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Referred to Committee on PUBLIC SAFETY AND SECURITY

Introduced by: (PS)

## AN ACT CONCERNING OPERATION OF THE LOTTERY BY THE DEPARTMENT OF CONSUMER PROTECTION.

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

- 1 Section 1. (NEW) (Effective January 1, 2021) (a) The Department of
- 2 Consumer Protection shall constitute a successor agency, in accordance
- 3 with the provisions of sections 4-38d and 4-39 of the general statutes, to
- 4 the Connecticut Lottery Corporation, as if the corporation were an
- 5 agency, with respect to all functions, powers and duties of the
- 6 corporation transferred to the department under this section,
- 7 subdivision (12) of section 1-79, sections 1-120, 1-121 and 1-125,
- 8 subsection (d) of section 4-66k, subsection (f) of section 5-263b, sections
- 9 10-183vv, 12-568a and 12-569, subsection (g) of section 12-707,
- 10 subsection (b) of section 12-711, sections 12-801, 12-803, 12-806, 12-806c,
- 11 12-806d, 12-807, 12-808, 12-810 and 12-812, subsection (a) of section 12-
- 12 813, sections 12-814, 12-815a, 12-817, 12-818, 12-829, sections 12-831 to
- 13 12-834, inclusive, subsection (b) of section 17a-713, subsection (c) of
- section 52-362d and section 52-367c of the general statutes, as amended

15 by this act.

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(b) (1) The department shall transfer employee classifications of the corporation to classifications in state service. The department shall recognize collective bargaining agreements existing between corporation employees and the corporation on December 31, 2020.

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- (2) The lottery fund, as defined in subparagraph (A) of subdivision
  (6) of section 12-801 of the general statutes, as amended by this act, of
  the Connecticut Lottery Corporation, and all moneys contained in it, on
  December 31, 2020, shall become the lottery fund, as defined in
  subparagraph (B) of subdivision (6) of section 12-801 of the general
  statutes, as amended by this act, of the department on January 1, 2021.
- 26 (c) The Legislative Commissioners' Office shall, in codifying the 27 provisions of this section, subdivision (12) of section 1-79, sections 1-120, 28 1-121 and 1-125, subsection (d) of section 4-66k, subsection (f) of section 29 5-263b, sections 10-183vv, 12-568a and 12-569, subsection (g) of section 30 12-707, subsection (b) of section 12-711, sections 12-801, 12-803, 12-806, 31 12-806c, 12-806d, 12-807, 12-808, 12-810 and 12-812, subsection (a) of 32 section 12-813, sections 12-814, 12-815a, 12-817, 12-818, 12-829, sections 33 12-831 to 12-834, inclusive, subsection (b) of section 17a-713, subsection 34 (c) of section 52-362d, and section 52-367c of the general statutes, as 35 amended by this act, make such technical, grammatical and punctuation 36 changes as are necessary to carry out the purposes of this section.
- Sec. 2. Section 12-801 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- As used in section 12-563a and sections [12-800] 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act, the following terms shall have the following meanings unless the context clearly indicates another meaning:
- [(1) "Board" or "board of directors" means the board of directors of the corporation;
- 46 (2) "Corporation" means the Connecticut Lottery Corporation as

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- 47 created under section 12-802;]
- 48 (1) "Commissioner" means the Commissioner of Consumer
- 49 Protection;
- 50 (2) "Department" means the Department of Consumer Protection;
- 51 (3) "Division" means the former Division of Special Revenue in the 52 Department of Revenue Services;
- 53 (4) "Lottery" means (A) the Connecticut state lottery conducted prior 54 to the transfer authorized under section 12-808, as amended by this act, 55 by the Division of Special Revenue, (B) after such transfer and prior to
- 56 January 1, 2021, the Connecticut state lottery conducted by the
- 57 [corporation pursuant to sections 12-563a and 12-800 to 12-818,
- 58 inclusive, (C)] Connecticut Lottery Corporation, (C) the Connecticut
- 59 state lottery conducted by the department on and after January 1, 2021,
- 60 (D) the state lottery referred to in subsection (a) of section 53-278g, and
- 61 [(D)] (E) keno conducted by the [corporation] department pursuant to
- section 12-806c, as amended by this act;
- (5) "Keno" means a lottery game in which a subset of numbers are drawn from a larger field of numbers by a central computer system using an approved random number generator, wheel system device or other drawing device. "Keno" does not include a game operated on a video facsimile machine;
- 68 (6) "Lottery fund" means (A) prior to January 1, 2021, a fund or funds 69 established by, and under the management and control of, the 70 [corporation] Connecticut Lottery Corporation, into which all lottery 71 revenues of the corporation are deposited, from which all payments and 72 expenses of the corporation are paid and from which transfers to the 73 General Fund or the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds 74 Special Capital Reserve Fund, established in section 10-183vv, as 75 amended by this act, are made pursuant to section 12-812, as amended 76 by this act, and (B) on and after January 1, 2021, the fund or funds 77 described in subparagraph (A) of this subdivision transferred pursuant

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- 78 to section 1 of this act to the department on termination of the
- 79 corporation under section 12-803, as amended by this act, which are
- 80 under the management and control of the department, (i) into which all
- 81 lottery revenues of the department are deposited, (ii) from which all
- 82 payments and expenses of the department related to the operation of
- 83 the lottery are paid, and (iii) from which transfers to the General Fund
- 84 or the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital
- Reserve Fund, established in section 10-183vv, as amended by this act,
- 86 are made pursuant to section 12-812, as amended by this act; and
- 87 (7) "Operating revenue" means total revenue received from lottery 88 sales less all cancelled sales and amounts paid as prizes but before 89 payment or provision for payment of any other expenses.
- 90 Sec. 3. Section 12-803 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- 92 The corporation shall have perpetual succession. Such succession 93 shall continue until the existence of the corporation is terminated by 94 law] The Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall terminate and cease to 95 exist and all of its functions are transferred to the department on January 96 1, 2021, provided no such termination shall affect any outstanding 97 contractual obligation of the corporation and the state shall succeed to 98 the obligations of the corporation under any such contract. Upon 99 termination of the corporation, its rights and properties shall pass to and 100 be vested in the state.
- Sec. 4. Section 12-806 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- (a) The [purposes of the corporation shall be to] <u>department shall</u>: (1)
  Operate and manage the lottery in an entrepreneurial and business-like
  manner; [free from the budgetary and other constraints that affect state
  agencies;] (2) provide continuing and increased revenue to the people
  of the state through the lottery by being responsive to market forces;
  land acting generally as a corporation engaged in entrepreneurial

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- pursuits;] (3) pay to the trustee of the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement
- 111 Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund, established in section 10-
- 112 183vv, as amended by this act, the amounts, if any, required pursuant
- to subsection (c) of section 12-812, as amended by this act; and (4) ensure
- that the lottery continues to be operated with integrity and for the public
- 115 good.
- (b) The [corporation] department shall have the following powers:
- 117 (1) To [receive as transferee from the state of Connecticut all of the
- tangible and intangible assets constituting the lottery including the
- exclusive right to] operate the lottery as the exclusive lottery of the state;
- 120 [and, subject to subsection (b) of section 12-808, to assume and discharge
- all of the agreements, covenants and obligations of the Department of
- 122 Consumer Protection entered into which constitute a part of the
- operation and management of the lottery;
- 124 (2) To operate and manage the lottery consistent with the provisions
- 125 of sections [1-120, 1-121, 1-125,] 12-563, 12-563a, 12-564, 12-566, 12-568a,
- as amended by this act, and 12-569, as amended by this act, subsection
- 127 (c) of section 12-574, as amended by this act, and sections [12-800] 12-
- 128 <u>801</u> to 12-818, inclusive, <u>as amended by this act</u>, and as specifically
- provided in section 12-812, as amended by this act;
- 130 [(3) To have perpetual succession as a body corporate and to adopt
- bylaws, policies and procedures for the operation of its affairs and
- 132 conduct of its businesses;]
- [(4)] (3) To introduce new lottery games, modify existing lottery
- games, utilize existing and new technologies, determine distribution
- channels for the sale of lottery tickets, introduce keno pursuant to signed
- agreements with the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the Mohegan
- 137 Tribe of Indians of Connecticut, in accordance with section 12-806c, <u>as</u>
- amended by this act, and [, to the extent specifically authorized by
- 139 regulations adopted by the Department of Consumer Protection
- 140 pursuant to chapter 54,] introduce instant ticket vending machines,
- 141 kiosks and automated wagering systems or machines, [with all such

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- 142 rights being subject to regulatory oversight by the Department of
- 143 Consumer Protection, except that the [corporation] <u>department</u> shall
- 144 not offer any interactive on-line lottery games, including on-line video
- 145 lottery games for promotional purposes;
- [(5) To establish an annual budget of revenues and expenditures,
- 147 along with reasonable reserves for working capital, capital
- expenditures, debt retirement and other anticipated expenditures, in a
- manner and at levels considered by the board of directors as appropriate
- and prudent;
- [(6)] (4) To adopt [such administrative and operating procedures
- which the board of directors regulations, in accordance with chapter 54,
- to implement the provisions of section 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as
- amended by this act, as the commissioner deems appropriate;
- 155 [(7)] (5) To enter into agreements with one or more states or territories
- of the United States for the promotion and operation of joint lottery
- games and to continue to participate in any joint lottery game in which
- 158 the [corporation participates] <u>Connecticut Lottery Corporation</u>
- participated on July 1, 2003, regardless of whether any government-
- authorized lottery operated outside of the United States participates in
- 161 such game;
- [(8) Subject to the provisions of section 12-815, to] (6) To enter into
- 163 agreements with vendors with respect to the operation and
- management of the lottery, including operation of lottery terminals,
- management services, printing of lottery tickets, management expertise,
- 166 marketing expertise, advertising or such other goods or services as the
- 167 [board of directors] commissioner deems necessary and appropriate;
- [(9)] (7) To purchase or lease operating equipment, including, but not
- limited to, computer gaming and automated wagering systems and to
- 170 employ agents or employees to operate such systems;
- [(10)] (8) To retain unclaimed prize funds as additional revenue for
- the state, or to use unclaimed prize funds to increase sales, or to return

