



STATE OF CONNECTICUT
EXECUTIVE CHAMBERS

DANNEL P. MALLOY
GOVERNOR

GOVERNOR'S OFFICE

July 11, 2011

BILL NOTIFICATION
RELEASE No. 10

For Immediate Release

Governor Dannel P. Malloy signed the following legislation of the 2011 Session on July 8th:

S.A. 11-7
sH.B. 5816

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A WORKING GROUP ON YOUTH
VIOLENCE

This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

S.A. 11-8
H.B. 6100

AN ACT CONCERNING IMPROVEMENT DISTRICTS IN THE
TOWN OF WINDSOR

This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

S.A. 11-9
sH.B. 6103

AN ACT CONCERNING A REVIEW OF THE COST TO
MUNICIPALITIES OF STATE-MANDATED SPECIAL EDUCATION
REQUIREMENTS

This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

S.A. 11-10
sH.B. 6126

AN ACT AUTHORIZING BICYCLISTS TO CROSS THE
HOUSATONIC RAILROAD AT GRADE IN NEW MILFORD

This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

S.A. 11-16
sS.B. 1196

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONVEYANCE OF CERTAIN
PARCELS OF STATE LAND AND THE REMOVAL OF CERTAIN
TRAFFIC SIGNS

This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-60
sS.B. 1104

AN ACT CONCERNING CHARTER SCHOOLS

This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-67
sS.B. 10
AN ACT CONCERNING INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR BREAST
MAGNETIC RESONANCE IMAGING AND PERMITTING
DISTRICTS TO JOIN MUNICIPALITIES AND BOARDS OF
EDUCATION TO PROCURE HEALTH CARE BENEFITS
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-68
S.B. 371
AN ACT CONCERNING THE INDICATION OF A PERSON'S
STATUS AS A VETERAN ON A MOTOR VEHICLE OPERATOR'S
LICENSE AND IDENTITY CARD AND THE ISSUANCE OF FREE
PASSES FOR ANY STATE PARK, FOREST OR STATE
RECREATIONAL FACILITY TO CERTAIN DISABLED VETERANS
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-69
sS.B. 518
AN ACT AUTHORIZING ELECTRONIC SIGNATURES ON
DECLARATIONS OF PERSONAL PROPERTY
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-70
sS.B. 858
AN ACT CONCERNING THE KIRKLYN M. KERR PROGRAM, A
STRATEGIC PLAN FOR HIGHER EDUCATION, CHEFA, THE
TRACKING OF UNIQUE IDENTIFIERS BY INSTITUTIONS OF
HIGHER EDUCATION AND TECHNICAL REVISIONS TO THE
HIGHER EDUCATION STATUTES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-72
sS.B. 1076
AN ACT CONCERNING RESIDENT PARTICIPATION IN THE
REVITALIZATION OF PUBLIC HOUSING
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-73
S.B. 1098
AN ACT REGULATING THE SALE AND POSSESSION OF
SYNTHETIC MARIJUANA AND SALVIA DIVINORUM
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-74
sS.B. 1112
AN ACT CONCERNING BOATING UNDER THE INFLUENCE AND
OTHER REVISIONS TO ENVIRONMENT RELATED STATUTES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-75
sS.B. 1152
AN ACT CONCERNING THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT
HEALTH CENTER
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-76
sS.B. 1201
AN ACT CONCERNING PATIENT ACCESS AND CONTROL OVER
MEDICAL TEST RESULTS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-77
S.B. 1207 AN ACT CONCERNING OFFERS OF COMPROMISE
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-78
sS.B. 1216 AN ACT CONCERNING THE URBAN REINVESTMENT ACT AND
THE FEDERAL NEW MARKETS TAX CREDIT PROGRAM AND
CORRECTING AN EFFECTIVE DATE
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-79
sS.B. 860 AN ACT CONCERNING BONDS AND OTHER SURETY FOR
APPROVED SITE PLANS AND SUBDIVISIONS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-81
sS.B. 863 AN ACT CONCERNING THE LICENSING OF SWIMMING POOL
INSTALLERS, ELECTRONIC NOTICE OF PROPOSED AGENCY
REGULATIONS AND MINOR AND TECHNICAL CHANGES TO
DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION STATUTES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-82
sS.B. 881 AN ACT CONCERNING THE POWERS OF THE STATE
TREASURER, DIVESTMENT OF STATE FUNDS INVESTED IN
COMPANIES DOING BUSINESS IN IRAN AND SUDAN, AND THE
MEMBERSHIP OF A MEDICAL EXAMINING BOARD AND THE
CONNECTICUT STATE EMPLOYEES RETIREMENT COMMISSION
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-83
sS.B. 923 AN ACT CONCERNING THE AMERICAN COLLEGE OF
RADIOLOGY AND COLORECTAL CANCER SCREENING
RECOMMENDATIONS AND HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE
FOR COLONOSCOPIES
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.

