



General Assembly

January Session, 2019

***Raised Bill No. 7370***

LCO No. 5994



Referred to Committee on PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT

Introduced by:  
(PD)

***AN ACT CONCERNING THE USE OF MUNICIPAL GAIN TO SUPPORT REGIONALIZATION.***

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

1 Section 1. Section 16-233 of the general statutes is repealed and the  
2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2019*):

3 Each town, city, borough, fire district or the Department of  
4 Transportation shall have the right to occupy and use for any purpose,  
5 including, but not limited to, efforts to consolidate administrative and  
6 business office functions and information technology associated with  
7 such functions with other towns, cities, boroughs or fire districts and  
8 other entities, without payment therefor, one gain upon each public  
9 utility pole or in each underground communications duct system  
10 installed by a public service company within the limits of any such  
11 town, city, borough or district. The location or relocation of any such  
12 gain shall be prescribed by the Public Utilities Regulatory Authority.  
13 Any such gain shall be reserved for use by the town, city, borough, fire  
14 district or the Department of Transportation.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	<i>October 1, 2019</i>	16-233

**Statement of Purpose:**

To specify that a municipality may use the gain on each public utility pole reserved for such municipality for the purpose of consolidating back-office functions with other municipalities and other entities.

*[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.]*