



General Assembly

**Amendment**

**June Special Session, 2021**

**LCO No. 11011**



Offered by:

REP. CASE, 63<sup>rd</sup> Dist.

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To: Senate Bill No. **1202**

File No.

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(As Amended)

**"AN ACT CONCERNING PROVISIONS RELATED TO REVENUE  
AND OTHER ITEMS TO IMPLEMENT THE STATE BUDGET FOR THE  
BIENNIUM ENDING JUNE 30, 2023."**

1 Strike section 9 in its entirety and substitute the following in lieu  
2 thereof:

3 "Sec. 9. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2021*) (a) Not later than January 1, 2022,  
4 and annually thereafter, the chief of a volunteer fire department for any  
5 municipality shall submit to the State Fire Administrator a report on the  
6 yearly average of the number of volunteer firefighters from such  
7 municipality's volunteer fire department who enrolled in Firefighter I  
8 certification and recruit training based on the preceding four years,  
9 except the year commencing January 1, 2020, shall not be included in  
10 any such four preceding years for purposes of calculating such average.

11 (b) For the fiscal year ending June 30, 2022, and each fiscal year  
12 thereafter, the State Fire Administrator shall award a grant, within

13 available appropriations, to any municipality with a volunteer fire  
14 department for the purposes of covering costs related to the provision  
15 of Firefighter I certification and recruit training for volunteer firefighters  
16 at regional fire schools. The amount of such grant award for each such  
17 municipality shall be equal to the product of (1) the average cost of a  
18 Firefighter I certification and recruit training program at a regional fire  
19 school, and (2) the average number of volunteer firefighters from such  
20 municipality's volunteer fire department who enrolled at a regional fire  
21 school for such certification and training.

22 (c) Not later than February 1, 2022, and annually thereafter, the State  
23 Fire Administrator shall submit, in accordance with the provisions of  
24 section 11-4a of the general statutes, to the joint standing committee of  
25 the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to  
26 appropriations and the budgets of state agencies a report on the (1)  
27 reports submitted by the chiefs of volunteer fire departments pursuant  
28 to subsection (a) of this section, and (2) average cost of a Firefighter I  
29 certification and recruit training program at a regional fire school."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 9	July 1, 2021	New section