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- 173 to participants unclaimed prize funds in a manner designed to increase 174 sales;
- 175 [(11)] (9) To establish prize reserve accounts as the [board of 176 directors] commissioner deems appropriate;
- 177 [(12)] (10) To pay lottery prizes as awarded under section 12-812, as 178 amended by this act, to purchase annuities to fund such prizes, and to 179 assure that all annuities from which payments to winners of lottery 180 prizes are made are invested in instruments issued by agencies of the 181 United States government and backed by the full faith and credit of the 182 United States, or are issued by insurance companies licensed to do 183 business in the state, provided the issuer has been determined by the 184 [Department of Consumer Protection] commissioner to be financially 185 stable and meets the minimum investment rating as determined by the 186 [department] commissioner;

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- [(13) To pay the Office of Policy and Management to reimburse the Department of Consumer Protection for the reasonable and necessary costs arising from the department's regulatory oversight of the corporation, in accordance with the assessment made pursuant to section 12-806b, including costs arising directly or indirectly from the licensing of lottery agents, performance of state police background investigations, and the implementation of subsection (b) of section 12-562 and sections 12-563a, 12-568a, 12-569, 12-570, 12-570a and 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive;
- 196 (14) In the event that the operation or management of the corporation 197 becomes subject to the federal gaming occupation tax, to pay such tax on behalf of lottery sales agents and to assist agents subject thereto;
- 199 [(15)] (11) To determine the commissions payable to lottery sales 200 agents, provided any agent's commission shall not average less than 201 four per cent of such agent's lottery sales;
- 202 [(16) To invest in, acquire, lease, purchase, own, manage, hold and 203 dispose of real property and lease, convey or deal in or enter into

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- agreements with respect to such property on any terms necessary or incidental to carrying out the purposes of sections 12-563a and 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive, provided such transactions shall not be subject to approval, review or regulation pursuant to title 4b or any other statute by any state agency, except that real property transactions shall be subject to review by the State Properties Review Board;
- 210 (17) To borrow money for the purpose of obtaining working capital;
- [(18)] (12) To hold patents, copyrights, trademarks, marketing rights, licenses or any other evidence of protection or exclusivity issued under the laws of the United States or any state;

- [(19)] (13) To employ such assistants, agents and other employees as may be necessary or desirable to carry out its purposes in accordance with sections 12-563a and 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act, to fix their compensation and [, subject to the provisions of subsections (e) and (f) of section 12-802,] establish all necessary and appropriate personnel practices and policies; to engage consultants, accountants, attorneys and financial and other independent professionals as may be necessary or desirable to assist the [corporation] department in performing its purposes in accordance with sections 12-563a and [12-800] 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act;
- [(20)] (14) To make and enter into all contracts and agreements necessary or incidental to the performance of its duties and the execution of its powers under sections 12-563a, as amended by this act, and [12-800] 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act;
- [(21) In its own name, to sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, adopt a seal and alter the same at pleasure;
  - (22) Subject to the approval of the board and to the requirement to remit excess lottery funds to the General Fund as set forth in section 12-812, to invest any funds not needed for immediate use or disbursement, including any funds held in approved reserve accounts, in investments permitted by sections 3-20 and 3-27a for the proceeds of state bonds;

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- 235 (23) To procure insurance against any loss in connection with its 236 property and other assets in such amounts and from such insurers as it 237 deems desirable;
- 238 (24) To the extent permitted under any contract with other persons to 239 which the corporation is a party, to consent to any termination, 240 modification, forgiveness or other change of any term of any contractual 241 right, payment, royalty, contract or agreement of any kind;
- 242 (25) To acquire, lease, purchase, own, manage, hold and dispose of 243 personal property, and lease, convey or deal in or enter into agreements 244 with respect to such property on any terms necessary or incidental to 245 the carrying out of these purposes;
- 246 (26) To account for and audit funds of the corporation;
- 247 (27) To pay or provide for payment from operating revenues all 248 expenses, costs and obligations incurred by the corporation in the 249 exercise of the powers of the corporation under sections 12-563a and 12-250 800 to 12-818, inclusive;] and
- [(28)] (15) To exercise any powers necessary to carry out the purposes of sections 12-563a and [12-800] 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act.
- Sec. 5. Section 12-806c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

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Notwithstanding the provisions of section 3-6c, the Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management, on behalf of the state of Connecticut, may enter into separate agreements with the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut concerning the operation of keno by the Connecticut Lottery Corporation <u>prior to January 1, 2021</u>, and the department on and after January 1, 2021, in the state of Connecticut. Any such agreement shall provide that the state of Connecticut shall distribute to each tribe a sum not to exceed a twelve and one-half per cent share of the gross operating revenue received by

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- the state from the operation of keno. The corporation <u>or department, as</u> the case may be, may not operate keno until such separate agreements
- are effective. For the purposes of this section, "gross operating revenues"
- 268 means the total amounts wagered, less amounts paid out as prizes.
- Sec. 6. Section 12-806d of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- The [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>department</u> shall exclusively
- operate and manage the sale of lottery games in the state of Connecticut
- 273 except on the reservations of the Mashantucket Pequot Tribe and the
- 274 Mohegan Tribe of Indians of Connecticut.
- Sec. 7. Section 12-807 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- [(a) The corporation shall:
- 278 (1) Comply with all laws, rules and regulations of the United States
- and the state of Connecticut;
- 280 (2) Comply with regulations, adopted by the Department of
- 281 Consumer Protection in accordance with chapter 54;
- 282 (b) The corporation shall not:
- 283 (1) Sell, transfer, assign, deliver, license, grant or otherwise alienate
- any portion or aspect of the lottery or lottery operations, but may sell
- 285 real or personal property, provided any revenue from such sale shall be
- 286 remitted to the state;
- 287 (2) Take]
- 288 The department shall not take any action with respect to the
- 289 introduction or modification of lottery games which would cause a
- 290 violation of any compact or any memorandum of understanding or
- 291 agreement from time to time in force between the state and the
- 292 Mashantucket Pequot Tribal Nation or the Mohegan Tribe of Montville,

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293 Connecticut, or any future compact or agreement with a federally recognized tribe.

- Sec. 8. Section 12-808 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- [(a) As soon as practicable after July 1, 1996, and the organization of the corporation, the corporation shall enter into such agreements as the board shall authorize in order to effect the transfer, assignment and delivery to the corporation from the state of all the tangible and intangible assets constituting the lottery, including the exclusive right to operate the lottery, and, subject to subsection (b) of this section, to effect the assignment to and assumption by the corporation of all agreements, covenants and obligations of the Department of Consumer Protection and other agencies of the state relating to the operation and management of the lottery. Such agreements may contain such other provisions as the board deems necessary or appropriate for the continued operation of the lottery by the corporation pursuant to sections 12-563a and 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive.
- (b) The state shall transfer to the corporation ownership of all annuities it purchased for payment of lottery prizes and shall not be liable for any lottery awards. In addition, the state shall not be liable for any obligations of the lottery arising prior to the date of transfer as described in subsection (a) of this section, including those arising in the ordinary course of business under existing contracts specifically assumed by the corporation. The Department of Consumer Protection shall assign to the corporation any annuity for payment of any lottery award arising on or before the date of such transfer. Unless otherwise agreed to in writing with the department, the corporation shall be solely responsible for the payment of all lottery prizes and the purchase of all annuities to provide revenue for such payment.
- (c) The corporation shall request and obtain all approvals, consents and rulings of and from all state and federal governmental agencies necessary or in order to effect the transactions contemplated by this

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- 325 section.]
- On January 1, 2021, the department shall become the owner of all
- 327 <u>annuities held by the Connecticut Lottery Corporation on December 31,</u>
- 328 2020, for payment of lottery prizes. The corporation shall not be liable
- for any lottery awards, or any obligations of the lottery arising prior to
- January 1, 2021, including those arising in the ordinary course of
- 331 <u>business under existing contracts specifically assumed by the</u>
- department. The department shall be assigned any annuity for payment
- 333 of any lottery award arising on or before January 1, 2021. The
- department shall be solely responsible for the payment of all lottery
- prizes and the purchase of all annuities to provide revenue for such
- 336 payment.
- Sec. 9. Section 12-810 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- (a) The Freedom of Information Act, as defined in section 1-200, shall
- 340 <u>not</u> apply [to all actions, meetings and records of the corporation, except
- 341 (1) where otherwise limited by (1) as provided in subsection (c) (b) of
- 342 this section as to new lottery games and serial numbers of unclaimed
- lottery tickets, and (2) with respect to financial, credit and proprietary
- information submitted by any person to the [corporation] <u>Department</u>
- of Consumer Protection in connection with any proposal to provide
- 346 goods, services or professional advice. [to the corporation as provided
- 347 in section 12-815.]
- 348 [(b) The records of proceedings as provided in subsection (a) of
- 349 section 12-805 shall be subject to disclosure pursuant to the provisions
- of subsection (a) of section 1-210.]
- [(c)] (b) Any new lottery game and the procedures for such game,
- until the game is publicly announced by the [corporation] department,
- and any serial number of an unclaimed lottery ticket shall not be
- deemed public records, as defined in section 1-200, and shall not be
- 355 available to the public under the provisions of section 1-210. [The
- 356 president shall submit a fiscal note prepared by the corporation with

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respect to the procedures for a new lottery game to the joint standing committees of the General Assembly having cognizance of matters relating to finance, revenue, bonding and public safety after approval of such game by the board.]

