

Journal of the House

Friday, March 25, 2011

Rep. Leriche of Hardwick presiding.

At nine o'clock and thirty minutes in the forenoon the Speaker called the House to order.

Devotional Exercises

Devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Michael Augustinowicz of St. Augustine's Church, Montpelier, VT.

Recess

At nine o'clock and fifty minutes in the forenoon, the Speaker declared a recess until the fall of the gavel.

At ten o'clock and fifty-five minutes in the forenoon, the Speaker called the House to order.

Bill Amended, Consideration Interrupted by Recess

H. 441

House bill, entitled

An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Was taken up and pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Heath of Westford** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking out Sec. B.101 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.101 to read as follows:

Sec. B.101 Information and innovation - communications and information technology

Personal services	7,111,349
Operating expenses	5,466,512
Grants	<u>900,000</u>
Total	13,477,861

Source of funds

General fund	20,911
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Internal service funds	<u>13,456,950</u>
Total	13,477,861

Second: By striking out Sec. B.107 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.107 to read as follows:

Sec. B.107 Tax - administration/collection

Personal services	12,618,208
Operating expenses	<u>2,883,734</u>
Total	15,501,942

Source of funds

General fund	13,922,041
Special funds	1,463,901
Tobacco fund	58,000
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>58,000</u>
Total	15,501,942

and in Sec. D.100(a)(1), by striking out the figure “\$233,000” where it twice appears and inserting in lieu thereof the figure \$488,000

Third: By striking out Sec. B.1000 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.1000 to read as follows:

Sec. B.1000 Debt service

Debt service	<u>73,381,957</u>
Total	73,381,957

Source of funds

General fund	64,575,793
Transportation fund	3,371,825
TIB debt service fund	991,563
Special funds	3,005,634
ARRA funds	<u>1,437,142</u>
Total	73,381,957

Fourth: By striking out Sec. B.1001 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.1001 to read as follows:

Sec. B.1001 Total Debt service	73,381,957
Source of funds	
General fund	64,575,793
Transportation fund	3,371,825
TIB debt service fund	991,563
Special funds	3,005,634
ARRA funds	<u>1,437,142</u>
Total	73,381,957

Fifth: By adding a new section to be numbered Sec. C.105 to read as follows:

Sec. C.105 REPEAL

(a) Secs. E.323.1 and E.323.2 of No.156 of the Acts of the 2009 Adj. Sess. (2010) are repealed.

Sixth: In Sec. D.100(a)(3), by striking out the figure “\$3,325,476” where it twice appears and inserting in lieu thereof the figure \$3,295,476

Seventh: In Sec. E.224(a), by striking out the words “farm-to-plate” and inserting in lieu thereof the words farm-to-school

Eighth: In Sec. E.312(a)(3), by striking out subparagraph (A) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subparagraph (A) to read as follows:

(A) Of the general funds appropriated, \$70,000 is to provide assistance to individuals in the HIV/AIDS Medication Assistance Program (AMAP), including the costs of prescribed medications, related laboratory testing, and nutritional supplements. These funds may not be used for any administrative purposes by the department of health or by any other state agency or department. Before using the general fund allocation to cover the costs of AMAP, the department of health shall use pharmaceutical rebate special funds to cover the costs of AMAP. Any carry-forward general funds remaining at the end of fiscal year 2012 shall be distributed to AIDS service organizations in the same proportion as those outlined in this subsection.

and in subsection (b) by striking out the figure “\$694,000” and inserting in lieu thereof the figure \$1,594,000

Which was agreed to.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Poirier of Barre City** moved to amend. as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.301 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.301. Secretary's office - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>1,095,102,094</u>
Total	1,095,102,094
Source of funds	
General fund	147,626,248
Special funds	18,574,689
Tobacco fund	36,978,473
State health care resources fund	220,670,440
Catamount fund	22,499,007
Federal funds	648,065,103
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>688,135</u>
Total	1,095,102,094

Second: By striking Sec. B.307 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.307. Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>647,567,161</u>
Total	647,567,161
Source of funds	
Global Commitment fund	<u>647,567,161</u>
Total	647,567,161

Third: By striking Sec. B.308 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.308. Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program – long-term care waiver

Grants	<u>208,169,696</u>
Total	208,169,696
Source of funds	

General fund	87,722,710
Federal funds	<u>120,446,986</u>
Total	208,169,696

Fourth: By striking Sec. B.312 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.312. Health - public health

Personal services	33,496,002
Operating expenses	6,245,652
Grants	<u>35,408,566</u>
Total	75,150,220

Source of funds

General fund	8,105,252
Special funds	11,012,411
Tobacco fund	1,594,000
Federal funds	32,903,499
ARRA funds	460,165
Global Commitment fund	20,089,485
Interdepartmental transfers	975,408
Permanent trust funds	<u>10,000</u>
Total	75,150,220

