

STATE OF CONNECTICUT OFFICE OF POLICY AND MANAGEMENT

August 20, 2013

The Honorable Kevin Lembo State Comptroller 55 Elm Street Hartford, Connecticut 06106

Dear Comptroller Lembo:

The following information on the State's General Fund for fiscal year 2014 is provided in accordance with Section 4-66 of the General Statutes. In addition, an analysis of the Special Transportation Fund is included due to the significant nature of this fund. Consistent with Executive Order No. 1, issued January 5, 2011, these projections reflect the state's estimated year-end balance in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles (GAAP).

General Fund

The adopted budget includes a \$4.4 million balance from operations. At this time we estimate that both revenues and expenditures will be consistent with the adopted budget. However, two significant issues will require close monitoring over the coming months and may impact future expenditure projections. First, based on limited data year-to-date, expenditure trends in the Medicaid program appear to be on track to exceed projected levels. This is especially challenging given the savings expectations built into the enacted budget for this program. Second, implementation of the Affordable Care Act in January could impact health care expenditures in the Department of Social Services and in other agencies, to the extent that actual costs deviate from the projections used in constructing the budget. We will continue to evaluate the effects of both of these issues and will adjust future projections accordingly.

Special Transportation Fund

Estimated revenues and expenditures remain unchanged relative to the adopted budget. We anticipate the fund balance on June 30, 2014 to be \$166.4 million.

It is important to note that this represents the first projection of the state's General Fund and Transportation Fund positions for FY 2014. As the year progresses, these estimates will be adjusted to reflect the impact of changes in the economy, expenditure patterns, and/or other factors.

Sincerely,

Benjamin Barnes

Secretary

State of Connecticut Summary of Changes General Fund and Special Transportation Fund Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013 (In Millions)

General Fund		\$	4.4
Balance from Operations - Adopted Budget		Ф	4.4
Revenues			
No Changes	0.0		0.0
Expenditures			
Additional Requirements	0.0		
Estimated Lapses	0.0		
Miscellaneous Adjustments/Rounding	0.0	·	0.0
Estimated Balance from Operations - June 30, 2014		\$	4.4
Special Transportation Fund			
Fund Balance as of June 30, 2013		\$	165.9
Balance from Operations - Adopted Budget			0.5
Revenues			
No Changes	0.0		0.0
Expenditures			
Additional Requirements	0.0		
Estimated Lapses	0.0		
Miscellaneous Adjustments/Rounding	0.0		0.0
Estimated Fund Balance - June 30, 2014		\$	166.4

State of Connecticut General Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Results of Operations

Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013 (In Millions)

DEVENUE.		General Assembly Budget Plar	,E	Revised Estimates OPM		Over/ Under)
REVENUE		AFF47 F	•	45 547 5	•	
Taxes	\ .	\$ 15,517.5		15,517.5	\$	-
Less: Refunds		(1,183.5		(1,183.5)	\$	-
Taxes - Net		\$ 14,334.0		,	Э	- '
Other Revenue		1,153.7		1,153.7		-
Other Sources ¹ .		1,705.4		1,705.4		
TOTAL Revenue		\$ 17,193.1	\$	17,193.1	\$	-
EXPENDITURES						
Initial Current Year Appropriations 1, 2.		\$ 17,361.4	\$	17,361.4	\$	-
Prior Year Appropriations Continued to FY 2014 3.				112.4		112.4
TOTAL Initial and Continued Appropriations Appropriation Adjustments		\$ 17,361.4	\$	17,473.8	\$	112.4
TOTAL Adjusted Appropriations		\$ 17,361.4	\$	17,473.8	\$	112.4
Net Additional Expenditure Requirements				-		-
Estimated Appropriations Lapsed	,	(172.6	5)	(172.6)		-
Estimated Appropriations to be Continued to FY 2015				-		-
TOTAL Estimated Expenditures		\$ 17,188.7	\$	17,301.1	\$	112.4
Net Change in Fund Balances - Continuing Appropriations		-		(112.4)		(112.4)
Miscellaneous Adjustments		-		. -		-
Net Change in Unassigned Fund Balance - 6/30/2014		\$ 4.4	\$	4.4	\$	-

^{1.} Note that, in a departure from the budgets enacted in previous years, the adopted budget "net appropriates" the Medicaid account in the Department of Social Services. This change in practice makes Connecticut's budget treatment of Medicaid consistent with the budgets of other states. A total of \$2,768.7 million was removed from both budgeted revenues and appropriations to accomplish this transition.

