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Introduced by:  
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***AN ACT CONCERNING THE REVISOR'S TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS  
TO THE GENERAL STATUTES.***

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

1 Section 1. Subsection (a) of section 5-259 of the 2020 supplement to  
2 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
3 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

4 (a) The Comptroller, with the approval of the Attorney General and  
5 of the Insurance Commissioner, shall arrange and procure a group  
6 hospitalization and medical and surgical insurance plan or plans for (1)  
7 state employees, (2) members of the General Assembly who elect  
8 coverage under such plan or plans, (3) participants in an alternate  
9 retirement program who meet the service requirements of section 5-162  
10 or subsection (a) of section 5-166, (4) anyone receiving benefits under  
11 section 5-144 or from any state-sponsored retirement system, except the  
12 teachers' retirement system and the municipal employees retirement  
13 system, (5) judges of probate and Probate Court employees, (6) the  
14 surviving spouse, and any dependent children of a state police officer, a  
15 member of an organized local police department, a firefighter or a

16 constable who performs criminal law enforcement duties who dies  
17 before, on or after June 26, 2003, as the result of injuries received while  
18 acting within the scope of such officer's or firefighter's or constable's  
19 employment and not as the result of illness or natural causes, and whose  
20 surviving spouse and dependent children are not otherwise eligible for  
21 a group hospitalization and medical and surgical insurance plan.  
22 Coverage for a dependent child pursuant to this subdivision shall  
23 terminate no earlier than the end of the calendar year during whichever  
24 of the following occurs first, the date on which the child: Becomes  
25 covered under a group health plan through the dependent's own  
26 employment; or attains the age of twenty-six, (7) employees of the  
27 Capital Region Development Authority established by section 32-601,  
28 and (8) the surviving spouse and dependent children of any employee  
29 of a municipality who dies on or after October 1, 2000, as the result of  
30 injuries received while acting within the scope of such employee's  
31 employment and not as the result of illness or natural causes, and whose  
32 surviving spouse and dependent children are not otherwise eligible for  
33 a group hospitalization and medical and surgical insurance plan. For  
34 purposes of this subdivision, "employee" means any regular employee  
35 or elective officer receiving pay from a municipality, "municipality"  
36 means any town, city, borough, school district, taxing district, fire  
37 district, district department of health, probate district, housing  
38 authority, regional [work force] workforce development board  
39 established under section 31-3k, as amended by this act, flood  
40 commission or authority established by special act or regional council  
41 of governments. For purposes of subdivision (6) of this subsection,  
42 "firefighter" means any person who is regularly employed and paid by  
43 any municipality for the purpose of performing firefighting duties for a  
44 municipality on average of not less than thirty-five hours per week. The  
45 minimum benefits to be provided by such plan or plans shall be  
46 substantially equal in value to the benefits that each such employee or  
47 member of the General Assembly could secure in such plan or plans on  
48 an individual basis on the preceding first day of July. The state shall pay  
49 for each such employee and each member of the General Assembly  
50 covered by such plan or plans the portion of the premium charged for

51 such member's or employee's individual coverage and seventy per cent  
52 of the additional cost of the form of coverage and such amount shall be  
53 credited to the total premiums owed by such employee or member of  
54 the General Assembly for the form of such member's or employee's  
55 coverage under such plan or plans. On and after January 1, 1989, the  
56 state shall pay for anyone receiving benefits from any such state-  
57 sponsored retirement system one hundred per cent of the portion of the  
58 premium charged for such member's or employee's individual coverage  
59 and one hundred per cent of any additional cost for the form of  
60 coverage. The balance of any premiums payable by an individual  
61 employee or by a member of the General Assembly for the form of  
62 coverage shall be deducted from the payroll by the State Comptroller.  
63 The total premiums payable shall be remitted by the Comptroller to the  
64 insurance company or companies or nonprofit organization or  
65 organizations providing the coverage. The amount of the state's  
66 contribution per employee for a health maintenance organization option  
67 shall be equal, in terms of dollars and cents, to the largest amount of the  
68 contribution per employee paid for any other option that is available to  
69 all eligible state employees included in the health benefits plan, but shall  
70 not be required to exceed the amount of the health maintenance  
71 organization premium.

72 Sec. 2. Subsection (i) of section 5-259 of the 2020 supplement to the  
73 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
74 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

75 (i) The Comptroller may provide for coverage of employees of  
76 municipalities, nonprofit corporations, community action agencies and  
77 small employers and individuals eligible for a health coverage tax  
78 credit, retired members or members of an association for personal care  
79 assistants under the plan or plans procured under subsection (a) of this  
80 section, provided: (1) Participation by each municipality, nonprofit  
81 corporation, community action agency, small employer, eligible  
82 individual, retired member or association for personal care assistants  
83 shall be on a voluntary basis; (2) where an employee organization  
84 represents employees of a municipality, nonprofit corporation,

85 community action agency or small employer, participation in a plan or  
86 plans to be procured under subsection (a) of this section shall be by  
87 mutual agreement of the municipality, nonprofit corporation,  
88 community action agency or small employer and the employee  
89 organization only and neither party may submit the issue of  
90 participation to binding arbitration except by mutual agreement if such  
91 binding arbitration is available; (3) no group of employees shall be  
92 refused entry into the plan by reason of past or future health care costs  
93 or claim experience; (4) rates paid by the state for its employees under  
94 subsection (a) of this section are not adversely affected by this  
95 subsection; (5) administrative costs to the plan or plans provided under  
96 this subsection shall not be paid by the state; (6) participation in the plan  
97 or plans in an amount determined by the state shall be for the duration  
98 of the period of the plan or plans, or for such other period as mutually  
99 agreed by the municipality, nonprofit corporation, community action  
100 agency, small employer, retired member or association for personal care  
101 assistants and the Comptroller; and (7) nothing in this section or section  
102 12-202a, 38a-551 or 38a-556 shall be construed as requiring a  
103 participating insurer or health care center to issue individual policies to  
104 individuals eligible for a health coverage tax credit. The coverage  
105 provided under this section may be referred to as the "Municipal  
106 Employee Health Insurance Plan". The Comptroller may arrange and  
107 procure for the employees and eligible individuals under this subsection  
108 health benefit plans that vary from the plan or plans procured under  
109 subsection (a) of this section. Notwithstanding any provision of part V  
110 of chapter 700c, the coverage provided under this subsection may be  
111 offered on either a fully underwritten or risk-pooled basis at the  
112 discretion of the Comptroller. For the purposes of this subsection, (A)  
113 "municipality" means any town, city, borough, school district, taxing  
114 district, fire district, district department of health, probate district,  
115 housing authority, regional [work force] workforce development board  
116 established under section 31-3k, as amended by this act, regional  
117 emergency telecommunications center, tourism district established  
118 under section 32-302, flood commission or authority established by  
119 special act, regional council of governments, transit district formed

120 under chapter 103a, or the Children's Center established by number 571  
121 of the public acts of 1969; (B) "nonprofit corporation" means (i) a  
122 nonprofit corporation organized under 26 USC 501 that has a contract  
123 with the state or receives a portion of its funding from a municipality,  
124 the state or the federal government, or (ii) an organization that is tax  
125 exempt pursuant to 26 USC 501(c)(5); (C) "community action agency"  
126 means a community action agency, as defined in section 17b-885; (D)  
127 "small employer" means a small employer, as defined in section 38a-564;  
128 (E) "eligible individuals" or "individuals eligible for a health coverage  
129 tax credit" means individuals who are eligible for the credit for health  
130 insurance costs under Section 35 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986,  
131 or any subsequent corresponding internal revenue code of the United  
132 States, as from time to time amended, in accordance with the Pension  
133 Benefit Guaranty Corporation; (F) "association for personal care  
134 assistants" means an organization composed of personal care attendants  
135 who are employed by recipients of service (i) under the home-care  
136 program for the elderly under section 17b-342, (ii) under the personal  
137 care assistance program under section 17b-605a, (iii) in an independent  
138 living center pursuant to sections 17b-613 to 17b-615, inclusive, or (iv)  
139 under the program for individuals with acquired brain injury as  
140 described in section 17b-260a; and (G) "retired members" means  
141 individuals eligible for a retirement benefit from the Connecticut  
142 municipal employees' retirement system.

143 Sec. 3. Subdivision (1) of section 7-425 of the general statutes is  
144 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
145 *1, 2020*):

146 (1) "Municipality" means any town, city, borough, school district,  
147 regional school district, taxing district, fire district, district department  
148 of health, probate district, housing authority, regional [work force]  
149 workforce development board established under section 31-3k, as  
150 amended by this act, regional emergency telecommunications center,  
151 tourism district established under section 10-397, flood commission or  
152 authority established by special act or regional council of governments;

153 Sec. 4. Subsection (a) of section 7-427 of the general statutes is  
154 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
155 *1, 2020*):

156 (a) Any municipality except a housing authority, which is governed  
157 by subsection (b) of this section or a regional [work force] workforce  
158 development board established under section 31-3k, as amended by this  
159 act, which is governed by section 7-427a, as amended by this act, may,  
160 by resolution passed by its legislative body and subject to such  
161 referendum as may be hereinafter provided, accept this part as to any  
162 department or departments of such municipality as may be designated  
163 therein, including elective officers if so specified, free public libraries  
164 which receive part or all of their income from municipal appropriation,  
165 and the redevelopment agency of such municipality whether or not  
166 such municipality is a member of the system, as defined in section 7-452,  
167 but such acceptance shall not repeal, amend or replace, or affect the  
168 continuance of, any pension system established in such municipality by  
169 or under the authority of any special act and all such special acts shall  
170 remain in full force and effect until repealed or amended by the General  
171 Assembly or as provided by chapter 99. The acceptance of this part as to  
172 any department or departments of a municipality shall not affect the  
173 right of such municipality to accept it in the future as to any other  
174 department or departments. In any municipality other than a district  
175 department of health, housing authority, flood commission or authority,  
176 regional council of governments or supervision district board of  
177 education, such resolution shall not take effect until it has been  
178 approved by a majority of the electors of the municipality voting  
179 thereon at the next regular election or meeting or at a special election or  
180 meeting called for the purpose. The effective date of participation shall  
181 be at least ninety days subsequent to the receipt by the Retirement  
182 Commission of the certified copy of such resolution. The Retirement  
183 Commission shall furnish to any municipality contemplating  
184 acceptance of this part, at the expense of such municipality, an estimate  
185 of the probable cost to such municipality of such acceptance as to any  
186 department or departments thereof.

