



# Capitol Monitor

A Weekly Report on Activity at the State Capitol

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## Update on HB 6388: Definition of Manager

Thank you to everyone who wrote to the Finance Committee members about HB 6388 in response to CSU-AAUP's action alert. If passed Sec. 15 subsection (g) will allow significantly more positions within the institutions of public higher education to be categorized as managerial and will strip many faculty members of the right to continue to belong to a collective bargaining unit (union). The [Finance Committee](#) has not met to act on this bill, so there is still time to contact Committee members if you haven't done so yet. Our lobbyists have received positive feedback so far, but we must continue to push our message to all committee members until they remove this language.

## Bills Reported Out of Committee

**Please note that once a bill becomes a file it could be heard and voted on by the House or Senate as soon as within two days.**

**File No 223/SB 1026: [AN ACT IMPLEMENTING THE RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE LEGISLATIVE PROGRAM REVIEW AND INVESTIGATIONS COMMITTEE CONCERNING A PUBLIC AGENDA FOR HIGHER EDUCATION](#)**

**Status:** The Committee on Program Review and Investigations reported through SEN. FONFARA of the 1st Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

**File 259/ SB 909: [AN ACT CONCERNING A REALLOCATION OF FUNDS WITHIN THE CSUS 2020 INFRASTRUCTURE IMPROVEMENT PROGRAM FOR ADDITIONS AND RENOVATIONS TO BULEY LIBRARY](#)**

**Status:** The Committee on Higher Education and Employment Advancement reported through SEN. BYE of the 5th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the Senate, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

**File 270/HB 6231: AN ACT CONCERNING THE DEVELOPMENT OF A GENERAL EDUCATION CORE OF COURSES TO ALLOW FOR THE SEAMLESS TRANSFER FROM THE REGIONAL COMMUNITY-TECHNICAL COLLEGE SYSTEM TO THE CONNECTICUT STATE UNIVERSITY SYSTEM AND THE UNIVERSITY OF CONNECTICUT**

**Status:** The Committee on Higher Education and Employment Advancement reported through REP. WILLIS of the 64th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

**File 314/ HB 5415: AN ACT REQUIRING FULL DISCLOSURE TO PROSPECTIVE ATHLETES BEING RECRUITED TO INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION**

**Status:** The Committee on Higher Education and Employment Advancement reported through REP. WILLIS of the 64th Dist., Chairperson of the Committee on the part of the House, that the substitute bill ought to pass.

**What are the Hot Topics at the Capitol?**

From the Office of Legislative Research:

1. PRELIMINARY ANALYSES OF GOVERNOR'S BILLS
2. LIMIT ON PUBLIC ASSISTANCE BENEFITS WHEN MOTHER REFUSES TO IDENTIFY CHILD'S FATHER
3. UNDOCUMENTED IMMIGRANT STUDENT TUITION
4. LONG-TERM CARE - MEDICAID SPOUSAL ASSETS AND HOME-AND COMMUNITY-BASED SERVICES

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