



General Assembly

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**Proposed Bill No. 6056**

LCO No. 536



Referred to Committee on ENERGY AND TECHNOLOGY

Introduced by:  
REP. CHALESKI, 138th Dist.

**AN ACT CONCERNING PAYMENT TO VENDORS PARTICIPATING IN  
THE LOW INCOME HOME ENERGY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM.**

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

- 1 That chapter 298 of the general statutes be amended to require that,
- 2 whenever the wholesale price of diesel fuel is not less than three dollars
- 3 per gallon, the Commissioner of Social Services and all agencies
- 4 administering the Connecticut energy assistance program shall pay a
- 5 fixed margin of seventy-five cents per gallon to fuel vendors making
- 6 deliveries under the program.

**Statement of Purpose:**

To make higher-margin payments to heating fuel companies  
participating in the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program  
anytime the wholesale price of diesel reaches three dollars per gallon.