Sec. 10. Section 12-812 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1*, 2021):

- (a) The [president of the corporation, subject to the direction of the board,] <u>commissioner</u> shall conduct daily, weekly, multistate, special instant or other lottery games and shall determine the number of times a lottery shall be held each year, the form and price of the tickets and the aggregate amount of prizes, which shall not be less than forty-five per cent of the sales unless required by the terms of any agreement entered into for the conduct of multistate lottery games. The proceeds of the sale of tickets shall be deposited in the lottery fund [of the corporation] from which prizes shall be paid, upon vouchers signed by the [president] <u>commissioner</u>, or by either of two persons designated and authorized by [him] <u>the commissioner</u>, in such numbers and amounts as the [president] <u>commissioner</u> determines. The [corporation] <u>department</u> may limit its liability in games with fixed payouts and may cause a cessation of sales of tickets of certain designation when such liability limit has been reached.
- (b) The [president, subject to the direction of the board,] <u>commissioner</u> may enter into agreements for the sale of product advertising on lottery tickets, play slips and other lottery media.
- (c) On a weekly basis, the [president] <u>commissioner</u> shall estimate [, and certify to the State Treasurer,] that portion of the balance in the lottery fund which exceeds the current needs of the [corporation] <u>department</u> for the payment of prizes, the payment of current operating expenses and funding of approved reserves of the [corporation] <u>department</u>. The [corporation] <u>department</u> shall transfer the amount so [certified] <u>estimated</u> from the lottery fund of the [corporation]

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389 department to the General Fund, Jupon notification of receipt of such 390 certification by the Treasurer, except that if the amount on deposit in 391 the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital 392 Reserve Fund, established in section 10-183vv, as amended by this act, 393 is less than the required minimum capital reserve, as defined in 394 subsection (b) of said section, the [corporation] department shall pay 395 such amount so [certified] estimated to the trustee of the fund for 396 deposit in the fund. If the [corporation] department transfers any 397 moneys to the General Fund at any time when the amount on deposit in 398 said capital reserve fund is less than the required minimum capital 399 reserve, the amount of such transfer shall be deemed appropriated from 400 the General Fund to the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds 401 Special Capital Reserve Fund.

- Sec. 11. Subsection (a) of section 12-813 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January* 1, 2021):
- 405 (a) The [corporation] department may sell lottery tickets at any location in the state determined by the [president] commissioner which, 406 407 in the opinion of the [president] commissioner, will best enhance lottery 408 revenues, except that no license shall be issued by the [Department of 409 Consumer Protection department to any person to engage in business 410 exclusively as a lottery sales agent. Subject to the provisions of 411 subdivision [(15)] (11) of subsection (b) of section 12-806, as amended by 412 this act, the [president] commissioner may authorize compensation to 413 such agents in such manner and amounts and subject to such limitations as [he] the commissioner may determine if [he] the commissioner finds 414 415 such compensation is necessary to assure adequate availability of lottery 416 tickets, provided, if such agent is a lessee of state property and [his] the 417 agent's rental fee is based upon the gross receipts of [his] the agent's 418 business conducted thereon, all receipts from the sale of such lottery 419 tickets shall be excluded from such gross receipts for rental purposes. 420 The [president] commissioner may suspend for cause any licensed 421 agent, subject to a final determination through a hearing. [provided by 422 the Department of Consumer Protection.]

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- Sec. 12. Section 12-814 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- (a) In each advertisement intended to promote the purchase of lottery tickets issued for games authorized under sections 12-563a and [12-800] 12-801 to 12-818, inclusive, as amended by this act, the [corporation] department shall include a prominent and clear statement of the average chances of winning per lottery ticket.
- (b) The provisions of subsection (a) of this section shall apply only to (1) advertisements in newspapers, magazines, brochures and on posters and (2) television and radio advertisements thirty seconds or longer for one game.

- (c) [On or before October 1, 1999, the corporation shall implement a code of] The department shall adopt regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, to establish standards for all advertisements and other activities intended to promote the purchase of lottery tickets for games authorized pursuant to this chapter. The [code of] standards shall include the requirement that no advertisement or promotion shall denigrate the character or conduct of nonlottery players or praise the character or conduct of lottery players.
- Sec. 13. Section 12-815a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1*, 2021):
  - (a) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection shall issue vendor, affiliate and occupational licenses in accordance with the provisions of this section.
    - (b) No person or business organization awarded a primary contract by the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>department</u> to provide facilities, components, goods or services that are necessary for and directly related to the secure operation of the <u>lottery</u> activities of [said corporation] <u>the department</u> shall do so unless such person or business organization is issued a vendor license by the Commissioner of Consumer Protection. For the purposes of this subsection, "primary

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contract" means a contract to provide facilities, components, goods or services to [said corporation] the department by a person or business organization (1) that provides any lottery game or any online wagering system related facilities, components, goods or services and that receives or, in the exercise of reasonable business judgment, can be expected to receive more than seventy-five thousand dollars or twenty-five per cent of its gross annual sales from said corporation, or (2) that has access to the facilities of [said corporation] the department where lottery activities occur and provides services in such facilities without supervision by [said corporation] the department. Each applicant for a vendor license shall pay a nonrefundable application fee of two hundred fifty dollars.

- (c) No person or business organization, other than a shareholder in a publicly traded corporation, may be a subcontractor for the provision of facilities, components, goods or services that are necessary for and directly related to the secure operation of the <u>lottery</u> activities of the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>department</u>, or may exercise control in or over a vendor licensee unless such person or business organization is licensed as an affiliate licensee by the commissioner. Each applicant for an affiliate license shall pay a nonrefundable application fee of two hundred fifty dollars.
- (d) (1) Each employee of a vendor or affiliate licensee who has access to the facilities of the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>department</u> where lottery activities occur and provides services in such facilities without supervision by [said corporation] <u>the department</u> or performs duties directly related to the <u>lottery</u> activities of [said corporation] <u>the department</u> shall obtain an occupational license.
- (2) Each officer, director, partner, trustee or owner of a business organization licensed as a vendor or affiliate licensee and any shareholder, executive, agent or other person connected with any vendor or affiliate licensee who, in the judgment of the commissioner, will exercise control in or over any such licensee shall obtain an occupational license.

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[(3) Each employee of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall obtain an occupational license.]

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- (e) The commissioner shall issue occupational licenses in the following classes: (1) Class I for persons specified in subdivision (1) of subsection (d) of this section; and (2) Class II for persons specified in subdivision (2) of subsection (d) of this section. [; (3) Class III for persons specified in subdivision (3) of subsection (d) of this section who, in the judgment of the commissioner, will not exercise authority over or direct the management and policies of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation; and (4) Class IV for persons specified in subdivision (3) of subsection (d) of this section who, in the judgment of the commissioner, will exercise authority over or direct the management and policies of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation.] Each applicant for a Class I [or III] occupational license shall pay a nonrefundable application fee of twenty dollars. Each applicant for a Class II [or IV] occupational license shall pay a nonrefundable application fee of one hundred dollars. nonrefundable application fee shall accompany the application for each such occupational license.
- (f) In determining whether to grant a vendor, affiliate or occupational license to any such person or business organization, the commissioner may require an applicant to provide information as to such applicant's: (1) Financial standing and credit; (2) moral character; (3) criminal record, if any; (4) previous employment; (5) corporate, partnership or association affiliations; (6) ownership of personal assets; and (7) such other information as the commissioner deems pertinent to the issuance of such license, provided the submission of such other information will assure the integrity of the state lottery. The commissioner shall require each applicant for a vendor, affiliate or occupational license to submit to state and national criminal history records checks and may require each such applicant to submit to an international criminal history records check before such license is issued. The state and national criminal history records checks required pursuant to this subsection shall be conducted in accordance with section 29-17a. The commissioner shall issue a vendor, affiliate or occupational license, as the case may be, to

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each applicant who satisfies the requirements of this subsection and who is deemed qualified by the commissioner. The commissioner may reject for good cause an application for a vendor, affiliate or occupational license.

