

Labor and Public Employees Committee

JOINT FAVORABLE REPORT

Bill No.: HB-6549
Title: AN ACT CONCERNING MODIFICATION OF AND REPEALING OBSOLETE PROVISIONS AND STATUTES RELEVANT TO THE LABOR DEPARTMENT.
Vote Date: 2/28/2023
Vote Action: Joint Favorable Substitute
PH Date: 1/31/2023
File No.:

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SPONSORS OF BILL:

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REASONS FOR BILL:

This bill seeks to repeal obsolete reporting requirements and statutes relevant to the Connecticut Department of Labor. Among the statutes repealed are statutes related to the Individual Development Account (IDA) program, a requirement for the commissioner to appear annually before three legislative committees regarding the Technical High School System, an obsolete payroll card usage study, and other obsolete statutory provisions.

The substitute language repealed all statutory sections regarding the IDA program and made a conforming change to section 5.

RESPONSE FROM ADMINISTRATION/AGENCY:

Dante Bartolomeo, Commissioner, Connecticut Department of Labor: Supports this bill and lists out the several provisions and statutes that will be modified and/or repealed by this bill. Also comments a request that Section 5 be deleted because it leaves a reference to the obsolete IDA program in one of the Department of Housing statutes, and that the Department of Housing agrees that this section should be deleted.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF SUPPORT:

No sources of support were provided.

NATURE AND SOURCES OF OPPOSITION:

No sources of opposition were provided:

Reported by: Gabriel Marques, Assistant Clerk Date: 3/1/23