



General Assembly

***Proposed Bill No. 5047***

***February Session, 2026***

**LCO No. 272**



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Referred to Committee on APPROPRIATIONS

Introduced by:

REP. BUCKBEE, 67th Dist.

***AN ACT CONCERNING FUNDING FOR MAINTENANCE OF HELICOPTERS USED IN SEARCH AND RESCUE OPERATIONS.***

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

- 1        That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be appropriated to
- 2        the Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection, from the
- 3        General Fund, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2027, for the New
- 4        Milford Police Department to maintain helicopters used for search and
- 5        rescue operations throughout the state.

***Statement of Purpose:***

To provide critical funding for helicopter search and rescue.