Fifth: By striking Sec. B.313 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.313. Health - alcohol and drug abuse programs

Personal services	2,650,944
Operating expenses	371,158
Grants	<u>26,711,881</u>
Total	29,733,983

Source of funds

General fund	3,709,843
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Special funds	233,884
Tobacco fund	1,386,234
Federal funds	5,955,677
Global Commitment fund	18,098,345
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>350,000</u>
Total	29,733,983

Sixth: By striking Sec. B.314 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.314. Mental health - mental health

Personal services	5,486,339
Operating expenses	1,117,984
Grants	<u>126,010,438</u>
Total	132,614,761

Source of funds

General fund	811,295
Special funds	6,836
Federal funds	6,555,971
Global Commitment fund	125,220,659
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>20,000</u>
Total	132,614,761

Seventh: By striking Sec. B.323 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.323. Department for children and families - reach up

Grants	<u>50,228,172</u>
Total	50,228,172

Source of funds

General fund	20,554,109
Special funds	19,916,856
Federal funds	7,882,807

Global Commitment fund	<u>1,874,400</u>
Total	50,228,172

Eighth: By striking Sec. B.330 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.330. Disabilities, aging, and independent living - advocacy and independent living grants

Grants	<u>21,749,053</u>
Total	21,749,053

Source of funds

General fund	9,827,473
Federal funds	7,645,317
Global Commitment fund	3,638,763
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>637,500</u>
Total	21,749,053

Ninth: By striking Sec. B.333 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.333. Disabilities, aging, and independent living - developmental services

Grants	<u>156,135,406</u>
Total	156,135,406

Source of funds

General fund	155,125
Special funds	15,463
Federal funds	359,857
Global Commitment fund	<u>155,604,961</u>
Total	156,135,406

Tenth: By adding Sec. D.104 to read:

Sec. D.104. TRANSFER FROM STABILIZATION RESERVE

Notwithstanding the provisions of 32 V.S.A. § 308, the amount of \$11,738,554 is unreserved and made available for expenditure in fiscal year 2012 from the general fund stabilization reserve created in 32 V.S.A. § 308.

Recess

At eleven o'clock and five minutes in the forenoon, the Speaker declared a recess until the fall of the gavel.

At one o'clock and ten minutes in the afternoon, the Speaker called the House to order.

Consideration Resumed; Bill Read the Third Time and Passed

H. 441

Consideration resumed on House bill, entitled

An act relating to making appropriations for the support of government

Pending the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Poirier of Barre City? **Rep. Poirier of Barre City** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number.

Pending the call of the roll, **Rep. Fagan of Rutland City** moved to substitute an amendment for that offered by Rep. Poirier of Barre City, as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.810 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.810 to read:

Sec. B.810 Vermont housing and conservation board

Grants	<u>18,612,916</u>
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Total	18,612,916
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Source of funds

Special funds	5,772,500
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Federal funds	<u>12,840,416</u>
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Total	18,612,916
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Second: In Sec. D.100, by striking subdivision (a)(2) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subdivision (2) to read:

(2) The sum of \$5,047,500 is appropriated from the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund to the Vermont housing and conservation trust board. Notwithstanding 10 V.S.A. § 312, amounts above \$5,047,500 from the property transfer tax that are deposited into the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund shall be transferred into the general fund.

Third: By striking Sec. B.301 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.301 to read as follows:

 Sec. B.301 Secretary's office - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>1,086,033,045</u>	
Total	1,086,033,045	
Source of funds		
General fund	143,854,750	
Special funds	18,574,689	
Tobacco fund	36,978,473	
State health care resources		fund 220,670,440
Catamount fund	22,499,007	
Federal funds	642,767,551	
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>688,135</u>	
Total	1,086,033,045	

Fourth: By striking Sec. B.307 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.307 to read as follows:

Sec. B.307 Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>645,043,237</u>
Total	645,043,237
Source of funds	
Global Commitment fund	<u>645,043,237</u>
Total	645,043,237

