

The Honorable Stephanie Thomas
Secretary of the State
State of Connecticut
30 Trinity Street
Hartford, Connecticut 06106

Dear Secretary Thomas:

Pursuant to Article III, Section 2 of the Constitution of the State of Connecticut and Section 2-6 of the Connecticut General Statutes, I am writing to notify you that I judge it necessary for the General Assembly to meet in special session for the purpose of enacting legislation:

1. To move "Public Benefit Charges" permanently off ratepayer bills;
2. To provide immediate electric rate relief by reallocating unobligated end-of-year American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funds and re-examining budgetary options that could make available additional dollars to (a) cover the portions of rate increases associated with the moratorium on electric service shutoffs and the costs associated with electric vehicle charging programs and (b) provide additional rate relief to ratepayers to the maximum extent possible as funds allow;
3. To cap all future Power Purchase Agreements to no more than 150% over the wholesale electric market price;
4. To redefine Class I renewable energy sources to enable competition to lower the cost of these energy sources;
5. To restore the independence of the Public Utility Regulatory Authority (PURA), by separating it from the Department of Energy and Environmental Protection (DEEP).

Respectfully,

Signature

Printed Name and District

Date