



General Assembly

January Session, 2025

Proposed Bill No. 5221

LCO No. 1423



Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS

Introduced by:

REP. CONCEPCION, 4th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR GIRLS FOR TECHNOLOGY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the sum of one million dollars be appropriated to the
- 2 Department of Children and Families, from the General Fund, for the
- 3 fiscal years ending June 30, 2026, June 30, 2027, and each fiscal year
- 4 thereafter, for a grant-in-aid to Girls for Technology to support
- 5 economic empowerment workshops, summer enrichment programs,
- 6 industry-led workshops and youth development initiatives.

Statement of Purpose:

To support Girls for Technology activities to address systemic inequities affecting underrepresented and low-income communities across the state, particularly in Hartford, New Haven and New London counties and ensure measurable outcomes in financial literacy, workforce readiness and technological proficiency.