P.A. 11-85
sS.B. 929 AN ACT CONCERNING CLOSING THE ACADEMIC
ACHIEVEMENT GAP
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-86
sS.B. 1001 AN ACT CREATING THE FIRST FIVE PROGRAM
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-87
sS.B. 936 AN ACT EXTENDING THE LOOK-BACK PERIOD TO DETERMINE
ELIGIBILITY FOR UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION EXTENDED
BENEFITS
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-88
sH.B. 5032 AN ACT REQUIRING HEALTH INSURANCE COVERAGE FOR BONE MARROW TESTING
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.

P.A. 11-90
H.B. 5300 AN ACT CONCERNING THE SPEED LIMITS OF BOATS ON THE MYSTIC RIVER
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-91
sH.B. 5340 AN ACT RENAMING THE STATE POLICE FORENSIC SCIENCE LABORATORY AS THE "DR. HENRY C. LEE FORENSIC SCIENCE LABORATORY"
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-92
sH.B. 5415 AN ACT REQUIRING FULL DISCLOSURE TO PROSPECTIVE ATHLETES BEING RECRUITED TO INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-93
sH.B. 5431 AN ACT CONCERNING THE RESPONSE OF SCHOOL DISTRICTS AND THE DEPARTMENTS OF EDUCATION AND CHILDREN AND FAMILIES TO REPORTS OF CHILD ABUSE AND NEGLECT AND THE IDENTIFICATION OF FOSTER CHILDREN IN A SCHOOL DISTRICT
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-94
H.B. 5437 AN ACT CONCERNING SECURITY DEPOSITS
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.

P.A. 11-96
H.B. 5585 AN ACT CONCERNING DESIGNATED REHABILITATION AREAS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-97
H.B. 5634 AN ACT CONCERNING EXPEDITED LICENSING PROCESSES FOR PREVIOUSLY LICENSED OPERATORS OF CHILD DAY CARE CENTERS AND GROUP DAY CARE HOMES AND THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A PILOT PROGRAM THAT PROVIDES TEMPORARY CARE TO CHILDREN WITH ILLNESSES
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-98
H.B. 5697 AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO THE MUNICIPAL ENERGY COOPERATIVE STATUTES
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-99
H.B. 5780 AN ACT CONCERNING INTERLOCAL AGREEMENTS
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-100
sH.B. 5795
AN ACT CONCERNING THE LICENSING AND RECORD KEEPING OF PAWNBROKERS, SECONDHAND DEALERS AND PRECIOUS METALS OR STONES DEALERS, THE RETENTION OF CERTAIN GOODS AND CERTAIN FEES CHARGED BY PAWNBROKERS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-101
sH.B. 5802
AN ACT ADOPTING CERTAIN SAFETY RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE THOMAS COMMISSION
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-102
sH.B. 6113
AN ACT CONCERNING THE INVESTIGATION OF MISSING ADULT PERSONS REPORTS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-103
H.B. 6221
AN ACT CONCERNING THE ELIMINATION OF CERTAIN SUNSET DATES
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-104
H.B. 6222
AN ACT CONCERNING THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TECHNICAL CORRECTIONS TO COMMERCE STATUTES
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-105
sH.B. 6227
AN ACT CONCERNING A REGIONAL STRUCTURE FOR THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES AND MISCELLANEOUS CHANGES TO THE GENERAL STATUTES CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-106
sH.B. 6233
AN ACT CONCERNING PAYMENT FOR REPAIR OR REMEDIATION FOLLOWING A COVERED LOSS UNDER A PERSONAL OR COMMERCIAL RISK POLICY
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-108
sH.B. 6274
AN ACT CONCERNING AMENDMENTS TO ARTICLE 9 OF THE UNIFORM COMMERCIAL CODE CONCERNING SECURED TRANSACTIONS
This Act shall take effect on July 1, 2013.

