



General Assembly

**Amendment**

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. 1001

File No. 221

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**"AN ACT CONCERNING A STUDY OF THE NEED FOR  
EMPLOYMENT REGULATION."**

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and  
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 31-98 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2021*):

5 (a) The panel, or its single member if sitting in accordance with  
6 section 31-93, may, in its discretion and with the consent of the parties,  
7 issue an oral decision immediately upon conclusion of the proceedings.  
8 If the decision is to be in writing, it shall be signed, within fifteen days,  
9 by a majority of the members of the panel or by the single member so  
10 sitting, and the decision shall state such details as will clearly show the  
11 nature of the decision and the points disposed of by the panel. Where  
12 the decision is in writing, one copy thereof shall be filed by the panel in  
13 the office of the town clerk in the town where the controversy arose and  
14 one copy shall be given to each of the parties to the controversy. The

15 panel or single member which has rendered an oral decision  
 16 immediately upon conclusion of the proceedings shall submit a written  
 17 copy of the decision to each party within fifteen days from the issuance  
 18 of such oral decision. In all cases where a decision is rendered orally  
 19 from the bench, the secretary shall cause such oral decision to be  
 20 transcribed, approved by the panel or single member as applicable and  
 21 filed with the records of the board proceedings.

22 (b) Upon the conclusion of the proceedings, each member of the panel  
 23 shall receive three hundred twenty-five dollars and a panel member  
 24 who prepares a written decision shall receive an additional five hundred  
 25 dollars, or the single member, if sitting in accordance with section 31-93,  
 26 shall receive three hundred twenty-five dollars, provided if the  
 27 proceedings extend beyond one day, each member shall receive [one  
 28 hundred fifty] three hundred twenty-five dollars for each additional  
 29 day beyond the first day, and provided further no proceeding may be  
 30 extended beyond two days without the prior approval of the Labor  
 31 Commissioner for each such additional day.

32 (c) Upon the conclusion of an executive panel session, each member  
 33 of such panel shall receive [one hundred fifty] two hundred dollars."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	July 1, 2021	31-98