187 Sec. 5. Section 7-427a of the general statutes is repealed and the  
188 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

189 If the majority of the members of a regional [work force] workforce  
190 development board vote to participate in this part, employees of a  
191 regional [work force] workforce development board who are eligible  
192 under section 7-425, as amended by this act, and who are not members  
193 of the Municipal Employees' Retirement Fund B shall become members  
194 thereof on July 1, 1998. Membership in any other retirement system shall  
195 terminate on said date. The members of a regional [work force]  
196 workforce development board shall arrange for termination of such  
197 systems, which arrangements shall include provision that the rights of  
198 members who retired prior to July 1, 1998, under such system shall not  
199 be affected and provision that any refunds of employee contributions  
200 made to such other retirement system shall be transferred to the  
201 Municipal Employees' Retirement Fund B and the appropriate amount  
202 credited to the account of each transferring employee's benefit. Each  
203 employee of the regional [work force] workforce development board  
204 shall pay his pro rata share of the actual cost of such transfer at no  
205 additional cost to the municipality or board.

206 Sec. 6. Section 7-427b of the general statutes is repealed and the  
207 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

208 (a) Any employee of a regional [work force] workforce development  
209 board which has voted to participate in this part who previously was an  
210 employee of a private industry council shall receive credit for the  
211 purposes of retirement under the provisions of this part for the period  
212 of his service with the private industry council upon payment to the  
213 Municipal Employees' Retirement Fund of a sum equal to that which he  
214 would have paid had such service been covered by the provisions of this  
215 part, provided such sum is paid within one year of the date of such  
216 board's first participation in this part.

217 (b) Any employee of a regional [work force] workforce development  
218 board which has voted to participate in this part shall receive credit for

219 the purposes of retirement under the provisions of this part for the  
220 period of his service with such board when such board was not  
221 participating under the provisions of this part upon payment to the  
222 Municipal Employees' Retirement Fund of a sum equal to that which he  
223 would have paid had such service been covered by the provisions of this  
224 part, provided such sum is paid within one year of the date of such  
225 board's first participation in this part.

226 Sec. 7. Section 10a-55f of the general statutes is repealed and the  
227 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

228 Public institutions of higher education, in consultation with the  
229 regional [work force] workforce development boards, shall support any  
230 efforts to develop career ladders and lattices in the green technology  
231 industry, particularly for those workers who gained entry into such  
232 fields as a result of funds made available pursuant to the American  
233 Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009.

234 Sec. 8. Subsection (a) of section 10-183uu of the 2020 supplement to  
235 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
236 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

237 (a) If the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management enters into  
238 a contract with an actuarial consulting firm or actuarial software service  
239 provider, the Teachers' Retirement Board shall promptly provide, in the  
240 form and format specified by the secretary, any data requested by the  
241 secretary during the term of such [contact] contract.

242 Sec. 9. Section 10-248a of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes  
243 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
244 *October 1, 2020*):

245 For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, and each fiscal year  
246 thereafter, notwithstanding any provision of the general statutes or any  
247 special act, municipal charter, home rule ordinance or other ordinance,  
248 the board of finance in each town having a board of finance, the board  
249 of [selectman] selectmen in each town having no board of finance or the



250 authority making appropriations for the school district for each town  
251 may deposit into a nonlapsing account any unexpended funds from the  
252 prior fiscal year from the budgeted appropriation for education for the  
253 town, provided (1) such deposited amount does not exceed two per cent  
254 of the total budgeted appropriation for education for such prior fiscal  
255 year, (2) each expenditure from such account shall be made only for  
256 educational purposes, and (3) each such expenditure shall be authorized  
257 by the local board of education for such town.

258 Sec. 10. Subsection (c) of section 12-71e of the general statutes is  
259 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
260 *1, 2020*):

261 (c) Notwithstanding the provisions of any special act, municipal  
262 charter or home rule ordinance, a municipality or district that set a  
263 motor vehicle mill rate prior to October 31, 2017, for the assessment year  
264 commencing October 1, 2016, may, by vote of its legislative body, or if  
265 the legislative body is a town meeting, the board of [selectman]  
266 selectmen, revise such mill rate to meet the requirements of this section,  
267 provided such revision occurs not later than December 15, 2017.

268 Sec. 11. Subsection (c) of section 13b-376 of the 2020 supplement to  
269 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
270 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

271 (c) There is established an Operation Lifesaver Committee which  
272 shall be within the Department of Transportation. The committee shall  
273 consist of the Commissioner of Transportation or the commissioner's  
274 designee, the Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public  
275 Protection or the commissioner's designee and the Commissioner of  
276 Motor Vehicles or the commissioner's designee. The Commissioner of  
277 Transportation or the commissioner's designee shall serve as  
278 chairperson of the committee. The committee shall meet at such times  
279 [at] as it deems necessary.

280 Sec. 12. Section 14-11j of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes  
281 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*

282 *October 1, 2020*):

283 The Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, in consultation with the  
284 Connecticut Police Chiefs Association and at least one organization that  
285 advocates for persons with autism spectrum disorder, shall design and  
286 make available blue envelopes that (1) provide written information and  
287 guidance on the outside of the envelopes regarding ways to enhance  
288 effective communication between a police officer and a person with  
289 autism spectrum disorder, and (2) are capable of holding a person's  
290 motor vehicle operator's license, registration and insurance  
291 identification card. On and after January 1, 2020, upon request by a  
292 person with autism spectrum disorder or, if such person is a minor, such  
293 person's parent or guardian, the commissioner shall provide a blue  
294 envelope designed pursuant to this section to such person, parent or  
295 guardian.

296 Sec. 13. Subsection (f) of section 14-96q of the 2020 supplement to the  
297 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
298 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

299 (f) The commissioner may issue a permit for a yellow or amber light  
300 or lights, including a flashing yellow or amber light or lights, which may  
301 be used on motor vehicles or equipment that are (1) specified in  
302 subsection (e) of this section, (2) maintenance vehicles, or (3) vehicles  
303 transporting or escorting any vehicle or load or combinations thereof,  
304 which is or are either oversize or overweight, or both, and being  
305 operated or traveling under a permit issued by the Commissioner of  
306 Transportation pursuant to section 14-270. A yellow or amber light or  
307 lights, including a flashing yellow or amber light or lights, may be used  
308 without obtaining a permit from the Commissioner of Motor Vehicles  
309 on wreckers registered pursuant to section 14-66, on vehicles of carriers  
310 in rural mail delivery service or on vehicles operated by construction  
311 inspectors employed by the state of Connecticut, authorized by the  
312 Commissioner of Transportation, used during the performance of  
313 inspections on behalf of the state. The Commissioner of Transportation  
314 shall maintain a list of such authorized construction inspectors,

315 including the name and address of each inspector and the registration  
316 number for each vehicle on which the light or lights are to be used.

317 Sec. 14. Subsection (h) of section 14-96q of the 2020 supplement to the  
318 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
319 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

320 (h) The commissioner may issue a permit for emergency vehicles, as  
321 defined in subsection (a) of section 14-283, to use a blue, red, yellow, or  
322 white light or lights, including a flashing light or lights or any  
323 combination thereof, except as provided in subsection [(j)] (k) of this  
324 section.

325 Sec. 15. Subsections (b) and (c) of section 17a-2 of the general statutes  
326 are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
327 *October 1, 2020*):

328 (b) Said department shall constitute a successor department to the  
329 Department of Children and Youth Services, for the purposes of sections  
330 4-5, 4-38c, 4-77a, 4-165b, 4a-11b, 4a-12, 4a-16, 5-259, as amended by this  
331 act, 7-127c, 8-206d, 10-8a, 10-15d, 10-76d, 10-76h, 10-76i, 10-76w, 10-76g,  
332 10-94g, 10-253, 17-86a, 17-294, 17-409, 17-437, 17-572, 17-578, 17-579, 17-  
333 585, 17a-1 to 17a-89, inclusive, 17a-90 to 17a-209, inclusive, 17a-218, 17a-  
334 277, 17a-450, 17a-458, 17a-474, 17a-560, 17a-511, 17a-634, 17a-646, 17a-  
335 659, 17b-59a, 18-69, 18-69a, 18-87, 19a-78, 19a-216, 20-14i, 20-14j, 31-23,  
336 31-306a, 38a-514, [45a-591 to 45a-705] 45a-593 to 45a-703, inclusive, 45a-  
337 706 to 45a-770, inclusive, 46a-28, 46b-15 to 46b-19, inclusive, 46b-120 to  
338 46b-159, inclusive, 54-56d, 54-142k, 54-199, 54-203 and in accordance  
339 with the provisions of sections 4-38d and 4-39.

