

ERICK RUSSELL
TREASURER

SARAH SANDERS
DEPUTY TREASURER

July 1, 2025

The Honorable Ned Lamont Governor State Capitol Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Governor Lamont:

Pursuant to C.G.S. 3-21 and C.G.S. 2-27b, this office is required to compute as of July 1, 2025, the aggregate amount of indebtedness payable from general fund tax receipts and whether it is less than ninety percent of the debt limit as set forth in said sections. Should the ninety percent limit be reached, C.G.S. 3-21 requires certain actions to be taken by the Governor.

Under C.G.S. 3-21, the aggregate amount of indebtedness comprises the total amount of indebtedness authorized by the General Assembly but not yet issued, and the total amount of indebtedness which has been issued and remains outstanding, subject to certain adjustments. Also, pursuant to said section, the debt limit is set forth as 1.6 times the total general fund tax receipts for the fiscal year in which any such authorization will become effective, as estimated for such fiscal year by the Joint Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding of the General Assembly in accordance with C.G.S. 2-35.

Attached please find the certificate as to the aggregate amount of indebtedness.

Sincerely,

Erick Russell Treasurer

Attachment

CC: The Honorable Matthew D. Ritter, Speaker of the House of Representatives

The Honorable Jason Rojas, Majority Leader, House of Representatives

The Honorable Vincent J. Candelora, Minority Leader, House of Representatives

The Honorable Martin M. Looney, President Pro Tempore, State Senate

The Honorable Bob Duff, Majority Leader, State Senate

The Honorable Stephen Harding, Minority Leader, State Senate

The Honorable John Fonfara, Senate Chair, Finance, Revenue & Bonding

The Honorable Maria Horn, House Chair, Finance, Revenue & Bonding

The Honorable Ryan Fazio, Senate Ranking Member, Finance, Revenue & Bonding

The Honorable Joseph Polletta, House Ranking Member, Finance, Revenue & Bonding

The Honorable Patricia Billie Miller, Senate Chair, General Bonding Subcommittee

The Honorable Ron Napoli, Jr., House Chair, General Bonding Subcommittee

The Honorable Tony Hwang, Senate Ranking Member, General Bonding Subcommittee

The Honorable John Piscopo, House Ranking Member, General Bonding Subcommittee

Mr. Michael A. Jefferson, Clerk of the Senate

Mr. Neil Ayers, Director, Office of Fiscal Analysis

Mr. Frederick J. Jortner, Clerk of the House

Mr. Michael Murphy, Section Chief, Office of Fiscal Analysis

CERTIFICATE OF AGGREGATE AMOUNT OF INDEBTEDNESS

The undersigned, ERICK RUSSELL, Treasurer of the State of Connecticut, HEREBY CERTIFIES, that:

- 1. This certificate is made in accordance with Section 3-21 of the General Statutes, as amended.
- 2. The total General Fund tax receipts of the State of Connecticut during the fiscal year of said State ending June 30, 2026, as estimated by the Joint Standing Committee on Finance, Revenue and Bonding of the General Assembly of the State, is \$21,697,000,000.00
- 3. At the date and time of execution of this certificate, the debt limit prescribed by Section 3-21 of the General Statutes of Connecticut on the aggregate amount of the indebtedness, calculated as 1.6 times the estimated total General Fund tax receipts as listed above, is \$34,715,200,000.00
- 4. As of July 1, 2025, the aggregate amount of authorized and unissued, and issued and outstanding indebtedness of the State of Connecticut subject to the limit prescribed by Section 3-21 of the General Statutes of Connecticut, is \$27,735,985,801.15.
- 5. As of July 1, 2025, the aggregate amount of net indebtedness so computed is 79.90% of the debt limit. As set forth in said section, should the aggregate amount of net indebtedness reach ninety per cent of the debt limit, certain actions are required to be taken by the Governor's Office.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this certificate is made and dated as of July 1, 2025.

Erick Russell

State of Connecticut

Office of the State Treasurer Debt Management Division Certificate of Indebtedness Calculation As of July 1, 2025

Summary of Debt Limit Calculation:

Calculation of Debt Incurring Margin			
Total General Fund Tax Receipts (Note 1)	\$ 21,697,000,000.00		
Multiplier	1.6 34,715,200,000.00		
Debt Limit			
Less: Net Indebtedness (see below)	(27,735,985,801.15)		
Net Indebtedness as Percentage of Debt Limit	79.90%		
Debt Incurring Margin	\$ 6,979,214,198.85		
Calculation of Debt Margin to 90% of Debt Limit			
90% of the Debt Limit	\$ 31,243,680,000.00		
Less: Actual Net Indebtedness	(27,735,985,801.15)		
Capacity Remaining Before 90% of Debt Limit	\$ 3,507,694,198.85		

Detailed Calculation of Net Indebtedness:

(Authorized and Unissued plus Outstanding GO and Guaranteed Debt)

Authorized and Unissued plus Outstanding GO and Guaranteed Debt) Authorized and Unissued as of 7/1/2024 (Note 2)		\$	10,566,978,995.15
Add: New Authorizations effective 7/1/2025			
HB 7288 LCO 10643 New Authorizations	3,239,805,019.00		
HB 7288 LCO 10643 Cancellations/Reductions	(299,680,265.00)		
sSB No. 4 as Amended (LCO 10429)	160,000,000.00		
Total New Authorizations Effective 7/1/2025	3,100,124,754.00		
Add: Prior Authorizations effective 7/1/2025			
PA 16-4 UConn 2000	128,000,000.00		
PA 16-1 Strategic Defense Investment	10,321,428.00		
PA 17-2 Crumbling Foundations	25,000,000.00		
PA 21-111 Sec. 112(e)(f) Community Investment Fund	121,000,000.00		
PA 21-111 Sec. 100 UConn Research Faculty	4,201,600.00		
PA 21-111 Sec. 102(a) CT Port Authority	5,000,000.00		
PA 23-205 Sec. 102 High Poverty Low Enonomic Opportunity Dev Zon	50,000,000.00		
Total Prior Authorizations	343,523,028.00		
Total New Authorizations effective 7/1/2025		\$	3,443,647,782.00
Less: New Issuances			
GO Bonds 2024 Series F&G	(800,000,000.00)		
GO Bonds 2025 Series A&A(Tax)	(800,000,000.00)		
Less New Issuances		\$	(1,600,000,000.00)
Total Authorized and Unissued as of 7/1/2025 (Note 2)		\$	12,410,626,777.15
Outstanding General Obligation (Tax Supported) as of 7/1/2025			13,524,630,000.00
Add: Other Indebtedness Guarantees			
UConn 2000 Bonds Outstanding	1,499,380,000.00		
Southeastern CT Water Authority	190,000.00		
Hartford Contract Assistance	296,495,000.00		
SBEA Loans	4,664,024.00		
Total Other Guaranteed Debt			1,800,729,024.00
Total Outstanding Bonds, Notes & Indebtedness Subject to Debt Limit			15,325,359,024.00
Gross Indebtedness (Authorized and Unissued plus Total Outstanding Deb	ot)		27,735,985,801.15
Less: Funds Available to Pay Net Obligations			-
Net Indebtedness		\$	27,735,985,801.15

- 1) Revenues adopted by the Finance, Revenue and Bonding Committee on June 2, 2025.
- 2) Includes Juvenile Training Facility Certificates of Participation and Energy Leases. Does not include Tax Incremental Fine Special Transportation Bonds, Clean Water Fund Revenue Bonds, and Taxable Teachers' Retirement Fund Bonds.