



STATE OF VERMONT
AGENCY OF HUMAN SERVICES

MEMORANDUM

TO: Senator Claire Ayer, Senate Health and Welfare Committee
FROM: Ken Schatz, AHS General Counsel *KAS*
DATE: March 31, 2014
SUBJECT: H.373, An act relating to updating and reorganizing Title 33

I am writing on behalf of the Agency of Human Services to confirm our support for H. 373, as passed by the House. We believe it will be very helpful to make technical corrections, update and reorganize Title 33 of Vermont Statutes Annotated. We also appreciate that the intent of this bill is to make housekeeping changes and not substantive or policy changes.

Staff of the Agency and the lawyers with the Attorney General's Office assigned to our Agency has worked with the Legislative Council on this bill over the last couple of years. We particularly appreciate Jen Carbee's focus and attention to detail in drafting the bill and creating the "road map" to explain the proposed changes in H. 373.

Thank you for your consideration. Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

Cc: Jen Carbee, Esq. Legislative Council