340 (c) Whenever the words "Commissioner of Children and Youth  
341 Services", "Department of Children and Youth Services", or "Council on  
342 Children and Youth Services" are used in sections 4-5, 4-38c, 4-77a, 4-  
343 165b, 4a-11b, 4a-12, 4a-16, 5-259, as amended by this act, 7-127c, 8-206d,  
344 10-8a, 10-15d, 10-76d, 10-76h, 10-76i, 10-76w, 10-94g, 10-253, 17-86a, 17-  
345 294, 17-409, 17-437, 17-572, 17-578, 17-579, 17-585, 17a-1 to 17a-89,  
346 inclusive, 17a-90 to 17a-209, inclusive, 17a-218, 17a-277, 17a-450, 17a-

347 458, 17a-474, 17a-511, 17a-634, 17a-646, 17a-659, 17b-59a, 18-69, 18-69a,  
348 18-87, 19a-78, 19a-216, 20-14i, 20-14j, 31-23, 31-306a, 38a-514, [45a-591 to  
349 45a-705] 45a-593 to 45a-703, inclusive, 45a-706 to 45a-770, inclusive, 46a-  
350 28, 46b-15 to 46b-19, inclusive, 46b-120 to 46b-159, inclusive, 54-56d, 54-  
351 142k, 54-199, 54-203, the words "Commissioner of Children and  
352 Families", "Department of Children and Families", and "Council on  
353 Children and Families" shall be substituted respectively in lieu thereof.

354 Sec. 16. Subsection (b) of section 18-52a of the 2020 supplement to the  
355 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
356 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

357 (b) Prior to October 1, 2019, the Commissioner of Correction shall  
358 revise the payment methodology for ambulance services provided by a  
359 municipality on behalf of a person who is confined in a correctional  
360 facility and requires transfer to a hospital for medical care. The revision  
361 to such payment methodology shall ensure that, if such person is not  
362 covered by a health insurance policy, the department shall reimburse  
363 the municipality for ambulance services at the same rate that the  
364 department is contractually obligated to pay to nonmunicipal providers  
365 of ambulance services.

366 Sec. 17. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 22a-201c of the 2020  
367 supplement to the general statutes are repealed and the following is  
368 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

369 (a) For each registration of a new motor vehicle with the  
370 Commissioner of Motor Vehicles pursuant to chapter 246, the person  
371 registering such vehicle shall pay to the commissioner a fee of ten  
372 dollars, in addition to any other fees required for registration, for  
373 registration for a biennial period for the following registration types:  
374 Passenger, motor home, combination or antique. Any person who is  
375 sixty-five years of age or older and who obtains a one-year registration  
376 for a new motor vehicle under section 14-49 for such registration type  
377 shall pay five dollars for the annual registration period.

378 (b) For each new registration or renewal of registration of any motor

379 vehicle, except a new motor vehicle, with the Commissioner of Motor  
380 Vehicles pursuant to chapter 246, the person registering such vehicle  
381 shall pay to the commissioner a fee of five dollars for registration for a  
382 biennial period for the following registration types: Passenger, motor  
383 home, combination or antique. Any person who is sixty-five years of age  
384 or older and who obtains a one-year registration or one-year registration  
385 renewal for any motor vehicle, except a new motor vehicle, under  
386 section 14-49 for such registration type shall pay two dollars fifty cents  
387 for the annual registration period.

388 Sec. 18. Subsection (a) of section 27-103 of the 2020 supplement to the  
389 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
390 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

391 (a) As used in the general statutes, except chapter 504, and except as  
392 otherwise provided: (1) "Armed forces" means the United States Army,  
393 Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard and Air Force and any reserve  
394 component thereof, including the Connecticut National Guard  
395 performing duty as provided in Title 32 of the United States Code, as  
396 amended from time to time; (2) "veteran" means any person honorably  
397 discharged from, or released under honorable conditions from active  
398 service in, the armed forces; (3) "service in time of war" means service of  
399 ninety or more cumulative days during a period of war unless separated  
400 from service earlier because of an injury incurred or aggravated in the  
401 line of duty or a service-connected disability rated by the United States  
402 Department of Veterans Affairs, except that if the period of war lasted  
403 less than ninety days, "service in time of war" means service for the  
404 entire [such] period of war unless separated because of any such injury  
405 or disability; (4) "period of war" has the same meaning as provided in  
406 38 USC 101, as amended from time to time, except that the "Vietnam  
407 Era" means the period beginning on February 28, 1961, and ending on  
408 July 1, 1975, in all cases; and "period of war" shall include service while  
409 engaged in combat or a combat support role in Lebanon, July 1, 1958, to  
410 November 1, 1958, or September 29, 1982, to March 30, 1984; Grenada,  
411 October 25, 1983, to December 15, 1983; Operation Earnest Will,  
412 involving the escort of Kuwaiti oil tankers flying the United States flag

413 in the Persian Gulf, July 24, 1987, to August 1, 1990; and Panama,  
414 December 20, 1989, to January 31, 1990, and shall include service during  
415 such periods with the armed forces of any government associated with  
416 the United States; and (5) "qualifying condition" means a diagnosis of  
417 post-traumatic stress disorder or traumatic brain injury made by, or an  
418 experience of military sexual trauma, as described in 38 USC 1720D, as  
419 amended from time to time, disclosed to, an individual licensed to  
420 provide health care services at a United States Department of Veterans  
421 Affairs facility.

422 Sec. 19. Subsection (a) of section 27-138h of the general statutes is  
423 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
424 *1, 2020*):

425 (a) As used in this section, (1) "personal information" means  
426 information capable of being associated with a particular individual  
427 through one or more identifiers, including, but not limited to, an  
428 individual's first name or first initial and last name, a Social Security  
429 number, a driver's license number, a state identification card number,  
430 an account number, a credit card or debit card number, a financial  
431 record, a passport number, an alien registration number, a health  
432 insurance identification number or any military identification  
433 information, and does not include publicly available information that is  
434 lawfully made available to the general public from federal, state or local  
435 government records or widely distributed media, and (2) "military  
436 identification information" means information identifying a person as a  
437 member of the armed forces, as defined in section 27-103, as amended  
438 by this act, or a veteran, as defined in subsection (a) of said section,  
439 including, but not limited to, a selective service number, military  
440 identification number, discharge document, military identification card  
441 or military retiree identification card.

442 Sec. 20. Subdivision (1) of section 28-17a of the 2020 supplement to  
443 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
444 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

445 (1) "Civil air patrol" means the civilian auxiliary of the United States  
446 Air Force, pursuant to section 15-98;

447 Sec. 21. Subdivision (1) of section 31-3j of the general statutes is  
448 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
449 *1, 2020*):

450 (1) "Board" means a regional [work force] workforce development  
451 board established under section 31-3k, as amended by this act;

452 Sec. 22. Subdivision (6) of section 31-3j of the general statutes is  
453 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
454 *1, 2020*):

455 (6) ["Work force development region"] "Workforce development  
456 region" or "region" means an area designated as a service delivery area  
457 in accordance with the provisions of the Job Training Partnership Act.

458 Sec. 23. Subsections (a) and (b) of section 31-3k of the general statutes  
459 are repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
460 *October 1, 2020*):

461 (a) There is established within the Labor Department a regional  
462 [work force] workforce development board for each [work force]  
463 workforce development region in the state. Each board shall assess the  
464 needs and priorities for investing in the development of human  
465 resources within the region and shall coordinate a broad range of  
466 employment, education, training and related services that shall be  
467 focused on client-centered, lifelong learning and shall be responsive to  
468 the needs of local business, industry, the region, its municipalities and  
469 its citizens.

470 (b) Each board, within its region, shall:

471 (1) Carry out the duties and responsibilities of a private industry  
472 council under the Job Training Partnership Act, provided the private  
473 industry council within the region elects by a vote of its members to  
474 become a board and the Labor Commissioner approves the council as a

475 regional [work force] workforce development board.

476 (2) Within existing resources and consistent with the state  
477 employment and training information system and any guidelines issued  
478 by the commissioner under subsection (b) of section 31-2, (A) assess  
479 regional needs and identify regional priorities for employment and  
480 training programs, including, but not limited to, an assessment of the  
481 special employment needs of unskilled and low-skilled unemployed  
482 persons, including persons receiving state-administered general  
483 assistance or short-term unemployment assistance, (B) conduct  
484 planning for regional employment and training programs, (C)  
485 coordinate such programs to ensure that the programs respond to the  
486 needs of labor, business and industry, municipalities within the region,  
487 the region as a whole, and all of its citizens, (D) serve as a clearinghouse  
488 for information on all employment and training programs in the region,  
489 (E) prepare and submit an annual plan containing the board's priorities  
490 and goals for regional employment and training programs to the  
491 commissioner and the commission for their review and approval, (F)  
492 review grant proposals and plans submitted to state agencies for  
493 employment and training programs that directly affect the region to  
494 determine whether such proposals and plans are consistent with the  
495 annual regional plan prepared under subparagraph (E) of this  
496 subdivision and inform the commission and each state agency  
497 concerned of the results of the review, (G) evaluate the effectiveness of  
498 employment and training programs within the region in meeting the  
499 goals contained in the annual regional plan prepared under  
500 subparagraph (E) of this subdivision and report its findings to the  
501 commissioner and the commission on an annual basis, (H) ensure the  
502 effective use of available employment and training resources in the  
503 region, and (I) allocate funds where applicable for program operations  
504 in the region.