P.A. 11-109 sH.B. 6282	AN ACT REQUIRING AN ANNUAL RESULTS-BASED ACCOUNTABILITY REPORT CARD EVALUATING STATE POLICIES AND PROGRAMS IMPACTING CHILDREN This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
P.A. 11-110 H.B. 6284	AN ACT CONCERNING REVISIONS TO THE BANKING STATUTES TO REFLECT CHANGES MADE PURSUANT TO THE DODD-FRANK WALL STREET REFORM AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT This Act shall take effect on July 21, 2011
P.A. 11-111 sH.B. 6303	AN ACT CONCERNING THE TREATMENT OF ILL AND INJURED ANIMALS IN MUNICIPAL ANIMAL SHELTERS This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
P.A. 11-112 sH.B. 6312	AN ACT CONCERNING THE RIGHTS OF A PARENT OR GUARDIAN IN AN INVESTIGATION BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
P.A. 11-113 H.B. 6314	AN ACT CONCERNING THE SEXUAL ASSAULT OF PERSONS PLACED OR RECEIVING SERVICES UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSIONER OF DEVELOPMENTAL SERVICES This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
P.A. 11-114 sH.B. 6318	AN ACT CONCERNING DONATIONS OF EQUIPMENT TO THE REGIONAL VOCATIONAL-TECHNICAL SCHOOL SYSTEM This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.
P.A. 11-115 sH.B. 6325	AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILE REENTRY AND EDUCATION This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
P.A. 11-116 sH.B. 6336	AN ACT CONCERNING KINSHIP CARE This Act has various effective dates. Refer to text of bill.
P.A. 11-117 H.B. 6338	AN ACT CONCERNING LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, PENALTIES FOR UNLICENSED OCCUPATIONAL WORK AND DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION RETIREMENT STATUS LICENSES This Act has various effective dates. Refer to text of bill.
P.A. 11-119 H.B. 6350	AN ACT CONCERNING THE ATTORNEY GENERAL'S AUTHORITY TO ENFORCE PROVISIONS OF THE DODD-FRANK WALL STREET REFORM AND CONSUMER PROTECTION ACT This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

- P.A. 11-120
H.B. 6352
AN ACT CONCERNING THE MEMBERSHIP OF THE ADVISORY COUNCIL ON CHILDREN AND FAMILIES AND MODIFICATIONS TO STATUTES CONCERNING THE DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)
- P.A. 11-121
H.B. 6354
AN ACT CONCERNING THE PHARMACY PRACTICE ACT AND PRACTITIONER CONTROLLED SUBSTANCE REGISTRATION
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.
- P.A. 11-122
H.B. 6356
AN ACT CONCERNING A CLARIFICATION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES' REQUIREMENT TO GIVE NOTICE REGARDING REPAYMENT OF SERVICES
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-123
H.B. 6412
AN ACT CONCERNING THE SMALL TOWN ECONOMIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.
- P.A. 11-124
H.B. 6413
AN ACT CONCERNING THE STATE'S CONSOLIDATED PLAN FOR HOUSING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-125
sH.B. 6422
AN ACT CONCERNING THE NOTIFICATION OF MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION DECISIONS IN DISPUTES BETWEEN BOARDS OF EDUCATION AND TEACHERS BARGAINING UNITS
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-126
H.B. 6433
AN ACT CONCERNING ADULT EDUCATION
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-127
sH.B. 6434
AN ACT CONCERNING NONPUBLIC SCHOOL TEACHING EXPERIENCE AND PROFESSIONAL CERTIFICATION
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-128
sH.B. 6438
AN ACT CONCERNING PROBATE COURT OPERATIONS
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)
- P.A. 11-129
sH.B. 6440
AN ACT CONCERNING APPLICATIONS FOR GUARDIANSHIP OF AN ADULT WITH INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY AND CERTAIN STATUTORY CHANGES RELATED TO INTELLECTUAL DISABILITY
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-130
sH.B. 6448
AN ACT EXEMPTING CERTAIN NEW SCHOOL BUSES FROM THE FIRST ANNUAL INSPECTION FOLLOWING THE REGISTRATION OF SUCH BUSES
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-131
H.B. 6455
AN ACT REPEALING CERTAIN STATUTES RELATED TO THE DEPARTMENT OF ECONOMIC AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-132
sH.B. 6471
AN ACT CONCERNING MOST FAVORED NATION CLAUSES IN HEALTH CARE PROVIDER CONTRACTS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-133
sH.B. 6485
AN ACT CONCERNING THE ALIGNMENT OF POSTSECONDARY EDUCATION AND EMPLOYMENT
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-134
H.B. 6490
AN ACT ESTABLISHING A PROCEDURE FOR RELIEF FROM CERTAIN FEDERAL FIREARMS PROHIBITIONS
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-135
sH.B. 6498
AN ACT CONCERNING IMPLEMENTATION DATES FOR SECONDARY SCHOOL REFORM, EXCEPTIONS TO THE SCHOOL GOVERNANCE COUNCIL REQUIREMENT AND THE INCLUSION OF CONTINUOUS EMPLOYMENT IN A COOPERATIVE ARRANGEMENT AS PART OF THE DEFINITION OF TEACHER TENURE
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-136
sH.B. 6499
AN ACT CONCERNING MINOR REVISIONS TO THE EDUCATION STATUTES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-137
sH.B. 6357
AN ACT CONCERNING ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS UNDER THE MEDICAID ELECTRONIC HEALTH RECORD INCENTIVE PROGRAM AND RETURN RECEIPTS FOR AGENCY NOTICES
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.