- (g) Each vendor, affiliate or Class I or II occupational license shall be effective for not more than one year from the date of issuance. [Each Class III or IV occupational license shall remain in effect throughout the term of employment of any such employee holding such a license. The commissioner may require each employee issued a Class IV occupational license to submit information as to such employee's financial standing and credit annually.] Initial application for and renewal of any such license shall be in such form and manner as the commissioner shall prescribe.
- (h) (1) The commissioner may suspend or revoke for good cause a vendor, affiliate or occupational license after a hearing held before the commissioner in accordance with chapter 54. The commissioner may order summary suspension of any such license in accordance with subsection (c) of section 4-182.
- (2) Any such applicant aggrieved by the action of the commissioner concerning an application for a license, or any person or business organization whose license is suspended or revoked, may appeal pursuant to section 4-183.
- (3) The commissioner may impose a civil penalty on any licensee for a violation of any provision of this chapter or any regulation adopted under section 12-568a, as amended by this act, in an amount not to exceed two thousand five hundred dollars after a hearing held in accordance with chapter 54.
- (i) The commissioner may require that the books and records of any vendor or affiliate licensee be maintained in any manner which the commissioner may deem best, and that any financial or other statements based on such books and records be prepared in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles in such form as the

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commissioner shall prescribe. The commissioner or a designee may visit, investigate and place expert accountants and such other persons as deemed necessary in the offices or places of business of any such licensee for the purpose of satisfying [himself or herself] the commissioner that such licensee is in compliance with the regulations of the department.

(j) For the purposes of this section, (1) "business organization" means a partnership, incorporated or unincorporated association, firm, corporation, trust or other form of business or legal entity; (2) "control" means the power to exercise authority over or direct the management and policies of a licensee; and (3) "person" means any individual.

- (k) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection may adopt such regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, as are necessary to implement the provisions of this section.
- Sec. 14. Section 12-817 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
  - (a) The Superior Court shall have jurisdiction to enter judgment against the [corporation] <u>Connecticut Lottery Corporation</u> founded upon any express contract between the corporation and any person or party thereto for the provision of goods, services or professional advice to the corporation or the lottery.
  - (b) Any action brought under subsection (a) of this section shall be brought in the superior court for the judicial district of Hartford. The jurisdiction conferred upon the Superior Court by this section includes any set-off, claim or demand whatsoever on the part of the corporation against any plaintiff commencing an action under this section. Such action shall be tried to the court without a jury. All legal defenses, except governmental immunity, shall be reserved to the corporation. Any action brought under this section shall be privileged in respect to assignment for trial upon matters of either party. Nothing in this section shall be construed to authorize any action against the state of Connecticut or to abrogate any defense available to the state of

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(c) This section shall apply to all actions commenced prior to January
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Sec. 15. Section 12-818 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

[For each of the fiscal years ending June 30, 2010, and June 30, 2011, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall transfer one million nine hundred thousand dollars of the revenue received from the sale of lottery tickets to the chronic gamblers treatment rehabilitation account created pursuant to section 17a-713. For the fiscal years ending June 30, 2012, to June 30, 2013, inclusive, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall transfer one million nine hundred thousand dollars of the revenue received from the sale of lottery tickets to the chronic gamblers treatment rehabilitation account created pursuant to section 17a-713.] For the fiscal [year] years ending June 30, 2014, [and each fiscal year thereafter,] to June 30, 2020, inclusive, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall transfer two million three hundred thousand dollars of the revenue received from the sale of lottery tickets to the chronic gamblers treatment rehabilitation account created pursuant to section 17a-713. For the fiscal years ending June 30, 2021, and each fiscal year thereafter, the Department of Consumer Protection shall transfer two million three hundred thousand dollars of the revenue received from the sale of lottery tickets to the chronic gamblers treatment rehabilitation account created pursuant to section 17a-713, as amended by this act.

Sec. 16. Section 12-829 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

(a) (1) On or after January 1, 2012, but prior to July 1, 2018, when any person redeems a winning lottery ticket worth five thousand dollars or more at the central office of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall check the name and other identifying information of such person against a list of taxpayers who

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are delinquent, supplied by the Commissioner of Revenue Services.

- (2) On or after July 1, 2018, and prior to January 1, 2021, when any person redeems a winning lottery ticket worth two thousand dollars or more at the central office of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation shall check the name and other identifying information of such person against a list of taxpayers who are delinquent, supplied by the Commissioner of Revenue Services.
- (3) On and after January 1, 2021, when any person redeems a winning lottery ticket worth two thousand dollars or more at the central office of the Department of Consumer Protection, the department shall check the name and other identifying information of such person against a list of taxpayers who are delinquent supplied by the Commissioner of Revenue Services.
  - (b) Notwithstanding the provisions of section 12-15, the Commissioner of Revenue Services may disclose to the [president of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Commissioner of Consumer Protection</u>: (1) The name and such other information as may be necessary to identify a person from whom taxes, including penalties and interest related thereto, are due to the state and unpaid when: (A) A period in excess of thirty days has elapsed following the date on which such taxes were due, and (B) such taxes are not the subject of a timely filed administrative appeal to said commissioner or of a timely filed appeal pending before any court of competent jurisdiction, and (2) the amount of such taxes, penalties and interest that are due from such person.
  - (c) In the event that the person redeeming a lottery ticket described in subsection (a) of this section is on the list described in said subsection (a), the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Commissioner of Consumer Protection</u> shall, subsequent to any deductions made pursuant to subsection (c) of section 52-362d, <u>as amended by this act</u>, if applicable, deduct and withhold from the lottery prize payment payable to such person under the provisions of chapter 226 or this chapter, the amount

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of such taxes, penalties and interest identified by said commissioner pursuant to subsection (b) of this section.

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- (d) The [president of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Commissioner of Consumer Protection shall promptly notify the Commissioner of Revenue Services of any amount deducted and withheld under the provisions of this section and shall pay over such amount to the Commissioner of Revenue Services in accordance with said commissioner's instructions.
- [(e) For the purposes of this section, the Connecticut Lottery Corporation and its officers and employees shall be treated as officers and employees of the state, and the provisions of subsections (a), (e), (f), (g) and (h) of section 12-15 shall apply to the officers and employees of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation.]
- Sec. 17. Section 12-831 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
  - (a) Except as provided in section 12-833, as amended by this act, no assignment of a lottery prize, in whole or in part, including an assignment of a lottery prize to be used as collateral to secure a loan pursuant to title 42a, shall be valid unless it is executed pursuant to and approved in accordance with this section. Any such assignment shall entitle the assignee to receive, to the extent assigned, the lottery prize to which the assignor would be entitled. Such assignment shall be in writing and executed by the assignor. Such assignment shall be accompanied by an affidavit, signed and sworn to by the assignor before a proper authority, stating that the assignor (1) is of sound mind and not acting under duress, (2) has been advised by independent legal counsel and has received independent financial and tax advice concerning the assignment, (3) understands that he will not receive lottery prize payments or portions thereof for the time period assigned, (4) has received a disclosure statement as provided in subsection (b) of this section, (5) at the time of the execution of the assignment, was informed in writing by the assignee that the assignor had the right to cancel the

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assignment no later than three business days following the date on which the assignment was signed, (6) will have no outstanding or unsatisfied judgments against him when the assignment transaction is closed and is not subject to any court order or judgment regarding delinquent child support or alimony obligations, and (7) releases the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection and its [directors, officers and] employees from any further liability to the assignor upon payment of any lottery prize pursuant to an assignment made in accordance with this section.

- (b) The assignee shall provide to the assignor a one-page written disclosure statement in at least ten-point bold type setting forth (1) the payments being assigned, by amount and payment dates, (2) the purchase price being paid for the assignment of such lottery prize, (3) the rate of discount to present value, assuming daily compounding and funding on the date of assignment, and (4) the amount, if any, of origination or closing fees that will be charged to the assignor. With regard to the assignment of a lottery prize to be used as collateral to secure a loan, the one-page written disclosure statement required by this subsection shall also include (A) the amount of the loan, (B) the interest rate to be charged, (C) the interest rate to be charged in case of default, and (D) any penalties to be charged upon early repayment of the loan.
- (c) Upon payment of an entry fee of seventy-five dollars, the assignee shall submit the assignment to the superior court for the judicial district in which the assignor resides or where the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection is located for review and approval by the court. If, upon review of the assignment and accompanying affidavit, the court determines that the requirements of subsection (a) of this section have been met, the court shall approve the assignment.
- Sec. 18. Section 12-832 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- 712 (a) Not later than twenty days after receipt of a certified copy of a

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- 714 by this act, the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of
- 715 <u>Consumer Protection</u> shall issue written confirmation to the assignor
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- (b) Any assignee of a lottery prize, by acceptance of the lottery prize in accordance with sections 12-830 to 12-834, inclusive, as amended by this act, agrees to be bound by the general statutes, regulations and all duly enacted rules of the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection. All further assignments of lottery prizes shall be subject to the same restrictions and requirements as the initial assignment.
- Sec. 19. Section 12-833 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
  - No person may assign a lottery prize if (1) such person is liable for support under the provisions of section 52-362d, as amended by this act, (2) such person is liable for any debt owed to the state under section 4a-12, (3) such person who does not assign any prize payments would be subject to an immediate income tax liability for the value of the entire prize rather than annual income tax liability for each installment when paid, as determined by a technical rule letter, revenue ruling or other public ruling of the Internal Revenue Service or the Department of Revenue Services, (4) a court of competent jurisdiction issues a published decision that such person who does not assign any prize payments would be subject to an immediate income tax liability for the value of the entire prize rather than annual income tax liability for each installment when paid, (5) the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection receives such letter or ruling from the Internal Revenue Service or the Department of Revenue Services or a published decision of a court of competent jurisdiction and the corporation files such letter, ruling or decision with the Secretary of the State or (6) the assignor's lottery payments are subject to any lien, judgment, offset, levy, attachment, execution, garnishment or court ordered payment.

