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Debates on the Budget, Minimum Wage, Alcohol Prices and the Electoral College on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*

Hartford, CT – This Friday at 7 p.m. Connecticut Network viewers will recap a week filled with debates and hearings on the Governor’s proposed budget and bills concerning the state’s minimum wage, alcohol prices and the Electoral College on the latest episode of *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*.

The legislature’s [Appropriations Committee](#) continued to hold hearings this week on Governor Dannel Malloy’s proposed budget. The Governor’s proposal to change education funding formulas in the state received much attention, including reaction from superintendents who explained what the cuts would mean to their respective school districts and communities. Elsewhere in the Legislative Office Building, the [Labor & Public Employees Committee](#) took action on two bills that would raise Connecticut’s minimum wage to \$15 an hour – one of which was used to test the new rules governing the equal spilt of Democrats and Republicans in the State Senate.

Capitol Report will also review the Governor’s latest attempt to bring the [price of alcohol down](#), as well as the testimony heard by the [Government Administration & Elections Committee](#) on a proposal to have Connecticut join the National Popular Vote Interstate Compact - an agreement among a group of states to switch away from the Electoral College to a National Popular Vote in presidential elections.

Capitol Report: Week in Review summarizes the activity at the State Capitol during the week, using voice over and graphics to combine history, context, and next steps in the process with full-length excerpts from the week’s proceedings. The program premieres on CT-N every Friday night at 7:00 p.m., then rebroadcasts at Noon and 7:00 p.m. on Saturdays, 8:00 p.m. on Sundays, and 6:00 a.m. Monday mornings; check CT-N’s online program schedule for additional airtimes. Each episode runs between 30 and 60 minutes.

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