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Updates on Current Legislation, Regents' Cost-Cutting Plan, and a Prison Unit Closure on *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*

Hartford, CT – This Friday at 7 p.m. Connecticut Network (CT-N) viewers will recap a week where legislative leadership discussed where certain proposals from this session currently stand, the House of Representatives met in session to vote on bills, and the Board of Regents considered a cost-cutting plan and tuition increases on the latest episode of *CT-N Capitol Report: Week in Review*.

The General Assembly's legislative leaders shared where certain legislation currently stands this session as they [discussed proposals](#) and topics related to the state budget, highway tolls, recreational marijuana, hospital property taxes and a third casino in the state. The [Connecticut House of Representatives](#) also met in session this past Wednesday to vote on a variety of bills, including one that is designed to help start-up companies succeed. Meanwhile, the Board of Regents for Higher Education are considering a cost-cutting plan that would greatly impact the state university and community college system, as well as tuition and fee hikes which would be implemented this coming fall.

Capitol Report will also review [Governor Malloy's](#) reaction to new budget deficit projections and his announcement regarding a prison unit closure, as well as the action taken by the [Judiciary Committee](#) on bills concerning hate crime penalties, human sex trafficking, juvenile justice and bail reform.

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.

All episodes of *Capitol Report* are available online, in keeping with the network's seamless integration of telecast and interactive content. Visit www.ct-n.com/CR for OnDemand viewing, annotated with synopses and links to related gavel-to-gavel coverage.

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