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Sec. 20. Section 12-834 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

- 748 (a) The [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer 749 Protection may establish a reasonable fee for any administrative 750 expenses associated with assignments made pursuant to section 12-831, 751 as amended by this act, including the cost to the [Connecticut Lottery 752 Corporation] department of any processing fee that may be imposed by 753 a private annuity provider. The amount of the fee shall reflect the direct 754 and indirect costs of processing the assignments by [said corporation] 755 the department.
- (b) The [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u> and its [directors, officers and] employees shall be discharged of all further liability to the assignor upon payment of any lottery prize pursuant to an assignment made in accordance with section 12-831, as amended by this act.
- Sec. 21. Subdivision (12) of section 1-79 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- 764 "Quasi-public agency" (12)means Connecticut Innovations, 765 Incorporated, the Connecticut Health and Education Facilities 766 Authority, the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan 767 Authority, the Connecticut Student Loan Foundation, the Connecticut 768 Housing Finance Authority, the State Housing Authority, the Materials 769 Innovation and Recycling Authority, the Capital Region Development 770 Authority, [the Connecticut Lottery Corporation,] the Connecticut 771 Airport Authority, the Connecticut Health Insurance Exchange, the 772 Connecticut Green Bank, the Connecticut Retirement Security 773 Authority, the Connecticut Port Authority, the Connecticut Municipal 774 Redevelopment Authority and the State Education Resource Center.
- Sec. 22. Section 1-120 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1*, 2021):

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As used in sections 1-120 to 1-123, inclusive:

- 779 (1) "Quasi-public agency" means Connecticut Innovations, 780 Incorporated, the Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities 781 Authority, the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan 782 Authority, the Connecticut Student Loan Foundation, the Connecticut 783 Housing Finance Authority, the Connecticut Housing Authority, the 784 Materials Innovation and Recycling Authority, the Capital Region 785 Development Authority, [the Connecticut Lottery Corporation,] the 786 Connecticut Airport Authority, the Connecticut Health Insurance 787 Exchange, the Connecticut Green Bank, the Connecticut Retirement 788 Security Authority, the Connecticut Port Authority, the Connecticut 789 Municipal Redevelopment Authority, the State Education Resource 790 Center and the Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance Authority.
- 791 (2) "Procedure" means each statement, by a quasi-public agency, of 792 general applicability, without regard to its designation, that 793 implements, interprets or prescribes law or policy, or describes the 794 organization or procedure of any such agency. The term includes the 795 amendment or repeal of a prior regulation, but does not include, unless 796 otherwise provided by any provision of the general statutes, (A) 797 statements concerning only the internal management of any agency and 798 not affecting procedures available to the public, and (B) intra-agency 799 memoranda.
- (3) "Proposed procedure" means a proposal by a quasi-public agency under the provisions of section 1-121, as amended by this act, for a new procedure or for a change in, addition to or repeal of an existing procedure.
  - Sec. 23. Section 1-121 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

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808 809 (a) A quasi-public agency, before adopting a proposed procedure, shall give at least thirty days' notice by publication in the Connecticut Law Journal of its intended action. The notice shall include (1) either a statement of the terms or of the substance of the proposed procedure or

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a description sufficiently detailed so as to apprise persons likely to be affected of the issues and subjects involved in the proposed procedure, (2) a statement of the purposes for which the procedure is proposed, and (3) when, where and how interested persons may present their views on the proposed procedure. A quasi-public agency may only adopt a proposed procedure by a two-thirds vote of the full membership of the board of directors of the quasi-public agency.

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- (b) If a quasi-public agency finds that an imminent peril to the public health, safety or welfare requires adoption of a proposed procedure upon fewer than thirty days' notice, states in writing its reasons for such finding and the agency's board of directors, by a three-fourths vote of the statutory membership, approves the finding in writing, the agency may proceed, without prior notice or hearing or upon any abbreviated notice and hearing that it finds practicable, to adopt an emergency proposed procedure not later than ten days, excluding Saturdays, Sundays and holidays, prior to the proposed effective date of the proposed procedure. An approved emergency procedure may be effective for a period of not more than one hundred twenty days and renewable once for a period of not more than sixty days. If the necessary steps to adopt a permanent procedure, including publication of notice of intent to adopt, are not completed prior to the expiration date of an emergency procedure, the emergency procedure shall cease to be effective on that date.
- [(c) The provisions of subsections (a) and (b) of this section shall not apply to the Connecticut Lottery Corporation, established pursuant to section 12-802, prior to July 1, 1997.]
- Sec. 24. Section 1-125 of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):
- The directors, officers and employees of Connecticut Innovations, Incorporated, the Connecticut Higher Education Supplemental Loan Authority, the Connecticut Student Loan Foundation, the Connecticut

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842 Housing Finance Authority, the Connecticut Housing Authority, the 843 Materials Innovation and Recycling Authority, including ad hoc 844 members of the Materials Innovation and Recycling Authority, the 845 Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities Authority, the Capital 846 Region Development Authority, the Connecticut Airport Authority, 847 [the Connecticut Lottery Corporation,] the Connecticut Health 848 Insurance Exchange, the Connecticut Green Bank, the Connecticut 849 Retirement Security Authority, the Connecticut Port Authority, the 850 Connecticut Municipal Redevelopment Authority, the State Education 851 Resource Center and the Paid Family and Medical Leave Insurance 852 Authority and any person executing the bonds or notes of the agency 853 shall not be liable personally on such bonds or notes or be subject to any 854 personal liability or accountability by reason of the issuance thereof, nor 855 shall any director or employee of the agency, including ad hoc members 856 of the Materials Innovation and Recycling Authority, be personally 857 liable for damage or injury, not wanton, reckless, wilful or malicious, 858 caused in the performance of his or her duties and within the scope of 859 his or her employment or appointment as such director, officer or 860 employee, including ad hoc members of the Materials Innovation and 861 Recycling Authority. The agency shall protect, save harmless and 862 indemnify its directors, officers or employees, including ad hoc 863 members of the Materials Innovation and Recycling Authority, from 864 financial loss and expense, including legal fees and costs, if any, arising 865 out of any claim, demand, suit or judgment by reason of alleged 866 negligence or alleged deprivation of any person's civil rights or any other act or omission resulting in damage or injury, if the director, 867 officer or employee, including ad hoc members of the Materials 868 869 Innovation and Recycling Authority, is found to have been acting in the 870 discharge of his or her duties or within the scope of his or her 871 employment and such act or omission is found not to have been wanton, 872 reckless, wilful or malicious.

Sec. 25. Subsection (d) of section 4-66k of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

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(d) There is established a regionalization subaccount within the regional planning incentive account. If the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection offers online its existing lottery draw games through the corporation's Internet web site, online service or mobile application, the revenue from such online offering that exceeds an amount equivalent to the costs of the debt-free community college program under section 10a-174 shall be deposited in the subaccount, or, if such online offering is not established, the amount provided under subsection (b) of section 364 of public act 19-117\* for regionalization initiatives shall be deposited in the subaccount. Moneys in the subaccount shall be expended only for the purposes recommended by the task force established under section 4-66s.

Sec. 26. Subsection (f) of section 5-263b of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

(f) Any suggestion that involves the following shall not be eligible for an award under this section: (1) Deferred maintenance or replacement of essential equipment and supplies; (2) individual employee compensation or position classification; (3) personal grievances or complaints; (4) suggestions that require a change to or that conflict with, federal or state law; (5) suggestions already submitted by another employee; (6) matters resulting from an agency audit, study, survey, review or research; (7) suggestions that involve correcting a condition that exists because established procedures are not being followed; (8) suggestions that constitute opinions only, and which cannot be supported by demonstrating a better idea, and the need for same; (9) suggestions concerning any matter subject to collective bargaining; (10) suggestions circumventing competitive procurement procedures provided by state law or policy; (11) suggestions which recommend or require formal studies, surveys, investigation or similar research activity to establish the benefits of a suggestion referred to; (12) suggestions which are hypothetical, vague, based on inconclusive justification or deal with generalities; (13) suggestions concerning the structure of lottery games conducted by the [Connecticut Lottery

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Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection, including, but not limited to, game design, prize patterns, draw dates and draw frequency; (14) any suggestion made by the agency suggestion coordinator or agency or department head; (15) suggestions concerning a practice that is an alleged gross waste of funds that the suggesting employee participated in committing; and (16) any suggestion resulting in less than ten thousand dollars in estimated savings to the agency.

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Sec. 27. Section 10-183vv of the 2020 supplement to the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

(a) There is established the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund, which shall contain any moneys required by law to be deposited in the fund, including, but not limited to, deposits from the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection in accordance with section 12-812, as amended by this act. The purpose of the fund shall be to provide, and it is determined that such fund does provide, adequate provision for the protection of the holders of bonds of the state issued pursuant to section 10-183qq and any bonds refunding such bonds. The fund shall secure the payment of the principal of and interest on such bonds and shall be held in trust for the benefit of the holders of the bonds secured thereby, separate and apart from other funds of the state. During any period when any bonds secured by the fund remain outstanding, amounts on deposit in the fund shall not be commingled with other state funds and the state shall have no claim to or against, or interest in, the fund, except as hereinafter provided. Amounts in such fund shall be deposited in a separate account or accounts in a trust company or bank having the powers of a trust company within the state, which shall serve as the trustee of the fund. The Treasurer shall enter into an agreement with such trust company or bank in accordance with the provisions of this section, sections 10-183b, 10-183z, 10-183ww, 12-801, as amended by this act, 12-806, as amended by this act, and 12-812, as amended by this act, and section 90 of public act 19-117.