505 (3) Provide information to the commissioner concerning (A) all  
506 employment and training programs, grants or funds to be effective or  
507 available in the region in the following program year, (B) the source and  
508 purpose of such programs, grants or funds, (C) the projected amount of



509 such programs, grants or funds, (D) persons, organizations and  
510 institutions eligible to participate in such programs or receive such  
511 grants or funds, (E) characteristics of clients eligible to receive services  
512 pursuant to such programs, grants or funds, (F) the range of services  
513 available pursuant to such programs, grants or funds, (G) goals of such  
514 programs, grants or funds, (H) where applicable, schedules for  
515 submitting requests for proposals, planning instructions, proposals and  
516 plans, in connection with such programs, grants or funds, (I) the  
517 program period for such programs, grants or funds, and (J) any other  
518 data relating to such programs, grants or funds that the commissioner  
519 or the commission deems essential for effective state planning.

520 (4) Carry out the duties and responsibilities of the local board for  
521 purposes of the federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of  
522 2014, P.L. 113-128, as from time to time amended.

523 (5) Establish a worker training education committee comprised of  
524 persons from the education and business communities within the  
525 region, including, but not limited to, regional community-technical  
526 colleges and technical education and career schools.

527 Sec. 24. Section 31-3*l* of the general statutes is repealed and the  
528 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

529 The members of a board shall be appointed by the chief elected  
530 officials of the municipalities in the region in accordance with the  
531 provisions of an agreement entered into by such municipalities. In the  
532 absence of an agreement the appointments shall be made by the  
533 Governor. The membership of each board shall satisfy the requirements  
534 for a private industry council as provided under the Job Training  
535 Partnership Act and the requirements of the federal Workforce  
536 Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014, P.L. 113-128, as from time to  
537 time amended. To the extent consistent with such requirements: (1)  
538 Business members shall constitute a majority of each board and shall  
539 include owners of businesses, chief executives or chief operating officers  
540 of nongovernmental employers, or other business executives who have

541 substantial management or policy responsibilities. Whenever possible,  
542 at least one-half of the business and industry members shall be  
543 representatives of small businesses, including minority businesses; (2)  
544 the nonbusiness members shall include representatives of community-  
545 based organizations, state and local organized labor, state and  
546 municipal government, human service agencies, economic  
547 development agencies and regional community-technical colleges and  
548 other educational institutions, including secondary and postsecondary  
549 institutions and regional vocational technical schools; (3) the  
550 nonbusiness representatives shall be selected by the appointing  
551 authority from among individuals nominated by the commissioner and  
552 the organizations, agencies, institutions and groups set forth in  
553 subdivisions (2) and (5) of this section, and each appointing authority  
554 shall solicit nominations from the commissioner and the organizations,  
555 agencies, institutions and groups set forth in subdivisions (2) and (5) of  
556 this section; (4) labor representatives shall be selected from individuals  
557 recommended by recognized state and local labor federations in a  
558 manner consistent with the federal Job Training Partnership Act and the  
559 federal Workforce Innovation and Opportunity Act of 2014, P.L. 113-  
560 128, as from time to time amended; (5) the board shall represent the  
561 interests of a broad segment of the population of the region, including  
562 the interests of welfare recipients, persons with disabilities, veterans,  
563 dislocated workers, younger and older workers, women, minorities and  
564 displaced homemakers; and (6) in each region where a private industry  
565 council has elected by a vote of its members to become a regional [work  
566 force] workforce development board and the commissioner has  
567 approved the council as a board, the initial membership of each board  
568 shall include, but not be limited to, the business members of the private  
569 industry council in the region.

570 Sec. 25. Subdivision (1) of subsection (c) of section 31-3w of the 2020  
571 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
572 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

573 (c) (1) When contacted by a veteran who is in need of employment or  
574 [work force] workforce development services, the department shall (A)

575 determine whether the veteran resides closer to a [work force]  
576 workforce development board facility with a veterans unit than to a  
577 department facility offering such employment or [work force]  
578 workforce development assistance and, if so, provide the veteran with  
579 contact information for the [work force] workforce development board,  
580 and (B) provide a veteran who expresses an interest in advanced  
581 manufacturing, as defined in section 31-11ss, as amended by this act,  
582 with information on the Military to Machinists program operated  
583 pursuant to section 31-11ss, as amended by this act, if such veteran may  
584 be eligible for services from such program.

585 Sec. 26. Subsection (b) of section 31-11ff of the 2020 supplement to the  
586 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
587 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

588 (b) The Connecticut Employment and Training Commission shall  
589 develop, in collaboration with the Connecticut state colleges and  
590 universities, Department of Education, and regional [work force]  
591 workforce development boards established pursuant to section 31-3j, as  
592 amended by this act, a state-wide plan for implementing, expanding or  
593 improving upon career certificate programs established under section  
594 10-20a, middle college programs, early college high school programs  
595 and Connecticut Early College Opportunity programs to provide  
596 education, training and placement in jobs available in the  
597 manufacturing, health care, construction, green, science, technology,  
598 computer science, engineering and mathematics industries and other  
599 emerging sectors of the state's economy. Such plan shall include a  
600 proposal to fund such programs.

601 Sec. 27. Section 31-11rr of the general statutes is repealed and the  
602 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

603 (a) There is established the Apprenticeship Connecticut initiative to  
604 develop [work force] workforce pipeline programs to train qualified  
605 entry-level workers for job placement with manufacturers and  
606 employers in other industry sectors in the state that are experiencing

607 sustained [work force] workforce shortages. The initiative shall include,  
608 where practicable, outreach to underserved populations, including  
609 youths, to achieve success in the program and support the state's  
610 economic development progress.

611 (b) (1) Not later than January 1, 2019, the Labor Commissioner shall  
612 issue a request for qualifications to solicit proposals from regional  
613 industry partnerships for a [work force] workforce pipeline program to  
614 serve the [work force] workforce needs of manufacturers and other  
615 employers in the region. To be eligible to submit a proposal, a regional  
616 industry partnership shall include as members of such partnership (A)  
617 entities and organizations with expertise in regional economic and work  
618 force development, including, but not limited to, entities offering  
619 apprenticeship or other [work force] workforce training programs, (B)  
620 the regional [work force] workforce development board, established  
621 pursuant to section 31-3k, as amended by this act, for the applicable  
622 [work force] workforce region, and (C) at least one educational  
623 institution such as a vocational-technical school or an institution of  
624 higher education or at least one employer located in the [work force]  
625 workforce region. A regional industry partnership may include other  
626 entities, organizations or institutions that support the goals of the  
627 partnership and initiative.

628 (2) Prior to the date established by the commissioner for the  
629 submission of responses to such request for qualifications, each regional  
630 [work force] workforce development board shall submit a report to the  
631 General Assembly, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a,  
632 that sets forth the most pressing [work force] workforce needs within  
633 such board's region and identifies the industry sector or sectors in which  
634 such needs are the greatest.

635 (c) Each proposal shall be submitted by the partnership through the  
636 regional [work force] workforce development board and shall  
637 demonstrate the targeted goal of preparing qualified entry-level  
638 workers for careers that provide a living wage. Each proposal shall  
639 include plans for the following core program components:

640 (1) Identification of the region's most pressing [work force] workforce  
641 needs and the industry sector or sectors in which such needs are the  
642 greatest, as reported to the General Assembly pursuant to subdivision  
643 (2) of subsection (b) of this section, and including a detailed plan of how  
644 the partnership's proposal will serve the employment needs of workers  
645 residing in all towns within the region served by the applicable regional  
646 [work force] workforce development board, focusing on those areas  
647 within such region with the most concentrated employment needs;

648 (2) Recruitment in the program of, and outreach efforts to, potential  
649 job seekers;

650 (3) (A) Screening and assessment of individuals interested in  
651 manufacturing work or employment in other sectors proposed to be  
652 targeted by the partnership, by which individuals will be assessed for  
653 work readiness, aptitude for the relevant work skills and on other  
654 metrics as specified by the partnership or as recommended by the Labor  
655 Department;

656 (B) Redirecting or connecting individuals determined through the  
657 screening and assessment process not to be suited for participation in  
658 the program to or with alternative career resources or services available  
659 to residents of the state that may be better suited to such individuals;

660 (C) Placement of individuals screened and assessed who are selected  
661 to participate in a training program, with an employer identified by the  
662 partnership, upon such individual's successful completion of the  
663 training program. Such identified employer shall commit to hire one or  
664 more individuals who successfully complete the training program and  
665 may further offer related on-the-job training or other in-house training  
666 opportunities to such individual or individuals. The partnership shall  
667 seek to leverage any such training or opportunities, apprenticeship  
668 programs, the Labor Department's subsidized training and employment  
669 program and other wage-subsidy programs with employers who  
670 commit to hiring individuals, and may seek program funding for  
671 retention services;

672 (4) (A) Separate training programs for participants (i) in the eleventh  
673 or twelfth grade, and (ii) eighteen years of age or older who are not  
674 currently enrolled in eleventh or twelfth grade. Such training programs  
675 shall be provided by partnership members or with the assistance of  
676 other parties as identified in the proposal;

677 (B) Training programs shall be not less than five consecutive weeks  
678 and not more than twenty-six consecutive weeks in duration. At least  
679 one training program offered for each age group shall be provided  
680 through a certified preapprenticeship program offered by the Labor  
681 Department. Any other training program may include a  
682 preapprenticeship component or award industry-recognized  
683 certificates, as proposed by the partnership;

684 (C) Training programs shall be developed and revised periodically  
685 through ongoing consultation with employers targeted for job  
686 placement of program participants;

687 (5) The duration of a [work force] workforce pipeline program shall  
688 be not less than four years from the date of its establishment;

689 (6) For each core program component, identification of specific  
690 existing resources available to such partnership through the regional  
691 [work force] workforce development board, the United States  
692 Department of Labor's American Job Center system, the state Labor  
693 Department, employers, apprenticeship or other [work force] workforce  
694 training programs, educational institutions in the state or other public  
695 or private funds. If the partnership proposes using program funds for  
696 the purposes of core program components, it shall demonstrate for each  
697 such component that there will be leveraged funding support from  
698 existing resources and that the use of program funds for such purposes  
699 will not affect the availability of such existing resources; and

700 (7) The following limits shall apply to the use of any program funds  
701 awarded to a partnership: (A) Not more than seventy per cent of such  
702 funds shall be used for the training programs set forth in subdivision (4)  
703 of this subsection; (B) not more than twenty per cent of such funds shall

704 be used for supporting services for the program, including recruitment  
705 and outreach efforts, screening and assessment, transportation,  
706 stipends, workplace tools or equipment and preemployment supports;  
707 and (C) not more than ten per cent of such funds shall be used for any  
708 other purpose, including administrative costs.

