

General Assembly

Raised Bill No. 5520

February Session, 2024

LCO No. 3615



Referred to Committee on GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION AND ELECTIONS

Introduced by: (GAE)

AN ACT CONCERNING THE CONVEYANCE OF A PARCEL OF STATE LAND IN THE TOWN OF BERLIN.

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

- 1 Section 1. (Effective from passage) (a) Notwithstanding any provision
- of the general statutes, the Commissioner of Energy and Environmental
- 3 Protection shall convey to Meriden Homestead II, LLC a parcel of land,
- 4 and any improvements on said parcel, located in the town of Berlin, at
- 5 a cost equal to the fair market value of the property, as determined by
- 6 the average of the appraisals of two independent appraisers selected by
- 7 the commissioner, plus the administrative costs of making such
- 8 conveyance. Said parcel of land has an area of approximately 2.7 acres,
- 9 is a portion of the parcel of land identified as parcel number 27-3-153-35
- 10 in the records of the town of Berlin Tax Assessor and is depicted as:
- 11 "Area to be Conveyed by State to Meriden Homestead II LLC ~2.7 acres
- 12 per Berlin GIS" on a map entitled "SURVEY PREPARED FOR STATE OF
- 13 CONNECTICUT, DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY & ENVIRONMENTAL
- 14 PROTECTION, LAMENTATION MOUNTAIN STATE PARK SCENIC
- 15 RESERVE, STATE ROUTE 15 BERLIN, CONNECTICUT" prepared by

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- 16 Design Professionals, Inc., 21 Jeffrey Drive, P.O. Box 1167, South
- 17 Windsor, CT 06074, and dated September 8, 2023.
- 18 (b) The State Properties Review Board shall complete its review of the
- 19 conveyance of said parcel of land and improvements not later than
- 20 thirty days after it receives a proposed agreement from the
- 21 Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection. The land and
- 22 improvements shall remain under the care and control of said
- 23 commissioner until a conveyance is made in accordance with the
- 24 provisions of this section. The State Treasurer shall execute and deliver
- 25 any deed or instrument necessary for a conveyance under this section.
- 26 The Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection shall have
- 27 the sole responsibility for all other incidents of such conveyance.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following		
sections:		
Section 1	from passage	New section

Statement of Purpose:

To convey a parcel of state land in the town of Berlin at fair market value.

[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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