^{2.} P.A. 13-184, as amended by P.A. 13-247.

^{3.} P.A. 13-184, as amended by P.A. 13-247, and other statutory provisions.

State of Connecticut General Fund Revenue Estimates Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013 (In Millions)

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	A	General Assembly dget Plan	Revised Estimates <u>OPM</u>	• 0\ <u>(Un</u>	/er/ ider)
TAXES					
Personal Income	\$	8,808.8	\$ 8,808.8	\$	-
Sales and Use		4,044.0	4,044.0		-
Corporation		723.5	723.5		-
Public Service Corporations		279.6	279.6		-
Inheritance and Estate		173.2	173.2		-
Insurance Companies		271.2	271.2		-
Cigarettes		390.4	390.4		- ,
Real Estate Conveyance		143.8	143.8		-
Oil Companies		36.8	36.8		-
Electric Generation		17.5	17.5		-
Alcoholic Beverages		59.8	59.8		-
Admissions and Dues		37.0	37.0		
Health Provider Tax		512.0	512.0		-
Miscellaneous		19.9	19.9		_
TOTAL - TAXES	\$	15,517.5	\$15,517.5	\$	-
Less: Refunds of Taxes		(1,073.5)	(1,073.5)		-
Earned Income Tax Credit		(104.5)	(104.5)		-
R & D Credit Exchange		(5.5)	(5.5)		-
TOTAL - TAXES - NET	\$	14,334.0	\$14,334.0	\$	-
OTHER REVENUE					
Transfers - Special Revenue	\$	313.9	\$ 313.9	\$	_'
Indian Gaming Payments	*	285.3	285.3	Ψ	_
Licenses, Permits, Fees		301.2	301.2		_
Sales of Commodities and Services		38.2	38.2		_
Rents, Fines, Escheats		114.5	114.5		_
Investment Income		1.3	1.3		_
Miscellaneous		169.1	169.1		_
Refunds of Payments		(69.8)	(69.8)		_
TOTAL - OTHER REVENUE	\$	1,153.7	\$ 1,153.7	\$	_
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OTHER SOURCES	_			_	
Federal Grants	\$	1,312.7	\$ 1,312.7	\$	-
Transfer from Tobacco Settlement Fund		107.0	107.0		-
Transfers to Other Funds		285.7	285.7		-
TOTAL - OTHER SOURCES	\$	1,705.4	\$ 1,705.4	\$	-
TOTAL - GENERAL FUND REVENUE	\$	17,193.1	\$17,193.1	\$	- '

State of Connecticut - General Fund Appropriation Adjustments - Net Additional Requirements Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013

No Additional Requirements	\$	-
Total	\$	_

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State of Connecticut General Fund Estimated Lapses Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013

Unallocated Lapse Unallocated Lapse - Legislative Unallocated Lapse - Judicial General Other Expenses Reductions - Legislative General Other Expenses Reductions - Executive General Other Expenses Reductions - Judicial General Lapse - Legislative General Lapse - Executive General Lapse - Judicial GAAP Lapse Transfer GAAP Funding Statewide Hiring Reduction - Legislative Statewide Hiring Reduction - Executive Statewide Hiring Reduction - Judicial	91,676,192 3,028,105 7,400,672 140,000 3,312,000 548,000 56,251 13,785,503 401,946 5,500,000 40,000,000 190,309 5,478,184 1,128,261
Total	172,645,423

State of Connecticut 2013-14 General Fund Summary of Operations Per Letter to the Comptroller (In Millions)

	Budget Plan ^{1.}	July 2013	August 2013	September 2013	October 2013	November 2013	December 2013	January 2014	February 2014	March 2014	April 2014	May 2014	June 2014
REVENUE	\$17,193.1 \$ 17,193.1	\$ 17,193.1			•								
Appropriations	17,361.4	17,361.4											
Additional Requirements	0.0	0.0											
Less: Estimated Lapses	(172.6)	(172.6)											
TOTAL - Estimated Expenditures	17,188.7	17,188.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Balance from Operations	4.4	4.4											
Misc. Adjustments/Rounding	0.0	0.0		-									
Est. Balance from Operations - 6/30/14	\$4.4	\$4.4	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0
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1. P.A. 13-184, as amended by P.A. 13-247.