Pending the question, Shall the proposal of amendment offered by Rep. Poirier of Barre City be substituted with the proposal of amendment offered by Rep. Fagan of Rutland City? **Rep. Savage of Swanton** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number. The Clerk proceeded to call the roll and the question, Shall the proposal of amendment offered by Rep. Poirier of Barre City be substituted with the proposal of amendment offered by Rep. Fagan of Rutland City? was decided in the negative. Yeas, 41. Nays, 95.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Batchelor of Derby	Donahue of Northfield	McFaun of Barre Town
Bouchard of Colchester	Eckhardt of Chittenden	McNeil of Rutland Town
Branagan of Georgia	Fagan of Rutland City	Morrissey of Bennington
Brennan of Colchester	Hebert of Vernon	Myers of Essex
Burditt of West Rutland	Higley of Lowell	Olsen of Jamaica
Canfield of Fair Haven	Hubert of Milton	Peaslee of Guildhall
Clark of Vergennes	Koch of Barre Town	Perley of Enosburgh
Consejo of Sheldon	Komline of Dorset	Reis of St. Johnsbury
Crawford of Burke	Larocque of Barnet	Savage of Swanton
Degree of St. Albans City	Lawrence of Lyndon	Scheuermann of Stowe
Devereux of Mount Holly	Lewis of Berlin	Shaw of Pittsford
Dickinson of St. Albans Town	Lewis of Derby	Strong of Albany
Donaghy of Poultney	Marcotte of Coventry	Townsend of Randolph
	McAllister of Highgate	Turner of Milton

Those who voted in the negative are:

Acinapura of Brandon	French of Shrewsbury	Mitchell of Barnard
Andrews of Rutland City	French of Randolph	Mook of Bennington
Aswad of Burlington	Gilbert of Fairfax	Moran of Wardsboro
Atkins of Winooski	Greshin of Warren	Mrowicki of Putney
Bartholomew of Hartland	Haas of Rochester	Munger of South Burlington
Bissonnette of Winooski	Head of South Burlington	Nuovo of Middlebury
Bohi of Hartford	Heath of Westford	O'Brien of Richmond
Botzow of Pownal	Helm of Fair Haven	Pearce of Richford
Browning of Arlington	Hooper of Montpelier	Pearson of Burlington
Burke of Brattleboro	Howrigan of Fairfield	Peltz of Woodbury
Buxton of Royalton	Jerman of Essex	Poirier of Barre City
Campion of Bennington	Jewett of Ripton	Potter of Clarendon
Christie of Hartford	Johnson of South Hero	Pugh of South Burlington
Clarkson of Woodstock	Keenan of St. Albans City	Ralston of Middlebury
Condon of Colchester	Kitzmiller of Montpelier	Ram of Burlington
Conquest of Newbury	Krebs of South Hero	Shand of Weathersfield
Copeland-Hanzas of Bradford	Kupersmith of South Burlington	Sharpe of Bristol
Corcoran of Bennington	Lanpher of Vergennes	South of St. Johnsbury
Courcelle of Rutland City	Larson of Burlington	Spengler of Colchester
Dakin of Chester	Lenes of Shelburne	Stevens of Waterbury
Davis of Washington	Lorber of Burlington	Stevens of Shoreham
Deen of Westminster	Macaig of Williston	Stuart of Brattleboro
Donovan of Burlington	Malcolm of Pawlet	Sweaney of Windsor
Edwards of Brattleboro	Manwaring of Wilmington	Taylor of Barre City
Ellis of Waterbury	Marek of Newfane	Toll of Danville
Emmons of Springfield	Martin of Springfield	Trieber of Rockingham
Evans of Essex	Martin of Wolcott	Waite-Simpson of Essex
Fisher of Lincoln	Masland of Thetford	Webb of Shelburne
Font-Russell of Rutland City	McCullough of Williston	Weston of Burlington
Frank of Underhill	Miller of Shaftsbury	Wilson of Manchester
		Wizowaty of Burlington

Woodward of Johnson Yantachka of Charlotte
Wright of Burlington Young of Albany

Those members absent with leave of the House and not voting are:

Ancel of Calais	Kilmartin of Newport City	Smith of Morristown
Cheney of Norwich	Klein of East Montpelier	Till of Jericho
Grad of Moretown	Lippert of Hinesburg	Winters of Williamstown
Howard of Cambridge	Partridge of Windham	
Johnson of Canaan	Smith of New Haven	

Rep. Turner of Milton explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

Once again we choose to conserve land over holding our healthcare providers whole from a tax that this body imposed two days ago.”

Thereupon, **Rep. Poirier of Barre City** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Hebert of Vernon** moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding Sec. E.122 to read:

Sec. E.122 Geographic information system

The Vermont Center for Geographic Information Inc. shall report to the house and senate committees on government operations and on appropriations on or before January 15, 2012 on methods to reduce and prevent duplication of services and activities across state government with regard to mapping services and other geographic data resources.

