CONNECTICUT

Nickname .................................................. The Constitution State
Motto .................................................. 
Flower .................................................. Mountain Laurel
Bird .................................................. American Robin
Tree .................................................. White Oak
Song .................................................. Yankee Doodle
Entered the Union .................................. January 9, 1788
Capital .................................................. Hartford

STATISTICS

Land Area (square miles) .................. 4,842
Rank in Nation .................................. 48
Population .................................. 3,576,432
Rank in Nation .................................. 29
Density per square mile .................. 741.6
Capital City .................................. Hartford
Population .................................. 124,006
Rank in State .................................. 4
Largest City .................................. Bridgeport
Population .................................. 147,629
Number of Representatives in Congress .... 5
Number of 2016 Electoral Votes .......... 7
Number of Geographic Counties ........ 8
Number of Municipal Governments ....... 30
Number of School Districts ............ 17
Number of Special Districts ............. 447

LEGISLATIVE BRANCH

Legislative Body .................................. General Assembly

President of the Senate ...................... Lt. Gov. Nancy Wyman
President Pro Temp of the Senate ........ Martin Looney
and Leonard Fasano

Secretary of the Senate ..................... Carey E. Coleman
(Clerk of the Senate)

Speaker of the House ....................... Joe Aresimowicz
Speaker Pro Temp of the House ........ Bob Godfrey
(Pro Temp)
Jeffrey Berger, Jane Candelaria,
Linda Gentile, Douglas McCready,
Russell Morin, Eric Morris,
Linda Orange, Kevin Ryan,
(Deputy Speakers of the House)

Clerk of the House ......................... Martin Dunleavy

2017 Regular Session ...................... Jan. 4 – June 7, 2017
Number of Senatorial Districts .......... 36
Number of Representative Districts .... 151

EXECUTIVE BRANCH

Governor .................................. Dan Malloy
Lieutenant Governor ...................... Nancy Wyman
Secretary of State .................... Denise J. Merrill
Attorney General ....................... George C. Jepsen
Treasurer .................................. Denise L. Nappier
Auditor .................................. John C. Geragosian and Robert Kane
State Comptroller ...................... Kevin P. Lembo
(Comptroller)

Governor’s Present Term ............... 1/2011 – 1/2019
Number of Elected Officials in the Executive Branch .... 6
Number of Members in the Cabinet .... 14

JUDICIAL BRANCH

Highest Court .................................. Supreme Court
Supreme Court Chief Justice ............ Chase T. Rogers
Number of Supreme Court Judges .... 7
Number of Intermediate Appellate Court Judges ...... 9
Number of U.S. Court Districts .......... 1
U.S. Circuit Court .......................... 2nd Circuit