709 (d) (1) The commissioner shall review all qualifying responses to the  
710 request for qualifications and select as many proposals as the  
711 commissioner deems to be well-planned and the partnership to be  
712 capable of implementing its proposal. The commissioner shall select  
713 proposals so as to achieve a goal of not fewer than ten thousand  
714 individuals placed into new jobs over the first four years of a program,  
715 with one-third of such individuals from the group under subparagraph  
716 (A)(i) of subdivision (4) of subsection (c) of this section and two-thirds  
717 of such individuals from the group under subparagraph (A)(ii) of  
718 subdivision (4) of subsection (c) of this section.

719 (2) (A) The commissioner shall award funds to the partnerships  
720 selected under subdivision (1) of this subsection in proportion to the  
721 magnitude of the [work force] workforce needs within the [work force]  
722 workforce region proposed to be served, relative to the comparable  
723 [work force] workforce needs within other [work force] workforce  
724 regions of the state, provided no partnership shall receive more than  
725 twenty million dollars in total funding. The commissioner may further  
726 weight such distribution according to any total cost per program  
727 participant proposed by a partnership that the commissioner deems  
728 reasonable, and may give preference to a partnership with a lower total  
729 cost per program participant.

730 (B) The commissioner shall reserve from any funds awarded under  
731 subparagraph (A) of this subdivision sufficient funds to support the use  
732 of the certified preapprenticeship program offered by the Labor  
733 Department and shall transfer such reserved funds to the appropriate  
734 departmental account to be used for such purpose.

735 (e) Any regional industry partnership may seek (1) to leverage tuition

736 or financial assistance programs for purposes of the program and for the  
737 benefit of individuals participating in the program, and (2)  
738 philanthropic and employer investments to meet the goal set forth in  
739 subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of this section and to support retention  
740 of individuals participating in the program.

741 Sec. 28. Section 31-11ss of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes  
742 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
743 *October 1, 2020*):

744 (a) As used in this section:

745 (1) "Advanced manufacturing" means a manufacturing process that  
746 makes extensive use of computer, high-precision or information  
747 technologies integrated with a high-performance work force in a  
748 production system capable of furnishing a heterogeneous mix of  
749 products in small or large volumes with either the efficiency of mass  
750 production or the flexibility of custom manufacturing in order to  
751 respond quickly to customer demands. "Advanced manufacturing"  
752 includes newly developed methods to manufacture existing products  
753 and the manufacture of new products emerging from new advanced  
754 technologies;

755 (2) "Eligible business" means a business that (A) has operations in  
756 Connecticut, (B) has been registered to conduct business for not less than  
757 twelve months, and (C) is in good standing with respect to the payment  
758 of all state and local taxes. "Eligible business" does not include the state  
759 or any political subdivision thereof;

760 (3) "Private occupational school" has the same meaning as provided  
761 in section 10a-22a;

762 (4) "Public institution of higher education" means any of the  
763 institutions of higher education identified in subdivision (2) of section  
764 10a-1;

765 (5) "Qualifying advanced manufacturing certificate program" means



766 a for-credit or noncredit sub-baccalaureate advanced manufacturing  
767 certificate program offered by a public institution of higher education  
768 or a private occupational school in which at least seventy-five per cent  
769 of the graduates of such certificate program are employed in a field  
770 related to or requiring such certificate in the year following graduation;  
771 and

772 (6) "Veteran" means any person (A) honorably discharged from, or  
773 released under honorable conditions from active service in, the armed  
774 forces, as defined in section 27-103, as amended by this act, or (B) with  
775 a qualifying condition, as defined in section 27-103, as amended by this  
776 act, who has received a discharge other than bad conduct or  
777 dishonorable from active service in the armed forces.

778 (b) Not later than October 1, 2019, the [work force] workforce  
779 development board for the southwest [work force] workforce  
780 development region of the state shall develop and operate a pilot  
781 program to be known as the Military to Machinists program for  
782 veterans. The program shall assist any veteran in a region served by the  
783 pilot program in (1) earning an advanced manufacturing certificate from  
784 a qualifying advanced manufacturing certificate program, and (2)  
785 securing employment in the field of advanced manufacturing with any  
786 eligible business after such veteran has obtained an advanced  
787 manufacturing certificate.

788 (c) (1) The [work force] workforce development board for the  
789 southwest [work force] workforce development region of the state shall  
790 designate an appropriate number of employees, as determined by the  
791 board, to act as liaisons, and each liaison shall provide the assistance  
792 described in subsection (b) of this section on behalf of the program.

793 (2) In connection with providing the assistance described in  
794 subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of this section, each liaison designated  
795 pursuant to this subsection shall also assist a veteran served by the  
796 program to obtain funding for the cost of attending a qualifying  
797 advanced manufacturing certificate program. Such funding may

798 include, but need not be limited to, (A) tuition waivers under sections  
799 10a-77 and 10a-99, and (B) expenditures from the Workforce Training  
800 Authority Fund under section 31-11jj.

801 (3) In connection with providing the assistance described in  
802 subdivision (2) of subsection (b) of this section, each liaison designated  
803 pursuant to this subsection shall also assist any eligible business to  
804 apply for (A) a grant under section 31-3uu, as amended by this act, and  
805 (B) tax credits under section 12-217g, if applicable.

806 (d) The [work force] workforce development board for the southwest  
807 [work force] workforce development region of the state shall operate the  
808 pilot program within its [work force] workforce development region.  
809 The board may offer the program in other [work force] workforce  
810 development regions in the state, in conjunction with the appropriate  
811 regional [work force] workforce development board.

812 (e) Not later than February 1, 2020, the [work force] workforce  
813 development board for the southwest [work force] workforce  
814 development region of the state shall develop or approve promotional  
815 materials describing the pilot program and the various opportunities  
816 and benefits that the program may provide for veterans in the state. The  
817 board shall distribute such materials to qualified veterans' charitable  
818 organizations, as described in subsection (b) of section 27-100f, and  
819 Operation Academic Support for Incoming Service Members centers.  
820 The board shall revise and redistribute the materials as the board deems  
821 appropriate.

822 (f) Not later than February 1, 2020, and annually thereafter until the  
823 pilot program is terminated, the [work force] workforce development  
824 board for the southwest [work force] workforce development region of  
825 the state shall report on the operation of the pilot program and its  
826 recommendation to continue, discontinue or expand the program. Such  
827 report shall include measures of the effectiveness of the program,  
828 including, but not be limited to, data on the (1) number of veterans  
829 served by the pilot program; (2) number of veterans pursuing or earning

830 advanced manufacturing certificates through the program and the type  
831 and amount of funding assistance received by the veterans; and (3)  
832 number of veterans securing employment in the field of advanced  
833 manufacturing with an eligible business through the program, the  
834 salaries earned by such veterans, the number of such veterans retaining  
835 employment in advanced manufacturing over time and the number and  
836 amount of grants and tax credits received by eligible businesses hiring  
837 such veterans. The board shall submit the report, in accordance with the  
838 provisions of section 11-4a, to the joint standing committee of the  
839 General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to veterans'  
840 affairs.

841       Sec. 29. Section 31-11tt of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes  
842 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
843 *October 1, 2020*):

844       (a) Not later than October 1, 2019, the [work force] workforce  
845 development board for the southwest [work force] workforce  
846 development region of the state shall develop and operate a pilot  
847 program to be known as the Veterans Platform to Employment  
848 Program. The program shall provide training and subsidized  
849 employment for veterans who have experienced long-term  
850 unemployment in a similar manner to the Platform to Employment  
851 Program currently operated by such board. The pilot program shall  
852 provide veterans in a region served by the program with (1) a  
853 preparatory program that includes services such as skills assessments,  
854 career readiness workshops, employee assistance programs and  
855 coaching, and (2) employment assistance that includes identifying  
856 positions at local employers and providing subsidies to employers that  
857 hire veterans for trial work experiences that may lead to continued  
858 employment. The pilot program may offer additional services to assist  
859 veterans, including personal and family support services and financial  
860 counseling. As used in this section, "veteran" means any person (A)  
861 honorably discharged from, or released under honorable conditions  
862 from active service in, the armed forces, as defined in section 27-103, as  
863 amended by this act, or (B) with a qualifying condition, as defined in

864 section 27-103, as amended by this act, who has received a discharge  
865 other than bad conduct or dishonorable from active service in the armed  
866 forces.