P.A. 11-138
H.B. 6508
AN ACT CONCERNING TIMELY HISTORY REPORTS FOR COMMERCIAL RISK INSURANCE POLICIES
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.

- P.A. 11-139
H.B. 6513
AN ACT CONCERNING THE LEGISLATIVE COMMISSIONERS' RECOMMENDATIONS FOR TECHNICAL REVISIONS TO THE GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS STATUTES AND PUBLIC ACTS
This Act took effect upon the Governor signing the bill.
- P.A. 11-140
sH.B. 6525
AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONTINUANCE OF THE MAJORITY LEADERS' JOB GROWTH ROUNDTABLE
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)
- P.A. 11-141
sH.B. 6526
AN ACT CONCERNING BROWNFIELD REMEDIATION AND DEVELOPMENT AS AN ECONOMIC DRIVER
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)
- P.A. 11-143
sH.B. 6532
AN ACT CONCERNING THE PRESIDENTIAL PREFERENCE PRIMARY
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-144
sH.B. 6538
AN ACT CONCERNING THE COLLECTION OF BLOOD AND OTHER BIOLOGICAL SAMPLES FOR DNA ANALYSIS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-145
H.B. 6561
AN ACT CONCERNING A WAIVER FROM REQUIRED ELECTRONIC REPORTING AND PAYMENT OF TAXE
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-146
sH.B. 6565
AN ACT CONCERNING BUSINESS ENTITY FILINGS
This Act shall take effect on January 1, 2012.
- P.A. 11-147
H.B. 6590
AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONNECTICUT BUSINESS CORPORATION ACT
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-148
sH.B. 6596
AN ACT ESTABLISHING ADVISORY COMMITTEES TO THE DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION IN CERTAIN MUNICIPALITIES
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.
- P.A. 11-149
sH.B. 6598
AN ACT CONCERNING OFFERS OF COMPROMISE IN CONSTRUCTION CONTRACT ARBITRATION PROCEEDINGS, MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION OF CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS, AND ETHICAL VIOLATIONS CONCERNING BIDDING AND STATE CONTRACTS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-150
sH.B. 6600
AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LEGISLATIVE PAPERLESS TASK FORCE AND THE TASK FORCE TO STUDY THE REDUCTION OF STATE AGENCY PAPER AND DUPLICATIVE PROCEDURES
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-151
H.B. 6614
AN ACT CONCERNING MEDICAL FOUNDATIONS
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-152
sH.B. 6629
AN ACT CONCERNING DOMESTIC VIOLENCE
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-153
sH.B. 6631
AN ACT CONCERNING THE CREATION OF A REPLACEMENT BIRTH CERTIFICATE PURSUANT TO A GESTATIONAL AGREEMENT
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-154
sH.B. 6634
AN ACT CONCERNING DETENTION OF CHILDREN AND DISPROPORTIONATE MINORITY CONTACT IN THE JUVENILE JUSTICE SYSTEM
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-155
H.B. 6635
AN ACT CONCERNING THE COURT SUPPORT SERVICES DIVISION OF THE JUDICIAL BRANCH
This Act took effect on July 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-156
H.B. 6636
AN ACT CONCERNING CHILDREN CONVICTED AS DELINQUENT WHO ARE COMMITTED TO THE CUSTODY OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-157
sH.B. 6638
AN ACT CONCERNING JUVENILE JUSTICE
This Act has various effective dates. [Refer to text of bill.](#)