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(b) The moneys held in the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund, except as provided in this section, shall be pledged to payment on bonds secured by the fund and shall be used solely for the payment of the principal of bonds secured by the fund as such bonds become due by reason of maturity or sinking fund redemption, the purchase of such bonds, the payment of interest on such bonds and the payment of any redemption premium required to be paid when such bonds are redeemed prior to maturity. In the event the state has not otherwise timely made available moneys to pay principal or interest due on such bonds, the Treasurer shall direct the trustee of the fund to transfer from the fund to the paying agent for such bonds the amount necessary to timely pay such principal or interest then due. Except for the payment of the principal of bonds secured by the fund as such bonds become due and the payment of interest on such bonds, no moneys shall be withdrawn from the fund in such amount as would reduce the amount on deposit in the fund to less than the required minimum capital reserve. The pledge made by the state pursuant to this section shall be valid and binding from the time when the pledge is made. The lien of such pledge shall be valid and binding as against all parties having claims of any kind in tort, contract or otherwise against the state, irrespective of whether the parties have notice of the claims. Notwithstanding any provision of the Uniform Commercial Code, no instrument by which such pledge is created need be recorded or filed. Any moneys so pledged and later received by the state shall be subject immediately to the lien of the pledge without any physical delivery thereof or further act and such lien shall have priority over all other liens. For the purpose of evaluation of such fund, obligations acquired as an investment shall be valued at market. For purposes of this section, "required minimum capital reserve" means the maximum amount of principal and interest becoming due on bonds of the state issued pursuant to section 10-183qq, and any bonds refunding such bonds then outstanding, by reason of maturity or a required sinking fund installment in any succeeding fiscal year.

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Department of Consumer Protection into such fund as provided in section 12-812, as amended by this act, shall be sufficient for the payment of the principal of and interest on the bonds secured by the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund when due, whether at maturity or by mandatory sinking fund installments.

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- (d) The Treasurer shall certify to the Governor, the Teachers' Retirement Board and the [president of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection the amount on deposit in the Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund when such amount first equals or exceeds the required minimum capital reserve. Whenever the amount on deposit in the fund is in excess of the required minimum capital reserve, the Treasurer may direct the trustee for the fund to remit to the Treasurer for deposit into the General Fund any amount in excess of the required minimum capital reserve.
- (e) The Connecticut Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds Special Capital Reserve Fund shall terminate and, upon direction of the Treasurer, any moneys remaining therein shall be transferred to the Budget Reserve Fund, established in section 4-30a: (1) Upon payment in full of the principal and interest on all bonds secured by the fund; (2) if there has been deposited in an irrevocable trust for the benefit of the holders of the bonds secured by the fund either (A) moneys in an amount that shall be sufficient to pay, when due, the principal of and interest on such bonds, and any redemption premium required to be paid when such bonds are redeemed prior to maturity, or (B) noncallable and nonprepayable direct obligations of, or obligations the timely payment of principal of and interest on which are unconditionally guaranteed by, the United States of America, the principal of and the interest on which when due, without reinvestment, will provide moneys that together with the moneys, if any, deposited with the trustee at the same time, shall be sufficient to pay when due the principal of and interest on such bonds, and any redemption premium required to be paid when such bonds are redeemed prior to maturity; (3) if the amount of the annual

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required contribution to the fund for the Connecticut teachers' retirement system is determined in accordance with the provisions of subsection (b) of section 10-183*l* and section 10-183*z*, as such sections were in effect on April 30, 2008; or (4) if the Teachers' Retirement Board fails to approve the credited interest percentage for member accounts and return assumption in accordance with subsection (a) of section 10-183ww.

- (f) Pending the use or application of amounts in the fund, moneys in the fund may be invested and reinvested at the direction of the Treasurer in such obligations, securities and investments as are set forth in subsection (f) of section 3-20 and in participation certificates in the Short Term Investment Fund created under section 3-27a.
- (g) The state pledges to the holders of the bonds of the state issued pursuant to section 10-183qq, and any bonds refunding such bonds, that the state shall not limit or alter the rights of such holders under this section or reduce the transfer or deposit of moneys into the fund pursuant to section 10-183ww or section 12-812, as amended by this act, until all such bonds are fully paid or until provision for the payment of such bonds has been made as provided in subdivision (2) of subsection (e) of this section, provided nothing contained in this section shall preclude such limitation, alteration or reduction if adequate provision is made by law for the protection of the holders of such bonds.
- Sec. 28. Section 12-568a of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

The Department of Consumer Protection shall adopt regulations, in accordance with chapter 54, for the purpose of assuring the integrity of the state lottery. [, concerning the regulation of the state lottery under the operation and management of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation.] Such regulations shall include: (1) The licensing of [employees of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation and] any person or business organization awarded the primary contract by [said corporation] the department to provide facilities, components, goods or services which

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are necessary for the operation of the activities authorized by chapter 229a; [(2) the approval of procedures of the corporation; (3) the time period for complying with the regulations governing said approval of procedures; (4)] (2) offerings of lottery games; [(5)] (3) minimum prize payouts and payments; [(6)] (4) regulation of lottery sales agents including qualifications for licensure and license suspension and revocation; [(7)] (5) assurance of the integrity of the state lottery including the computer gaming system, computer internal control and system testing; and [(8)] (6) limitations on advertising and marketing content to assure public information as to the odds of winning the lottery and the prohibition of sales of tickets to minors.

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Sec. 29. Section 12-569 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

(a) If the [president of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Commissioner of Consumer Protection</u> determines that any lottery sales agent has breached such agent's fiduciary responsibility to the [corporation] <u>department</u> in that the account of such lottery sales agent with respect to moneys received from the sale of lottery tickets has become delinquent in accordance with regulations adopted as provided in section 12-568a, as amended by this act, [the president shall notify the commissioner of the breach of fiduciary duty and] the commissioner shall impose a delinquency assessment upon such account equal to ten per cent of the amount due or ten dollars, whichever amount is greater, plus interest at the rate of one and one-half per cent of such amount for each month or fraction of a month from the date such amount is due to the date of payment. Subject to the provisions of section 12-3a, the commissioner may waive all or part of the penalties provided under this subsection when it is proven to the commissioner's satisfaction that the failure to pay such moneys to the state within the time allowed was due to reasonable cause and was not intentional or due to neglect. Any such delinquent lottery sales agent shall be notified of such delinquency assessment and shall be afforded an opportunity to contest the validity and amount of such assessment before the commissioner who may conduct such hearing. [Upon request of the president of the Connecticut

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1077 Lottery Corporation, the The commissioner may prepare and sign a 1078 warrant directed to any state marshal, constable or any collection agent 1079 employed by the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] department for 1080 distraint upon any property of such delinquent lottery sales agent 1081 within the state, whether personal or real property. An itemized bill 1082 shall be attached to the warrant certified by the commissioner as a true 1083 statement of the amount due from such lottery sales agent. Such warrant 1084 shall have the same force and effect as an execution issued in accordance 1085 with chapter 906. Such warrant shall be levied on any real, personal, tangible or intangible property of such agent and sale made pursuant to 1086 1087 such warrant in the same manner and with the same force and effect as 1088 a levy and sale pursuant to an execution.

- 1089 (b) The commissioner shall adopt regulations in accordance with chapter 54 to carry out the purposes of this section.
- Sec. 30. Subsection (g) of section 12-707 of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January* 1093 1, 2021):
- 1094 (g) As used in this section and sections 12-705 and 12-706:

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- 1095 (1) "Employer" means an employer, as defined in Section 3401 of the 1096 Internal Revenue Code;
- 1097 (2) "Payer" means a person making a payment of nonpayroll amounts 1098 to one or more payees;
- 1099 (3) "Payee" means a person receiving a payment of nonpayroll 1100 amounts from a payer;
  - (4) "Nonpayroll amounts" includes (A) gambling winnings, other than Connecticut lottery winnings, that are paid to a resident, or to a person receiving payment on behalf of a resident, and that are subject to federal income tax withholding; (B) Connecticut lottery winnings that are required to be reported by the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection to the Internal Revenue Service,

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1107 whether or not subject to federal income tax withholding, whether paid 1108 to a resident, nonresident or a part-year resident, and whether paid to 1109 an individual, trust or estate; (C) pension and annuity distributions, for which the payer is required to deduct and withhold tax under this 1110 1111 chapter; (D) military retired pay, where the payee is a resident 1112 individual and has requested that tax be deducted and withheld under 1113 this chapter; (E) unemployment compensation, where the recipient has 1114 requested that tax be deducted and withheld under this chapter; and (F) 1115 payments made to an athlete or entertainer, where the payments are not 1116 wages for federal income tax withholding purposes and where the 1117 commissioner requires the payer to deduct and withhold tax under this 1118 chapter;

(5) "Reported liability" means, in the case of an employer, the liability for the tax required to be deducted and withheld under this chapter, as shown on the employer's withholding tax returns for the four quarterly periods within the twelve-month look-back period, and, in the case of a payer, the liability for the tax required to be deducted and withheld under this chapter, as shown on the payer's withholding tax return for the look-back calendar year;