867 (b) The [work force] workforce development board for the southwest  
868 [work force] workforce development region of the state shall operate the  
869 pilot program within its [work force] workforce development region.  
870 The board may offer the program in other [work force] workforce  
871 development regions in the state, in conjunction with the appropriate  
872 regional [work force] workforce development board.

873 (c) Not later than February 1, 2020, and annually thereafter until the  
874 pilot program is terminated, the [work force] workforce development  
875 board for the southwest [work force] workforce development region of  
876 the state shall submit a report on the operation of the pilot program and  
877 its recommendation to continue, discontinue or expand the program.  
878 Such report shall include measures of the effectiveness of the program,  
879 including, but not limited to, data on the (1) number of veterans served  
880 by the program, (2) number of veterans placed with employers by the  
881 program and the salaries earned by such veterans, and (3) number of  
882 such veterans retaining employment over time. The board shall submit  
883 the report, in accordance with the provisions of section 11-4a, to the joint  
884 standing committee of the General Assembly having cognizance of  
885 matters relating to veterans' affairs.

886 Sec. 30. Section 31-11uu of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes  
887 is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective*  
888 *October 1, 2020*):

889 Not later than October 1, 2019, the [work force] workforce  
890 development board for the southwest [work force] workforce  
891 development region of the state shall identify appropriate written  
892 materials to distribute to employers on the topic of mental health  
893 conditions common to veterans, including post-traumatic stress  
894 disorder, risk of suicide, depression and grief. Such materials shall  
895 provide guidance on (1) identifying the signs and symptoms of such

896 mental health conditions, and (2) assisting employees who are veterans  
897 and who exhibit such signs and symptoms in the workplace. The board  
898 shall distribute such materials to employers participating in or who may  
899 participate in the pilot programs established under sections 31-11ss and  
900 31-11tt, as amended by this act, and may distribute the materials to other  
901 employers that may hire veterans.

902 Sec. 31. Subsection (c) of section 32-23ww of the general statutes is  
903 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
904 *1, 2020*):

905 (c) There is established a grant program to be administered by the  
906 commissioner, in consultation with the Labor Commissioner, for the  
907 purpose of awarding grants under section 32-327 to agencies seeking to  
908 contract for educational and job placement assistance for displaced  
909 defense workers. The grant program shall be administered in a manner  
910 consistent with the state [work force] workforce development plan and  
911 the job training plan of the regional [work force] workforce  
912 development board established pursuant to section 31-3k, as amended  
913 by this act, in each region seeking a grant under such grant program.

914 Sec. 32. Subsection (b) of section 32-235 of the general statutes is  
915 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
916 *1, 2020*):

917 (b) The proceeds of the sale of said bonds, to the extent of the amount  
918 stated in subsection (a) of this section, shall be used by the Department  
919 of Economic and Community Development (1) for the purposes of  
920 sections 32-220 to 32-234, inclusive, including economic cluster-related  
921 programs and activities, and for the Connecticut job training finance  
922 demonstration program pursuant to sections 32-23uu and 32-23vv,  
923 provided (A) three million dollars shall be used by said department  
924 solely for the purposes of section 32-23uu and not more than five million  
925 two hundred fifty thousand dollars of the amount stated in said  
926 subsection (a) may be used by said department for the purposes of  
927 section 31-3u, (B) not less than one million dollars shall be used for an

928 educational technology grant to the deployment center program and the  
929 nonprofit business consortium deployment center approved pursuant  
930 to section 32-41l, (C) not less than two million dollars shall be used by  
931 said department for the establishment of a pilot program to make grants  
932 to businesses in designated areas of the state for construction,  
933 renovation or improvement of small manufacturing facilities, provided  
934 such grants are matched by the business, a municipality or another  
935 financing entity. The Commissioner of Economic and Community  
936 Development shall designate areas of the state where manufacturing is  
937 a substantial part of the local economy and shall make grants under such  
938 pilot program which are likely to produce a significant economic  
939 development benefit for the designated area, (D) five million dollars  
940 may be used by said department for the manufacturing competitiveness  
941 grants program, (E) one million dollars shall be used by said department  
942 for the purpose of a grant to the Connecticut Center for Advanced  
943 Technology, for the purposes of subdivision (5) of subsection (a) of  
944 section 32-7f, (F) fifty million dollars shall be used by said department  
945 for the purpose of grants to the United States Department of the Navy,  
946 the United States Department of Defense or eligible applicants for  
947 projects related to the enhancement of infrastructure for long-term, on-  
948 going naval operations at the United States Naval Submarine Base-New  
949 London, located in Groton, which will increase the military value of said  
950 base. Such projects shall not be subject to the provisions of sections 4a-  
951 60 and 4a-60a, (G) two million dollars shall be used by said department  
952 for the purpose of a grant to the Connecticut Center for Advanced  
953 Technology, Inc., for manufacturing initiatives, including aerospace and  
954 defense, and (H) four million dollars shall be used by said department  
955 for the purpose of a grant to companies adversely impacted by the  
956 construction at the Quinnipiac Bridge, where such grant may be used to  
957 offset the increase in costs of commercial overland transportation of  
958 goods or materials brought to the port of New Haven by ship or vessel,  
959 (2) for the purposes of the small business assistance program established  
960 pursuant to section 32-9yy, provided fifteen million dollars shall be  
961 deposited in the small business assistance account established pursuant  
962 to said section 32-9yy, (3) to deposit twenty million dollars in the small

963 business express assistance account established pursuant to section 32-  
964 7h, (4) to deposit four million nine hundred thousand dollars per year  
965 in each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 2017, to June 30, 2019,  
966 inclusive, and June 30, 2021, and nine million nine hundred thousand  
967 dollars in the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020, in the CTNext Fund  
968 established pursuant to section 32-39i, which shall be used by CTNext  
969 to provide grants-in-aid to designated innovation places, as defined in  
970 section 32-39j, planning grants-in-aid pursuant to section 32-39l, and  
971 grants-in-aid for projects that network innovation places pursuant to  
972 subsection (b) of section 32-39m, provided not more than three million  
973 dollars be used for grants-in-aid for such projects, and further provided  
974 any portion of any such deposit that remains unexpended in a fiscal year  
975 subsequent to the date of such deposit may be used by CTNext for any  
976 purpose described in subsection (e) of section 32-39i, (5) to deposit two  
977 million dollars per year in each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 2019,  
978 to June 30, 2021, inclusive, in the CTNext Fund established pursuant to  
979 section 32-39i, which shall be used by CTNext for the purpose of  
980 providing higher education entrepreneurship grants-in-aid pursuant to  
981 section 32-39g, provided any portion of any such deposit that remains  
982 unexpended in a fiscal year subsequent to the date of such deposit may  
983 be used by CTNext for any purpose described in subsection (e) of section  
984 32-39i, (6) for the purpose of funding the costs of the Technology Talent  
985 Advisory Committee established pursuant to section 32-7p, provided  
986 two million dollars per year in each of the fiscal years ending June 30,  
987 2017, to June 30, 2021, inclusive, shall be used for such purpose, (7) to  
988 provide (A) a grant-in-aid to the Connecticut Supplier Connection in an  
989 amount equal to two hundred fifty thousand dollars in each of the fiscal  
990 years ending June 30, 2017, to June 30, 2021, inclusive, and (B) a grant-  
991 in-aid to the Connecticut Procurement Technical Assistance Program in  
992 an amount equal to three hundred thousand dollars in each of the fiscal  
993 years ending June 30, 2017, to June 30, 2021, inclusive, (8) to deposit four  
994 hundred fifty thousand dollars per year, in each of the fiscal years  
995 ending June 30, 2017, to June 30, 2021, inclusive, in the CTNext Fund  
996 established pursuant to section 32-39i, which shall be used by CTNext  
997 to provide growth grants-in-aid pursuant to section 32-39g, provided

998 any portion of any such deposit that remains unexpended in a fiscal year  
999 subsequent to the date of such deposit may be used by CTNext for any  
1000 purpose described in subsection (e) of section 32-39i, (9) to transfer fifty  
1001 million dollars to the Labor Department which shall be used by said  
1002 department for the purpose of funding [work force] workforce pipeline  
1003 programs selected pursuant to section 31-11rr, as amended by this act,  
1004 (10) to transfer twenty million dollars to Connecticut Innovations,  
1005 Incorporated, provided ten million dollars shall be used by Connecticut  
1006 Innovations, Incorporated for the purpose of the proof of concept fund  
1007 established pursuant to subsection (b) of section 32-39x and ten million  
1008 dollars shall be used by Connecticut Innovations, Incorporated for the  
1009 purpose of the venture capital fund program established pursuant to  
1010 section 32-41oo. Not later than thirty days prior to any use of  
1011 unexpended funds under subdivision (4), (5) or (8) of this subsection,  
1012 the CTNext board of directors shall provide notice of and the reason for  
1013 such use to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly  
1014 having cognizance of matters relating to commerce and finance, revenue  
1015 and bonding.

1016 Sec. 33. Subsection (e) of section 33-673b of the 2020 supplement to  
1017 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1018 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1019 (e) When determining whether a statutory limitation on the liability  
1020 of an interest holder of a domestic entity for a debt, obligation or other  
1021 liability of such domestic entity, including without limitation, the  
1022 limitation set forth in section 33-673 or 34-251a, may be disregarded  
1023 based upon [on] a veil piercing doctrine, claim or remedy, a court shall  
1024 make such determination exclusively in accordance with the provisions  
1025 of this section and section 33-673a.