P.A. 11-158
sH.B. 6639
AN ACT CONCERNING ELIGIBILITY FOR THE ACCELERATED REHABILITATION PROGRAM
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

P.A. 11-159
H.B. 6642
AN ACT CONCERNING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE NATIONAL PRISON RAPE ELIMINATION COMMISSION
This Act shall take effect on October 1, 2011.

Governor Dannel P. Malloy vetoed the following legislation of the 2011 Session on July 8th:

P.A. 11-95
H.B. 5482

AN ACT RECONSTITUTING THE CONNECTICUT CAPITOL
CENTER COMMISSION

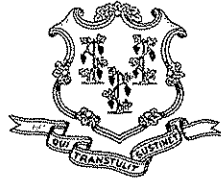
This Act would have been effective on July 1, 2011. The
Governor vetoed the bill. Scroll down to read veto message.

P.A. 11-142
S.B. 6529

AN ACT PROMOTING ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT IN THE AREA
SURROUNDING OXFORD AIRPORT

This Act would have been effective on October 1, 2011. The
Governor vetoed the bill. Scroll down to read veto message.

As of this date, the Governor has signed one hundred and sixty-three (163) bills, vetoed five (5) bills and returned without signature one (1) bill of the 2011 Legislative Session. The Governor signed one (1) bill of the June 2011 Special Session.



Dannel P. Malloy

GOVERNOR
STATE OF CONNECTICUT

July 8, 2011

The Honorable Denise Merrill
Secretary of the State
30 Trinity Street
Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Madam Secretary:

I am hereby returning, without my signature, House Bill 5482, *An Act Reconstituting the Connecticut Capitol Center Commission*. This bill would change the membership of the Connecticut Capitol Center Commission (the "Commission") and expand the Commission's authority. These legislative changes will diminish the state's ability to develop, purchase or use properties in the area surrounding the State Capitol in a manner that it deems desirable and appropriate. HB 5482 also directly conflicts with a provision in Public Act 11-51, *An Act Implementing the Provisions of the Budget Concerning the Judicial Branch, Child Protection, Criminal Protection, Criminal Justice, Weigh Stations, and Certain State Agency Consolidations*, which implemented the recent agency consolidation plan.

The area around the State Capitol is known as the Capitol Center District. The Capitol Center District is intended to be the central location for the three branches of state government. Development in the Capitol Center District is guided by a master plan. Formerly, the authority to amend and implement the master plan was vested in the Department of Public Works (DPW). The role of the Commission was to review the master plan every five years and forward recommended changes to the Governor and the General Assembly.

Under the recent agency consolidation, DPW was eliminated and its functions were split between the Department of Administrative Services (DAS) and the Department of Construction Services (DCS). Implementation of the agency consolidation plan was a several week negotiation process between the Administration and the General Assembly. One of the results of this process was an agreement that DAS would be given authority over agency space planning functions. Therefore, the bulk of DPW's former responsibilities with respect to the Capitol Center District were transferred to DAS, while a few others were transferred to DCS. Consistent with the agreement reached during the consolidation process, Public Act 11-51 removed the DPW Commissioner as a member of the Commission and the Commissioners of DAS and DCS were added. In all other respects, the Commission's responsibilities and membership remained the same. I signed this bill into law last Thursday, June 30, 2011.

