



General Assembly

February Session, 2024

Raised Bill No. 338

LCO No. 1189



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by:
(PS)

***AN ACT EXPANDING THE ELIGIBILITY FOR GRANTS TO REMOVE
PFAS FROM FIRE APPARATUS.***

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

1 Section 1. Subdivision (10) of subsection (b) of section 41 of public act
2 23-204 is repealed and the following is substitute in lieu thereof (*Effective*
3 *from passage*):

4 (10) The sum of \$3,000,000 to the Department of Emergency Services
5 and Public Protection, for Other Expenses, for the fiscal year ending
6 June 30, 2024, to provide grants to municipalities, independent fire
7 companies and state agencies to remove PFAS from fire apparatus or
8 provide reimbursement for removal of PFAS from fire apparatus that
9 occurred prior to July 1, 2023;

10 Sec. 2. (*Effective from passage*) Any funds remaining under subdivision
11 (10) of subsection (b) of section 41 of public act 23-204, as amended by
12 this act, at the conclusion of the fiscal year ending June 30, 2024, shall
13 not lapse on June 30, 2024, and such funds shall be available to the
14 Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection, for Other
15 Expenses, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2025, to provide grants to

16 municipalities, independent fire companies and state agencies to
17 remove PFAS from fire apparatus or provide reimbursement for
18 removal of PFAS from fire apparatus that occurred prior to July 1, 2023.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>from passage</i>	PA 23-204, Sec. 41(b)(10)
Sec. 2	<i>from passage</i>	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To make independent fire companies and state entities eligible for grants to remove PFAS from fire apparatus and also allow grants to provide reimbursement for removals of PFAS that occurred prior to July 1, 2023.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]