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Dear Senator Fasano and Representative Klarides:

Connecticut has its downward economic trajectory ever since Weicker introduced taxes in the early 90's. At that time we were home to many of America's largest corporations. That tax caused many to leave including the insurance companies that made this state famous.

Prior that that event CT had the tax advantage with its neighboring States which brought jobs and growth.

That advantage is now gone and new taxes and regulations make Connecticut one of the worst states to have and do business I have been a small home builder for the past 35 years in CT. Our bread and butter business for years were corporate transferees who were happy to make CT their home. In the past 10 years, We have not had a buyer who moved here for a new job. However we have seen many leave.

If the definition of insanity is repeating the same mistakes, then the Connecticut Legislature is truly insane.

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