

OFFICE OF FISCAL ANALYSIS

Legislative Office Building, Room 5200
Hartford, CT 06106 ◊ (860) 240-0200
<http://www.cga.ct.gov/ofa>

sHB-5001

AN ACT CONCERNING ABSENTEE VOTING FOR ALL AND
VARIOUS OTHER REFORMS TO THE ADMINISTRATION OF
ELECTIONS.

AMENDMENT

LCO No.: 4533

File Copy No.: 528

House Calendar No.: 348

OFA Fiscal Note

Savings

The amendment eliminates absentee ballot drop boxes and the associated penalties and security requirements, resulting in savings to all municipalities beginning in FY 27.

This savings is associated with the elimination of the requirement to provide record absentee ballot drop boxes. The exact savings will vary depending on the number of absentee ballot drop boxes in each municipality.

The preceding Fiscal Impact statement is prepared for the benefit of the members of the General Assembly, solely for the purposes of information, summarization and explanation and does not represent the intent of the General Assembly or either chamber thereof for any purpose. In general, fiscal impacts are based upon a variety of informational sources, including the analyst's professional knowledge. Whenever applicable, agency data is consulted as part of the analysis, however final products do not necessarily reflect an assessment from any specific department.

Primary Analyst: TM
Contributing Analyst(s): LG, RP
Reviewer: JS

4/22/26
(S)