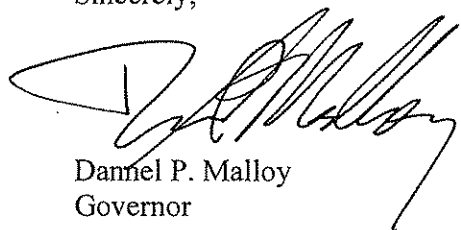
HB 5482 would now dramatically alter the make-up and authority of the Commission. It removes the Commissioners of DAS, DCS, and DECD as members. It also installs the mayor of the city of Hartford as chairperson of the Commission – replacing the Secretary of OPM – and adds several representatives from the city of Hartford, including a City Council member and two representatives from Hartford 2000, Inc. In sum, membership of the Commission under Public Act 11-51 consists of five executive branch members, six legislative appointments, and three representatives of the city of Hartford. Under HB 5482, executive branch representation would be reduced to two and city of Hartford representation would be increased to six.

HB 5482 would also expand the power of the Commission and undermine the Administration's authority by providing that the Commission may revise the master plan – not only review it and recommend changes – and eliminate the right of the DAS Commissioner to amend the plan. The amended plan would be submitted to the General Assembly only, not to me and the General Assembly as Public Act 11-51 dictates. I object to this reduction of executive input and authority into the development of the Capitol Center District, considering that the vast majority of state property in that area is dedicated to use by executive branch agencies.

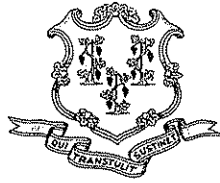
I agree that the city of Hartford should have input into the development of the Capitol Center District. That input, however, should be balanced with input from the legislative and executive branches of state government. HB 5482 does not reflect such balance. I invite proponents of this bill to discuss with me in the future how best to configure the Commission to ensure that the relevant stakeholders are given an appropriate level of input and authority in the development of the Capitol Center District. I cannot, however, accept the reconstitution of the Commission as set forth in HB 5482.

For these reasons, I disapprove of House Bill 5482, *An Act Reconstituting the Connecticut Capitol Center Commission*. Pursuant to Section 15 of Article Fourth of the Constitution of the State of Connecticut, I am returning House Bill 5482 without my signature.

Sincerely,



Daniel P. Malloy
Governor



Dannel P. Malloy

GOVERNOR
STATE OF CONNECTICUT

July 8, 2011

The Honorable Denise Merrill
Secretary of the State
30 Trinity Street
Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Madam Secretary:

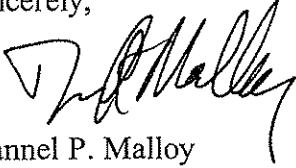
I am hereby returning without my signature substitute House Bill 6529, *An Act Promoting Economic Development In The Area Surrounding Oxford Airport*. This legislation would extend significant tax exemptions and corporate business tax credits to a large area that encompasses much more land than the area immediately near Oxford Airport, and would include census tracts not only in Oxford, but also in Middlebury and Southbury. The state would reimburse those municipalities for up to one half of the lost tax revenues from development in the areas covered within those three towns.

While this legislation, on a more limited scale, might be advantageous or desirable in the future, it is premature now. The General Assembly passed Senate Bill 1003, *An Act Concerning the Connecticut Airport Authority*, this last session, and I signed it into law last week. The Connecticut Airport Authority ("CAA") is an important initiative for the state, and is intended to bring a cohesive, integrated and systematic structure to the operation, management and development of the general aviation airports in Connecticut, including Oxford Airport. Specifically, pursuant to Section 3 of Senate Bill 1003, the CAA is charged with ensuring that the economic development potential of airports such as Oxford Airport is fully realized. Further, the CAA must ensure that the appropriate mission statements, business plans, minimum development standards and strategic goals are established for the state's airports and that progress in these areas is regularly assessed. Finally, the CAA must approve master plans for the state's airports, and must establish and review policies and plans for the development, lease and use of airport property.

Clearly, the CAA must play a significant role in the economic development future of Oxford Airport and the surrounding areas. Given this fact -- and the importance of developing one integrated approach to our initiatives in this field -- it is premature to approve an airport development zone that includes areas surrounding Oxford Airport and beyond before the CAA has the opportunity to properly analyze and consider the implications of such a zone in the context of its larger mission purpose.

For these reasons, I disapprove of substitute House Bill 6529, *An Act Promoting Economic Development In The Area Surrounding Oxford Airport*. Pursuant to Section 15 of Article Fourth of the Constitution of the State of Connecticut, I am returning substitute House Bill 6529 without my signature.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "D. Malloy". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large initial "D" and a stylized "M".

Dannel P. Malloy
Governor