State of Connecticut Special Transportation Fund Analysis of Budget Plan Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013 (In Millions)

	General Assembly Budget Plan ¹	Revised Estimates <u>OPM</u>	Over/ (Under)
Fund Balance as of June 30, 2013 ^{2.}	\$ 165.9	\$ 165.9	\$ -
REVENUE		•	
Taxes	\$ 962.0	\$ 962.0	\$ -
Less: Refunds of Taxes	(6.5)	(6.5)	-
Taxes - Net	955.5	955.5	_
Other Revenue	288.2	288.2	
TOTAL - Revenue	\$ 1,243.7	\$1,243.7	\$ -
EXPENDITURES			
Appropriations	\$ 1,254.2	\$1,254.2	\$ -
Net Additional Requirements	· ,	-	· _
Less: Estimated Lapses	(11.0)	(11.0)	<u>-</u>
TOTAL - Expenditures	\$1,243.2	\$1,243.2	\$ -
Balance from Operations Miscellaneous Adjustments	\$ 0.5	\$ 0.5 	\$ -
Estimated Fund Balance - June 30, 2014	<u>\$ 166.4</u>	<u>\$ 166.4</u>	\$ -

^{1.} P.A. 13-184.

^{2.} As estimated by the Office of Policy and Management.

State of Connecticut Special Transportation Fund Revenue Estimates Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013 (In Millions)

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TAXES					
Motor Fuels	\$	502.9	\$	502.9	\$ -
Oil Companies		380.7		380.7	-
Sales Tax DMV		78.4		78.4	-
TOTAL - TAXES	7.	962.0		962.0	-
Less: Refunds of Taxes		(6.5)		(6.5)	
TOTAL - TAXES - NET	\$	955.5	\$	955.5	\$, -
OTHER REVENUE					
Motor Vehicle Receipts	\$	234.0	\$	234.0	\$
Licenses, Permits, Fees		138.5		138.5	-
Interest Income		3.8		3.8	-
Federal Grants		13.1		13.1	
Transfers (To)/From Other Funds		(98.0)		(98.0)	-
Refunds of Payments		(3.2)		(3.2)	
TOTAL - OTHER REVENUE	\$	288.2	\$	288.2	\$ -
TOTAL - SPECIAL TRANSPORTATION FUND REVENUE	\$ ^	1,243.7	\$ ^	1,243.7	\$ -

State of Connecticut Special Transportation Fund Appropriation Adjustments - Net Additional Requirements Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013

No Additional Requirements		\$ -
Total		\$ _

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State of Connecticut Special Transportation Fund Estimated Lapses Projected to June 30, 2014 As of July 31, 2013

Unallocated Lapse

\$ 11,000,000

Total

\$ 11,000,000

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2013-14 Special Transportation Fund
Summary of Operations Per Letter to the Comptroller
(In Millions)

	Budget Plan ^{1.}	July 2013	August 2013	September 2013	October 2013	November 2013	December 2013	January 2014	February 2014	March 2014	April 2014	May 2014	June 2014
Beginning Balance ^{2.}	\$ 165.9	\$ 165.9	٠										
Revenue	1,243.7	1,243.7											
Total Available	1,409.6	1,409.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Appropriations	1,243.2	1,243.2											
Additional Requirements	0.0	0.0											
Less: Estimated Lapses	(11.0)	(11.0)											
TOTAL - Estimated Expenditures	1,232.2	1,232.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Balance from Operations	0.5	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Compt's Misc. Adjustments/Rounding	0.0	0.0											
Estimated Balance 6/30/14	\$166.4	\$166.4	0.0\$	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0	\$0.0

1. P.A. 13-184. 2. Budget Plan and the month of July as est

^{2.} Budget Plan and the month of July as estimated by the Office of Policy and Management.