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- (6) "Twelve-month look-back period" means the twelve-month period that ended on the June thirtieth next preceding the calendar year for which the annual determination for an employer is made by the commissioner;
- 1130 (7) "Look-back calendar year" means the calendar year preceding by 1131 two years the calendar year for which the annual determination for a 1132 payer is made by the commissioner;
- 1133 (8) "Seasonal employer" means an employer that regularly in the 1134 same one or more quarterly periods of each calendar year pays no wages 1135 to employees;
  - (9) "Household employee" means an employee whose services of a household nature in or about a private home of an employer constitute domestic service in a private home of the employer, as the phrase is used

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- in Section 3121(a)(7) of the Internal Revenue Code or in regulations
- adopted thereunder;
- 1141 (10) "Household employer" means an employer of a household 1142 employee;
- 1143 (11) "Weekly period" means the seven-day period beginning on a 1144 Saturday and ending on the following Friday; and
- 1145 (12) "Quarterly period" means the period of three full months 1146 beginning on the first day of January, April, July or October.
- 1147 Sec. 31. Subsection (b) of section 12-711 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January*
- 1149 1, 2021):
- (b) (1) Items of income, gain, loss and deduction derived from or
- 1151 connected with sources within this state shall be those items attributable
- to: (A) The ownership or disposition of any interest in real property in
- this state or tangible personal property in this state, as determined
- 1154 pursuant to subdivision (6) of this subsection; (B) a business, trade,
- profession or occupation carried on in this state; (C) in the case of a
- shareholder of an S corporation, the ownership of shares issued by such
- 1157 corporation, to the extent determined under section 12-712; or (D)
- 1158 winnings from a wager placed in a lottery conducted by the
- 1159 [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u>,
- 1160 if the proceeds from such wager are required, under the Internal
- Revenue Code or regulations adopted thereunder, to be reported by the
- 1162 [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection
- 1163 to the Internal Revenue Service.
- 1164 (2) (A) Before, on and after December 29, 2015, income from a
- business, trade, profession or occupation carried on in this state
- includes, but is not limited to, compensation paid to a nonresident
- 1167 natural person for rendering personal services as an employee in this
- state. For taxable years commencing on or after January 1, 2016,
- 1169 compensation for personal services rendered in this state by such

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nonresident employee who is present in this state for not more than fifteen days during a taxable year shall not constitute income derived from sources within this state. If a nonresident employee is present in this state for more than fifteen days during a taxable year, all compensation the employee receives for the rendering of all personal services in this state during the taxable year shall constitute income derived from sources within this state during the taxable year.

- (B) For purposes of determining whether a nonresident employee is "present in this state" under subparagraph (A) of this subdivision, presence in this state for any part of a day constitutes being present in this state for that entire day unless such presence is solely for the purpose of transit through this state. The provisions of this subparagraph shall not apply to subsection (c) of this section or to any other provision of law unless expressly provided.
- (C) For purposes of determining the compensation derived from or connected with sources within this state, a nonresident natural person shall include income from days worked outside this state for such person's convenience if such person's state of domicile uses a similar test.
- (D) The provisions of this subdivision shall not apply to sources of income from a business, trade, profession, or occupation carried on in this state other than compensation for personal services rendered by a nonresident employee, and shall not apply to sources of income derived by an athlete, entertainer or performing artist, including, but not limited to, a member of an athletic team.
- (3) Income from intangible personal property, including annuities, dividends, interest and gains from the disposition of intangible personal property, shall constitute income derived from sources within this state only to the extent that such income is from (A) property employed in a business, trade, profession or occupation carried on in this state, or (B) winnings from a wager placed in a lottery conducted by the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u>,

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if the proceeds from such wager are required, under the Internal Revenue Code or regulations adopted thereunder, to be reported by the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u> to the Internal Revenue Service.

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- (4) Deductions with respect to capital losses and net operating losses shall be based solely on income, gain, loss and deduction derived from or connected with sources within this state, under regulations adopted by the commissioner, but otherwise shall be determined in the same manner as the corresponding federal deductions.
- (5) Income directly or indirectly derived by an athlete, entertainer or performing artist, including, but not limited to, a member of an athletic team, from closed-circuit and cable television transmissions of an event, other than events occurring on a regularly scheduled basis, taking place within this state as a result of the rendition of services by such athlete, entertainer or performing artist shall constitute income derived from or connected with sources within this state only to the extent that such transmissions were received or exhibited within this state.
- (6) For purposes of subparagraph (A) of subdivision (1) of this subsection, "real property in this state" includes an interest in an entity, and "entity" means a partnership, limited liability company or S corporation that owns, directly or indirectly, real property that is located within this state and has a fair market value that equals or exceeds fifty per cent of all the assets of the entity on the date of sale or disposition by a nonresident natural person of such person's interest in the entity. Only those assets that the entity owned, directly or indirectly, for at least two years prior to the date of the sale or disposition of the person's interest in the entity shall be used in determining the fair market value of all the assets of the entity on the date of such sale or disposition. The gain or loss derived from Connecticut sources from such person's sale or disposition of an interest in such entity is the total gain or loss for federal income tax purposes from such sale or disposition multiplied by a fraction, the numerator of which is the fair market value of all real property located in this state owned, directly or indirectly, by the entity

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- Sec. 32. Section 15-120mm of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2020*):
- (a) The authority shall be a successor employer to the state and shall recognize existing bargaining units and collective bargaining agreements existing at the time of transfer of Bradley and the general aviation airports to the authority. The employees of the authority shall be considered state employees under the provisions of sections 5-270 to 5-280, inclusive. Managerial employees and other employees not covered by a collective bargaining agreement shall be exempt from the classified service. With regard to unclassified positions, the authority shall not be required to comply with personnel policies and procedures of the Department of Administrative Services and the Office of Policy and Management with regard to approval for the creation of new positions, the number of such positions, the decision to fill such positions or the time for filling such positions. The authority, not the executive branch, shall have the power to determine whether an individual is qualified to fill an unclassified position at the authority. Employees of the authority covered by a collective bargaining agreement shall be members of the classified service. The authority shall establish classifications and determine the qualifications and set the terms and conditions of employment of employees not covered by a collective bargaining agreement, including the establishment of compensation and incentive plans.
  - (b) Existing aviation employees, as defined in section 15-12000, in collective bargaining units shall be transferred with their position to the authority, if, as and when the authority shall have been ceded the powers of the commissioner to perform the functions performed by such employees. If the authority elects to employ a smaller number of persons in such positions at the authority than the number of existing aviation employees in collective bargaining units, the opportunity to

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transfer to the authority shall be offered on the basis of seniority as defined by statute or collective bargaining agreement. Employees who are offered the opportunity to transfer to the authority may decline to do so. Any person who is covered by a collective bargaining agreement as an employee of the Department of Transportation who accepts employment with the authority shall transfer with his or her position and shall remain in the same bargaining unit of which he or she was a member as an employee of the Department of Transportation.

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(c) No employee covered by a collective bargaining agreement as an employee of the Department of Transportation shall be laid off as a result of the creation of the authority. Each bargaining unit employee of the Department of Transportation who does not transfer to the authority and who, by virtue of sections 15-101*l* to 15-101n, inclusive, is no longer employed by the Department of Transportation shall be retained by said department or assigned with his or her position to another state agency in accordance with the provisions of the State Employees Bargaining Agent Coalition agreement. Such opportunities shall be offered in the order of seniority. Seniority shall be defined in the same way as cases of transfer under the appropriate collective bargaining agreements. Such assignments shall be made only with the approval of the Office of Policy and Management and shall be reported at the end of the fiscal year to the Finance Advisory Committee. Employees may choose to be laid off in lieu of accepting any such assignment. In such case, they shall be entitled to all collective bargaining rights under their respective collective bargaining agreements including the State Employees Bargaining Agent Coalition. Sections 1-120, as amended by this act, 1-121, as amended by this act, 1-125, as amended by this act, 12-563, 12-563a, 12-564, 12-566, 12-567, 12-568a, as amended by this act, and 12-569, as amended by this act, and subsection (c) of section 12-574 [and sections 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive, shall in no way affect the collective bargaining rights of employees of the Department of Transportation.

(d) (1) In addition to positions transferred to the authority under subsection (b) of this section, the authority may create one or more new classifications of employees as determined by the board of directors.

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Such classifications shall not be deemed comparable to other classifications in state service and shall be exempt from classified service.

