

General Assembly

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Committee Bill No. 92

LCO No. **2646**

Referred to Committee on COMMITTEE ON CHILDREN

Introduced by: (KID)

AN ACT ESTABLISHING A TAX CREDIT FOR EMPLOYERS THAT MAKE PAYMENTS TOWARD CHILD CARE COSTS OF EMPLOYEES.

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

Section 1. (NEW) (*Effective July 1, 2021, and applicable to income years commencing on or after January 1, 2022*) (a) As used in this section:

(1) "Eligible child care cost" means the expense incurred by a qualified
employee for child care services provided by a child care center or group
child care home, as such terms are described in section 19a-77 of the
general statutes; and

7 (2) "Qualified employee" means any person who works and resides8 in the state.

9 (b) (1) For income years commencing on or after January 1, 2022, an 10 employer that makes a payment to or on behalf of a qualified employee 11 for an eligible child care cost of such qualified employee may claim a 12 credit against the tax imposed under chapter 207 or 208 of the general 13 statutes. Such credit shall be equal to fifty per cent of the amount of the payment made during the income year by such employer for an eligible child care cost and shall not exceed two thousand five hundred dollars for each qualified employee for whom such employer makes such payment. An employer claiming a credit under this section shall not claim any other credit against the employer's tax liability under any provision of the general statutes for the same payment of an eligible child care cost.

(2) An employer may claim the credit under subdivision (1) of this
subsection for a payment made during the part of the income year that
the qualified employee worked and resided in the state, provided a
qualified employee who worked and resided in the state for any part of
a month shall be deemed to have worked and resided in the state for the
entire month.

(c) An employer that claims the credit under subsection (b) of this
section shall provide any documentation required by the Commissioner
of Revenue Services in a form and manner prescribed by the
commissioner.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Section 1	July 1, 2021, and applicable to income years commencing on or after January 1, 2022	New section

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