

## STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF REVENUE SERVICES

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Mark D. Boughton Commissioner

June 7, 2024

The Honorable John W. Fonfara, Senate Co-Chair
The Honorable Maria Horn, House Co-Chair
The Honorable Henri Martin, Senate Ranking Member
The Honorable Holly H. Cheeseman, House Ranking Member
The Honorable Jeffrey R. Beckham, Secretary, Office of Policy and Management

Dear Senator Fonfara, Representative Horn, Senator Martin, Representative Cheeseman and Secretary Beckham:

Pursuant to Conn. Gen. Stat. § 12-458h, the Commissioner of Revenue Services is required, on or before June 15, to calculate the applicable tax rate per gallon of diesel fuel for each fiscal year beginning July 1. In accordance with the methodology set forth in Conn. Gen. Stat. § 12-458h, I am notifying you that, effective July 1, 2024, the tax rate on diesel fuel will be 52.4 cents per gallon for fiscal year 2024-2025.

Attached is a summary sheet showing the Department's calculation. In addition, each distributor will be notified of the new rate prior to June 15, 2024.

Please do not hesitate to contact me at (860) 297- 4900 should you have any questions or require additional information.

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Sincerely,

Mark D. Boughton

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Commissioner of Revenue Services

Attachment

## Calculating the Motor Vehicle Fuels Tax Rate on Diesel Fuel, Effective July 1, 2024

| Line 1:  | Average wholesale price per gallon,<br>April 1, 2023, through March 31, 2024       | \$2.894 |
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| Line 2:  | Petroleum products gross earnings tax rate as of July 1, 2024                      | 8.1%    |
| Line 3:  | Multiply Line 1 by Line 2  | 23.4¢   |
| Line 4:  | Base motor vehicle fuels tax rate per gallon on diesel fuel as of July 1, 2024     | 29.0¢   |
| Line 5:  | New diesel fuel tax rate per gallon effective July 1, 2024 (Add Line 3 and Line 4) | 52.4¢   |
| Motor vehicle fuels tax rate per gallon on diesel fuel, from July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2024 |  | 49.2¢   |
| New diesel fuel tax rate per gallon, effective July 1, 2024                                      |  | 52.4¢   |