- (2) On and after July 1, 2011, the authority may hire employees into new unclassified positions without regard to any collective bargaining agreement then in effect and may set the initial terms and conditions of employment for all employees in new unclassified positions.
- (e) The executive branch shall be authorized and empowered to negotiate on behalf of the authority for employees of the authority covered by collective bargaining and represent the authority in all other collective bargaining matters. The authority shall be entitled to have a representative present at all such bargaining.
- (f) In any interest arbitration regarding employees of the authority, the arbitrator shall take into account as a factor, in addition to those factors specified in section 5-276a, the purposes of sections 1-120, as amended by this act, 1-121, as amended by this act, 1-125, as amended by this act, 12-563, 12-563a, 12-564, 12-566, 12-567, 12-568a, as amended by this act, and 12-569 [,] and subsection (c) of section 12-574 [and sections 12-800 to 12-818, inclusive,] the entrepreneurial mission of the authority and the necessity to provide flexibility and innovation to facilitate the success of the authority in the marketplace.
- (g) The officers and all other employees of the authority shall be state employees for the purposes of group welfare benefits and retirement, including, but not limited to, those provided under chapter 66 and sections 5-257 and 5-259. The authority shall reimburse the appropriate state agencies for all costs incurred by such designation.
- (h) The executive director, as described in subsection (d) of section 15-120bb, may, at the discretion of the authority and at the one-time irrevocable option of the executive director, be exempted from the provision of subsection (g) of this section for the purposes of retirement under chapter 66 or group welfare benefits under sections 5-257 and 5-259. If the executive director elects either or both such options, as

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1334 approved by the authority, the executive director's participation in the 1335 retirement or group benefits plan, as applicable, shall be suspended 1336 during the period of such election while the executive director is an 1337 employee of the authority. The authority may develop and implement 1338 retirement plans and group welfare benefits for the executive director. 1339 Such plans shall not be subject to supervision, oversight or approval by 1340 the State Employees Retirement Commission under chapter 66 or the 1341 Comptroller, Attorney General or Insurance Commissioner under 1342 chapter 67, provided any such retirement plan shall be considered a 1343 Connecticut retirement plan for purposes of subsection (d) of section 5-1344 160. The authority shall pay all costs, fees, contributions and other 1345 expenses incurred as a result of any such retirement plan or group welfare benefit. 1346

- Sec. 33. Section 21a-1b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective July 1, 2020*):
- 1349 (a) (1) Wherever the term "executive director of the Division of Special Revenue" is used in the following general statutes, the term 1350 1351 "Commissioner of Consumer Protection" shall be substituted in lieu 1352 thereof, (2) wherever the term "executive director" is used in the 1353 following general statutes, the term "commissioner" shall be substituted 1354 in lieu thereof, and (3) wherever the term "division" is used in the 1355 following general statutes, the term "department" shall be substituted in 1356 lieu thereof: 7-173, 7-174, 7-177a, 7-178, 7-180 to 7-183, inclusive, 12-560, 1357 12-561, 12-563, 12-563a, 12-564, 12-564a, 12-565, 12-566, 12-567, 12-568a, 1358 as amended by this act, 12-571, 12-571a, 12-572, 12-573, 12-574, 12-575, 1359 12-573a, 12-574a, 12-574c, 2-574d, 12-576, 12-578, 12-584, 12-585, [12-1360 802a, 12-806, as amended by this act, [12-806a, 12-807, as amended by 1361 this act, 12-808, as amended by this act, 12-813, as amended by this act, 1362 [12-815,] 12-815a, as amended by this act, 17a-713, as amended by this 1363 act, 29-18c, 30-20 and 53-278g.
  - (b) Wherever the term "executive director of the Division of Special Revenue" is used in the general statutes or in any special or public act of 2011, the term "Commissioner of Consumer Protection" shall be

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- 1367 substituted in lieu thereof. Wherever the term "Division of Special
- 1368 Revenue" is used in the general statutes or any public or special act of
- 1369 2011, the term "Department of Consumer Protection" shall be
- 1370 substituted in lieu thereof.
- 1371 (c) The Legislative Commissioners' Office shall, in codifying the
- 1372 provisions of this section, make such technical, grammatical and
- 1373 punctuation changes as are necessary to carry out the purposes of this
- 1374 section.
- 1375 Sec. 34. Subsection (b) of section 17a-713 of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January*
- 1377 1, 2021):
- (b) The program established by subsection (a) of this section shall be
- 1379 funded by: [imposition of:] (1) [A] Imposition of a fee of one hundred
- thirty-five dollars on each association license, for each performance of
- jai alai or dog racing conducted under the provisions of chapter 226,
- 1382 provided no such licensee shall contribute more than forty-five
- thousand dollars in any one year; (2) imposition of a fee of twenty-five
- dollars for each teletheater performance on each operator of a teletheater
- 1385 facility; and (3) the amount received from the Connecticut Lottery
- 1386 Corporation or the Department of Consumer Protection pursuant to
- section 12-818, as amended by this act. The Commissioner of Consumer
- 1388 Protection shall collect the fee from each association licensee or such
- operator on a monthly basis. The receipts shall be deposited in the
- 1390 General Fund and credited to a separate, nonlapsing chronic gamblers
- treatment and rehabilitation account which shall be established by the
- 1392 Comptroller. All moneys in the account are deemed to be appropriated
- and shall be expended for the purposes established in subsection (a) of
- this section.
- 1395 Sec. 35. Subsection (c) of section 52-362d of the general statutes is
- repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January*
- 1397 1, 2021):
- 1398 (c) When any person redeems a winning lottery ticket worth five

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1399 thousand dollars or more at the central office of the [Connecticut Lottery 1400 Corporation Department of Consumer Protection, the [Connecticut 1401 Lottery Corporation Department of Consumer Protection shall check 1402 the name and other identifying information of such person against a list 1403 of obligors supplied by the Commissioner of Social Services. If such 1404 person is included on the list of obligors, the [Connecticut Lottery 1405 Corporation Department of Consumer Protection shall request 1406 confirmation from the Commissioner of Social Services that such person 1407 is in fact an obligor, and upon notification by the Commissioner of Social 1408 Services that money is due from any such person as a result of a claim 1409 for support which has been assigned to the state pursuant to section 17b-1410 77, or is to be paid to the state acting by and through the IV-D agency, the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer 1411 Protection shall withhold from any lottery winnings payable to such 1412 1413 person under the provisions of chapter 226 or chapter 229a the amount 1414 of such claim for support owed to an individual for any portion of 1415 support which has not been assigned to the state and then the amount 1416 of such claim for support owed to the state, provided the [Connecticut 1417 Lottery Corporation Department of Consumer Protection shall notify 1418 such person that (1) lottery winnings have been withheld as a result of 1419 the amount due for such support, and (2) such person has the right to a 1420 hearing before a hearing officer designated by the Commissioner of 1421 Social Services if such person contests the amount of the alleged claim 1422 for support. The [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of 1423 Consumer Protection shall pay any such person in accordance with any 1424 decisions of the hearing officer or the court upon appeal of the hearing 1425 officer's decision.

Sec. 36. Section 52-367c of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective January 1, 2021*):

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(a) Notwithstanding any other provision of the general statutes, on application of a judgment creditor or his attorney, stating that a judgment remains unsatisfied and the amount due thereon, and subject to the expiration of any stay of enforcement and expiration of any right of appeal, the clerk of the court in which the money judgment was

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rendered shall issue an execution against any winnings of the judgment debtor pursuant to chapter 226 or 229a, as the case may be. The execution shall be directed to (1) the State Comptroller who shall withhold any order of the State Treasurer, or (2) the [president of the Connecticut Lottery Corporation] Department of Consumer Protection, as the case may be, for payment due from winnings pursuant to chapter 226 or 229a to such judgment debtor until the judgment is satisfied.

(b) The [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u> may establish a reasonable fee for any administrative expenses associated with executions made pursuant to subsection (a) of this section, including the cost to the [Connecticut Lottery Corporation] <u>Department of Consumer Protection</u> of any fee that may be imposed by the clerk of the court. The amount of the fee shall reflect the direct and indirect costs of processing the executions by said corporation.

Sec. 37. Sections 12-570b, 12-800, 12-802, 12-802a, 12-804, 12-805, 12-806a, 12-806b, 12-809, 12-811, 12-815 and 12-816 of the general statutes are repealed. (*Effective January 1*, 2021)

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following

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Section 1	January 1, 2021	New section
Sec. 2	January 1, 2021	12-801
Sec. 3	January 1, 2021	12-803
Sec. 4	January 1, 2021	12-806
Sec. 5	January 1, 2021	12-806c
Sec. 6	January 1, 2021	12-806d
Sec. 7	January 1, 2021	12-807
Sec. 8	January 1, 2021	12-808
Sec. 9	January 1, 2021	12-810
Sec. 10	January 1, 2021	12-812
Sec. 11	January 1, 2021	12-813(a)
Sec. 12	January 1, 2021	12-814
Sec. 13	January 1, 2021	12-815a
Sec. 14	January 1, 2021	12-817
Sec. 15	January 1, 2021	12-818
Sec. 16	January 1, 2021	12-829

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Sec. 17	January 1, 2021	12-831
Sec. 18	January 1, 2021	12-832
Sec. 19	January 1, 2021	12-833
Sec. 20	January 1, 2021	12-834
Sec. 21	January 1, 2021	1-79(12)
Sec. 22	January 1, 2021	1-120
Sec. 23	January 1, 2021	1-121
Sec. 24	January 1, 2021	1-125
Sec. 25	January 1, 2021	4-66k(d)
Sec. 26	January 1, 2021	5-263b(f)
Sec. 27	January 1, 2021	10-183vv
Sec. 28	January 1, 2021	12-568a
Sec. 29	January 1, 2021	12-569
Sec. 30	January 1, 2021	12-707(g)
Sec. 31	January 1, 2021	12-711(b)
Sec. 32	July 1, 2020	15-120mm
Sec. 33	July 1, 2020	21a-1b
Sec. 34	January 1, 2021	17a-713(b)
Sec. 35	January 1, 2021	52-362d(c)
Sec. 36	January 1, 2021	52-367c
Sec. 37	January 1, 2021	Repealer section

## Statement of Purpose:

To terminate the Connecticut Lottery Corporation and transfer responsibility for operating the lottery to the Department of Consumer Protection.

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

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