materials preserved under this section.

397 Sec. 7. Section 9-159o of the general statutes, as amended by section 7
398 of public act 20-3 of the July special session, is repealed and the
399 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

400 (a) Any elector who has returned an absentee ballot to the municipal
401 clerk and who finds such elector is able to vote in person shall proceed
402 before ten o'clock a.m. on election, primary or referendum day to the
403 municipal clerk's office and request that such elector's ballot be
404 withdrawn. The municipal clerk shall remove the ballot from the sealed
405 package and shall mark the serially-numbered outer envelope, which
406 shall remain unopened, "rejected" and note the reasons for rejection. The
407 elector shall also endorse the envelope. The rejected ballot shall then be
408 returned to the sealed package until delivered on election, primary or
409 referendum day to the registrars of voters in accordance with section 9-
410 140c. The municipal clerk shall then give the elector a signed statement
411 directed to the moderator of the voting district in which the elector
412 resides stating that the elector has withdrawn [his] such elector's
413 absentee ballot and may vote in person. Upon delivery of the statement

414 by the elector to the moderator, the moderator shall cause the absentee
415 indication next to the name of the elector to be stricken from the official
416 checklist and the elector may then have such elector's name checked and
417 vote in person. Unless absentee ballots are to be counted in the
418 respective polling places pursuant to subsection (b) of section 9-147a,
419 the municipal clerk shall also cause the absentee indication next to the
420 name of the elector to be stricken from the duplicate checklist to be used
421 by the absentee ballot counters.

422 (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of subsection (a) of this section,
423 for the state election in 2020, any elector who has returned an absentee
424 ballot to the municipal clerk and who finds such elector is able to vote
425 in person shall proceed before five o'clock p.m. on the [last] fourth day
426 before the election to the municipal clerk's office and request that such
427 elector's ballot be withdrawn.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	9-140c
Sec. 3	<i>from passage</i>	9-147a
Sec. 4	<i>from passage</i>	9-225
Sec. 5	<i>from passage</i>	New section
Sec. 6	<i>from passage</i>	9-150b
Sec. 7	<i>from passage</i>	9-159o