1026 Sec. 34. Subdivision (4) of section 36b-3 of the general statutes is  
1027 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
1028 *1, 2020*):

1029 (4) "Branch office" means any location other than the main office at



1030 which an agent or investment adviser agent regularly conducts business  
1031 on behalf of a broker-dealer or investment adviser, or any location that  
1032 is held out as such, excluding: (A) Any location that is established solely  
1033 for customer service or back-office-type functions where no sales  
1034 activities are conducted and that is not held out to the public as a branch  
1035 office, (B) any location that is the agent's or investment adviser agent's  
1036 primary residence, provided (i) only agents or investment adviser  
1037 agents who reside at the location and are members of the same  
1038 immediate family conduct business at the location, (ii) the location is not  
1039 held out to the public as an office and the agent or investment adviser  
1040 agent does not meet with customers at the location, (iii) neither  
1041 customer funds nor securities are handled at that location, (iv) the agent  
1042 or investment adviser agent is assigned to a designated branch office,  
1043 and such designated branch office is reflected on all business cards,  
1044 stationery, advertisements and other communications to the public by  
1045 such agent or investment adviser agent, (v) the agent's or investment  
1046 adviser agent's correspondence and communications with the public are  
1047 subject to the supervision of the broker-dealer or investment adviser  
1048 with which such agent or investment adviser agent is associated, (vi)  
1049 electronic communications, including [e-mail] electronic mail, are made  
1050 through the electronic system of the broker-dealer or investment  
1051 adviser, (vii) all orders for securities are entered through the designated  
1052 branch office or an electronic system established by a broker-dealer that  
1053 is reviewable at the branch office, (viii) written supervisory procedures  
1054 pertaining to supervision of activities conducted at the residence are  
1055 maintained by the broker-dealer or investment adviser, and (ix) a list of  
1056 the residence locations is maintained by the broker-dealer or investment  
1057 adviser, (C) any location, other than a primary residence, that is used for  
1058 securities or investment advisory business for less than thirty business  
1059 days in any one calendar year, provided the broker-dealer or investment  
1060 adviser complies with the provisions of subparagraph (B)(ii), (iii), (iv),  
1061 (v), (vi), (vii) and (viii) of this subdivision, (D) any office of convenience,  
1062 where associated persons occasionally and exclusively by appointment  
1063 meet with customers, which is not held out to the public as an office, (E)  
1064 any location that is used primarily to engage in nonsecurities activities

1065 and from which the agent or investment adviser agent effects no more  
1066 than twenty-five securities transactions in any one calendar year,  
1067 provided any advertisement or sales literature identifying such location  
1068 also sets forth the address and telephone number of the location from  
1069 which the agent or investment adviser agent conducting business at the  
1070 nonbranch locations is directly supervised, (F) the floor of a registered  
1071 national securities exchange where a broker-dealer conducts a direct  
1072 access business with public customers, (G) a temporary location  
1073 established in response to the implementation of a business continuity  
1074 plan, or (H) any other location not within the intent of this subdivision  
1075 as the commissioner may determine. As used in this subdivision, the  
1076 term "business day" does not include any partial business day, provided  
1077 the agent or investment adviser agent spends at least four hours on such  
1078 day at the designated branch office of such agent or investment adviser  
1079 agent during the hours that such office is normally open for business.

1080       Sec. 35. Subsection (a) of section 45a-177 of the 2020 supplement to  
1081 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1082 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1083       (a) All conservators, guardians and trustees of testamentary trusts,  
1084 unless excused by the will creating the trust, shall render periodic  
1085 accounts of their trusts signed under penalty of false statement to the  
1086 Probate Court having jurisdiction for allowance, at least once during  
1087 each three-year period and more frequently if required by the court or  
1088 by the will or trust instrument creating the trust. Except as otherwise  
1089 provided in rules of procedure adopted and promulgated by the judges  
1090 of the Supreme Court, under section 45a-78, the provisions of a will  
1091 excusing the trustee from rendering of periodic accounts does not  
1092 excuse the trustee from the rendering of a final account upon  
1093 termination of the trust as required by section 45a-481.

1094       Sec. 36. Subsection (b) of section 45a-186 of the 2020 supplement to  
1095 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1096 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1097 (b) Any person aggrieved by an order, denial or decree of a Probate  
1098 Court may appeal therefrom to the Superior Court. An appeal from a  
1099 matter heard under any provision of section 45a-593, 45a-594, 45a-595  
1100 or 45a-597, sections 45a-644 to 45a-677, inclusive, or sections 45a-690 to  
1101 [45a-705] 45a-703, inclusive, shall be filed not later than forty-five days  
1102 after the date on which the Probate Court sent the order, denial or  
1103 decree. Except as provided in sections 45a-187 and 45a-188, an appeal  
1104 from an order, denial or decree in any other matter shall be filed on or  
1105 before the thirtieth day after the date on which the Probate Court sent  
1106 the order, denial or decree. The appeal period shall be calculated from  
1107 the date on which the court sent the order, denial or decree by mail or  
1108 the date on which the court transmitted the order, denial or decree by  
1109 electronic service, whichever is later.

1110 Sec. 37. Subdivision (3) of subsection (l) of section 45a-186 of the 2020  
1111 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
1112 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1113 (3) The following matters shall not be referred to a special assignment  
1114 probate judge pursuant to this subsection: Appeals under sections 17a-  
1115 75 to 17a-83, inclusive, section 17a-274, sections 17a-495 to 17a-528,  
1116 inclusive, sections 17a-543, 17a-543a, 17a-685 to 17a-688, inclusive,  
1117 children's matters as defined in subsection (a) of section 45a-8a, sections  
1118 45a-644 to 45a-663, inclusive, [45a-668] 45a-690 to 45a-683, inclusive, and  
1119 45a-690 to 45a-700, inclusive, and any matter in a Probate Court heard  
1120 on the record in accordance with sections 51-72 and 51-73.

1121 Sec. 38. Subsection (c) of section 45a-499j of the 2020 supplement to  
1122 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1123 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1124 (c) The Attorney General has the rights of a qualified beneficiary with  
1125 respect to a charitable trust if (1) the trust's principal place of  
1126 administration is in this state; or (2) either the primary charitable  
1127 beneficiary or the intended charitable benefit is located in this state.

1128 Sec. 39. Subsection (b) of section 45a-499ii of the 2020 supplement to

1129 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1130 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1131 (b) The court may modify or terminate a noncharitable testamentary  
1132 or inter vivos trust or remove the trustee of the trust and appoint a  
1133 different trustee if it determines that the value of the trust property is  
1134 insufficient to justify the cost of administration relative to the material  
1135 purposes of the trust. Notwithstanding the provisions of this subsection,  
1136 the court may not terminate a testamentary or inter vivos trust  
1137 established pursuant to 42 USC 1396p(d)(4)(A) or (C), as amended from  
1138 time to time. The court may only modify a trust established pursuant to  
1139 42 USC 1396p(d)(4)(A) or (C), as amended from time to time to ensure  
1140 compliance with the requirements of federal law or to modify any  
1141 individual's contingent beneficial interest that is available only after  
1142 repayment to this state or another state for (1) medical assistance  
1143 provided; and (2) all claims for which this state would have claims  
1144 against the estate of the deceased beneficiary that have not previously  
1145 been paid or reimbursed. The provisions of this subsection providing  
1146 for repayment of medical assistance to the state for trusts established  
1147 under 42 USC 1396p(d)(4)(A) or (C), as amended from time to time, are  
1148 presumed to be a material purpose of the trust.

1149 Sec. 40. Subsection (f) of section 45a-499kkk of the 2020 supplement  
1150 to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1151 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1152 (f) Nothing in subsection (c) or (g) of this section limits a trustee's  
1153 obligations under section 45a-177, as amended by this act.

1154 Sec. 41. Subsection (b) of section 45a-716 of the 2020 supplement to  
1155 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1156 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1157 (b) The court shall cause notice of the hearing to be given to the  
1158 following persons, as applicable: (1) The minor child, if age twelve or  
1159 older; (2) the parent or parents of the minor child, including any parent  
1160 who has been removed as guardian; (3) the father of any minor child

1161 born out of wedlock, provided at the time of the filing of the petition (A)  
1162 he has been adjudicated the father of such child by a court of competent  
1163 jurisdiction, (B) he has acknowledged in writing that he is the father of  
1164 such child, (C) he has contributed regularly to the support of such child,  
1165 (D) his name appears on the birth certificate, (E) he has filed a claim for  
1166 paternity as provided under section 46b-172a, or (F) he has been named  
1167 in the petition as the father of the child by the mother; (4) the guardian  
1168 or any other person whom the court deems appropriate; (5) the  
1169 Commissioner of Children and Families; and (6) the Attorney General.  
1170 The Attorney General may file an appearance and shall be and remain  
1171 a party to the action if the child is receiving or has received aid or care  
1172 from the state, or if the child is receiving child support enforcement  
1173 services, as defined in subdivision (2) of subsection (b) of section 46b-  
1174 231. If the recipient of the notice is a person described in subdivision (2)  
1175 or (3) of this subsection or is any other person whose parental rights are  
1176 sought to be terminated in the petition, the notice shall contain a  
1177 statement that the respondent has the right to be represented by counsel  
1178 and that if the respondent is unable to pay for counsel, counsel [will]  
1179 shall be appointed for the respondent. The reasonable compensation for  
1180 such counsel shall be established by, and paid from funds appropriated  
1181 to, the Judicial Department, except that in the case of a Probate Court  
1182 matter, if funds have not been included in the budget of the Judicial  
1183 Department for such purposes, such compensation shall be established  
1184 by the Probate Court Administrator and paid from the Probate Court  
1185 Administration Fund.

1186 Sec. 42. Subsection (f) of section 46a-82 of the 2020 supplement to the  
1187 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1188 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1189 (f) Any complaint filed pursuant to this section shall be filed within  
1190 one hundred and eighty days after the alleged act of discrimination,  
1191 except that any complaint by a person (1) claiming to be aggrieved by a  
1192 violation of subsection (a) of section 46a-80 that occurred [on or] before  
1193 October 1, 2019, shall be filed within thirty days of the alleged act of  
1194 discrimination, and (2) claiming to be aggrieved by a violation of section

1195 46a-60, sections 46a-70 to 46a-78, inclusive, or section 46a-80 or 46a-81c,  
1196 that occurred on or after October 1, 2019, shall be filed not later than  
1197 three hundred days after the date of the alleged act of discrimination.

1198 Sec. 43. Subdivision (2) of subsection (a) of section 52-146v of the 2020  
1199 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
1200 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1201 (2) "First responder" means: Any peace officer, as defined in section  
1202 53a-3; any firefighter, as defined in section 7-313g; any person employed  
1203 as a firefighter by a private employer; [,] any ambulance driver,  
1204 emergency medical responder, emergency medical technician,  
1205 advanced emergency medical technician or paramedic, as defined in  
1206 section 19a-175; and any telecommunicator, as defined in section 28-30;  
1207 and

1208 Sec. 44. Subsection (a) of section 52-180c of the 2020 supplement to  
1209 the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1210 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1211 (a) As used in this section: (1) "Sexual misconduct" means any act that  
1212 is prohibited by section 53a-70b of the general statutes, revision of 1958,  
1213 revised to January 1, 2019, section 53a-70, 53a-70a, [53a-70b,] 53a-70c,  
1214 53a-71, 53a-72a, 53a-72b or 53a-73a, and any act that constitutes sexual  
1215 harassment, as defined in subdivision (8) of subsection (b) of section  
1216 46a-60; and (2) "victim" includes an alleged victim.

1217 Sec. 45. Subdivision (1) of subsection (b) of section 52-570d of the 2020  
1218 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
1219 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1220 (1) Any federal, state or local criminal law enforcement official or  
1221 agent of any such official who in the lawful performance of such  
1222 [official] official's or agent's duties, or at the request or direction of such  
1223 official or agent in the performance of such [official] official's or agent's  
1224 duties, records telephonic communications;

1225 Sec. 46. Subdivision (6) of subsection (a) of section 53a-18 of the 2020  
1226 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is  
1227 substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1228 (6) A teacher or other person entrusted with the care and supervision  
1229 of a minor for school purposes may use reasonable physical force upon  
1230 such minor when and to the extent such teacher or other person  
1231 reasonably believes such force to be necessary to (A) protect himself or  
1232 herself or others from immediate physical injury, (B) obtain possession  
1233 of a dangerous instrument or controlled substance, as defined in  
1234 subdivision (9) of section 21a-240, upon or within the control of such  
1235 minor, (C) protect property from physical damage, or (D) restrain such  
1236 minor or remove such minor to another area, to maintain order.

1237 Sec. 47. Subsection (b) of section 54-56i of the 2020 supplement to the  
1238 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1239 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1240 (b) Upon application by any such person for participation in such  
1241 program, the court shall, but only as to the public, order the court file  
1242 sealed, and such person shall pay to the court [of] an application fee of  
1243 one hundred dollars and a nonrefundable evaluation fee of one hundred  
1244 fifty dollars. A person shall be ineligible for participation in such pretrial  
1245 drug education and community service program if such person has  
1246 twice previously participated in (1) the pretrial drug education program  
1247 established under the provisions of this section in effect prior to October  
1248 1, 2013, (2) the community service labor program established under  
1249 section 53a-39c, (3) the pretrial drug education and community service  
1250 program established under this section, or (4) any of such programs,  
1251 except that the court may allow a person who has twice previously  
1252 participated in such programs to participate in the pretrial drug  
1253 education and community service program one additional time, for  
1254 good cause shown. The evaluation and application fee imposed under  
1255 this subsection shall be credited to the pretrial account established  
1256 under section 54-56k.

1257 Sec. 48. Subsection (d) of section 54-91a of the 2020 supplement to the  
1258 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1259 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1260 (d) In lieu of ordering a full presentence investigation, the court may  
1261 order an abridged version of such investigation, which (1) shall contain  
1262 (A) identifying information about the defendant, (B) information about  
1263 the pending case from the record of the court, (C) the circumstances of  
1264 the offense, (D) the attitude of the complainant or victim, (E) any  
1265 damages suffered by the victim, including medical expenses, loss of  
1266 earnings and property loss, and (F) the criminal record of the defendant,  
1267 and (2) may encompass one or more areas of the social history and  
1268 present condition of the defendant, including family background,  
1269 significant relationships or children, educational attainment or  
1270 vocational training, employment history, financial situation, housing  
1271 situation, medical status, mental health status, substance abuse history,  
1272 the results of any clinical evaluation conducted of the defendant or any  
1273 other information required by the court that is consistent with the  
1274 provisions of this section. If the court orders an abridged version of such  
1275 investigation for a felony involving family violence, as defined in  
1276 section 46b-38a, the abridged version of such investigation shall, in  
1277 addition to the information set forth in subdivision (1) of this subsection,  
1278 contain the following information concerning the defendant: (A) Family  
1279 background, (B) significant relationships [of] or children, (C) mental  
1280 health status, and (D) substance abuse history.

1281 Sec. 49. Subsection (a) of section 54-209 of the 2020 supplement to the  
1282 general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu  
1283 thereof (*Effective October 1, 2020*):

1284 (a) The Office of Victim Services or, on review, a victim compensation  
1285 commissioner, may order the payment of compensation in accordance  
1286 with the provisions of sections 54-201 to 54-218, inclusive, for personal  
1287 injury or death which resulted from: (1) An attempt to prevent the  
1288 commission of crime or to apprehend a suspected criminal or in aiding  
1289 or attempting to aid a police officer so to do, (2) the commission or



1290 attempt to commit by another of any crime as provided in section 53a-  
 1291 24, (3) any crime that occurred outside the territorial boundaries of the  
 1292 United States that would be considered a crime within this state,  
 1293 provided the victim of such crime is a resident of this state, or (4) any  
 1294 crime involving international terrorism as defined in [Section 2331 of  
 1295 Title 18 of the United States Code] 18 USC 2331, as amended from time  
 1296 to time.

1297       Sec. 50. Subsection (f) of section 54-211 of the general statutes is  
 1298 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October*  
 1299 *1, 2020*):

1300       (f) Compensation shall be awarded pursuant to sections 54-201 to 54-  
 1301 218, inclusive, for personal injury or death resulting from a crime which  
 1302 occurs (1) within this state, regardless of the residency of the applicant;  
 1303 (2) outside this state but within the territorial boundaries of the United  
 1304 States, provided the victim, at the time of injury or death, was a resident  
 1305 of this state and the state in which such crime occurred does not have a  
 1306 program for compensation of victims for which such victim is eligible;  
 1307 (3) outside the territorial boundaries of the United States, provided the  
 1308 victim was a resident of this state at the time of injury or death, the crime  
 1309 would be considered a crime within the State of Connecticut, and the  
 1310 country in which such crime occurred does not have a program for  
 1311 compensation of victims for which such victim is eligible; and (4)  
 1312 outside the territorial boundaries of the United States, provided the  
 1313 applicant is a victim of international terrorism, as defined in [Section  
 1314 2331 of Title 18 of the United States Code] 18 USC 2331, as amended  
 1315 from time to time, and was a resident of this state at the time of injury  
 1316 or death.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	5-259(a)
Sec. 2	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	5-259(i)
Sec. 3	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	7-425(1)
Sec. 4	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	7-427(a)

Sec. 5	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	7-427a
Sec. 6	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	7-427b
Sec. 7	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	10a-55f
Sec. 8	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	10-183uu(a)
Sec. 9	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	10-248a
Sec. 10	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	12-71e(c)
Sec. 11	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	13b-376(c)
Sec. 12	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	14-11j
Sec. 13	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	14-96q(f)
Sec. 14	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	14-96q(h)
Sec. 15	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	17a-2(b) and (c)
Sec. 16	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	18-52a(b)
Sec. 17	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	22a-201c(a) and (b)
Sec. 18	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	27-103(a)
Sec. 19	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	27-138h(a)
Sec. 20	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	28-17a(1)
Sec. 21	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-3j(1)
Sec. 22	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-3j(6)
Sec. 23	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-3k(a) and (b)
Sec. 24	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-3l
Sec. 25	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-3w(c)(1)
Sec. 26	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-11ff(b)
Sec. 27	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-11rr
Sec. 28	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-11ss
Sec. 29	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-11tt
Sec. 30	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	31-11uu
Sec. 31	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	32-23ww(c)
Sec. 32	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	32-235(b)
Sec. 33	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	33-673b(e)
Sec. 34	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	36b-3(4)
Sec. 35	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	45a-177(a)
Sec. 36	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	45a-186(b)
Sec. 37	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	45a-186(l)(3)
Sec. 38	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	45a-499j(c)
Sec. 39	<i>October 1, 2020</i>	45a-499ii(b)
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**Statement of Purpose:**

To make various technical changes concerning grammar, clarity and accuracy of internal references and consistency in the general statutes.

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