Which was agreed to.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Reps. Savage of Swanton and Dickinson of St. Albans Town** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.301 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.301 Secretary’s office - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>1,038,691,327</u>
Total	1,038,691,327
Source of funds	
General fund	123,854,750

Special funds	18,574,689
Tobacco fund	36,978,473
State health care resources fund	220,670,440
Catamount fund	22,499,007
Federal funds	623,425,833
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>688,135</u>
Total	1,038,691,327

Second: By striking Sec. B.307 in its entirety and inserting in lie thereof the following:

Sec. B.307 Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>597,701,519</u>
Total	597,701,519
Source of funds	
Global Commitment fund	<u>597,701,519</u>
Total	597,701,519

Third: By adding a new Sec. E.307.13 to read:

Sec. E.307.13. GLOBAL COMMITMENT FUNDS

(a)(1) The amounts appropriated in section B.307 of this bill shall not result in a reduction in caseload or in the number of persons eligible to receive benefits, but may result in a reduction in the level of utilization of benefits permitted or in a reduction of the range of benefits provided.

(2) The secretary of administration, after consultation with the secretary of human services, shall adopt emergency rules to implement this section. The rules shall ensure that reductions in the level of utilization of benefits are consistent with utilization of benefits limits established by states which provide Medicaid services to not less than 18 percent of the state's population and which are within the top 10 states in health ranking as determined by the United Health Foundation.

Fourth: By adjusting the function totals in Sec. B.345 to be arithmetically correct.

Thereupon, **Rep. Dickinson of St. Albans Town** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw the amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Hubert of Milton** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.810 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.810 to read:

Sec. B.810 Vermont housing and conservation board

Grants	<u>17,612,916</u>
Total	17,612,916
Source of funds	
Special funds	4,772,500
Federal funds	<u>12,840,416</u>
Total	17,612,916

Second: In Sec. D.100, by striking subdivision (a)(2) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subdivision (2) to read:

(2) The sum of \$4,047,500 is appropriated from the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund to the Vermont housing and conservation trust board. Notwithstanding 10 V.S.A. § 312, amounts above \$4,047,500 from the property transfer tax that are deposited into the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund shall be transferred into the general fund.

Third: By adding a Sec. E.810 to read:

Sec. E.810. VERMONT HOUSING AND CONSERVATION BOARD

The Vermont housing and conservation board shall use the full amount appropriated to it in Sec. B.810 of this act for housing purposes, and shall not use any amount of the appropriation for conservation purposes.

Thereupon, **Rep. Hubert of Milton** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Crawford of Burke** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.323 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.323 to read:

Sec. B.323 Department for children and families - reach up

Grants	<u>47,155,572</u>
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Total	47,155,572
Source of funds	
General fund	17,481,509
Special funds	19,916,856
Federal funds	7,882,807
Global Commitment fund	<u>1,874,400</u>
Total	47,155,572

Second: By adding a Sec. E.323.1 to read:

Sec. E.323.1. DEPARTMENT OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES;
REACH UP

The amounts appropriated in section B.323 of this act shall not result in a reduction in caseload or in the number of persons eligible to receive benefits, but may result in a reduction in the level of utilization of benefits permitted or in a reduction of the range of benefits provided.

Thereupon, **Rep. Crawford of Burke** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Clark of Vergennes** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.137 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.137 to read:

Sec. B.137 Homeowner rebate

Grants	<u>14,100,000</u>
Total	14,100,000
Source of funds	
General fund	<u>14,100,000</u>
Total	14,100,000

Second: By striking Sec. B.140 in its entirety and inserting in lie thereof a new Sec. B.140 to read:

Sec. B.140 Municipal current use

Grants	<u>11,400,000</u>
Total	11,400,000

Source of funds	
General fund	<u>11,400,000</u>
Total	11,400,000

Third: By adding a Sec. E.137 to read:

Sec. E.137. HOMEOWNER REBATE

The amounts appropriated in section B.137 of this act shall not result in a reduction in the number of persons eligible to participate in the homeowner rebate program, but may result in a prorated reduction in the amount of benefits received by each program participant.

Fourth: By adding a Sec. E.140 to read:

Sec. E.140. MUNICIPAL CURRENT USE

The amounts appropriated in section B.140 of this act shall not result in a reduction in the number of persons eligible to participate in the municipal current use program, but may result in a prorated reduction in the amount of benefits received by each program participant.

Thereupon, **Rep. Clark of Vergennes** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Higley of Lowell** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.101 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.101 to read:

Sec. B.101 Information and innovation - communications and information technology

Personal services	6,211,349
Operating expenses	5,466,512
Grants	<u>450,000</u>
Total	12,127,861
Source of funds	
General fund	20,911
Internal service funds	<u>12,106,950</u>
Total	12,127,861

Second: In Sec. D.101, by striking subdivision (a)(1)(A) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof: “(A) [Deleted.]”

Third: By striking Sec. E.101 in its entirety.

Thereupon, **Rep. Higley of Lowell** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Fagan of Rutland City** moved to amend the bill as follows:

By striking Sec. B.306 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.306 to read:

Sec. B.306 Department of Vermont health access - administration

Personal services	86,469,793
Operating expenses	2,511,571
Grants	<u>7,665,573</u>
Total	96,646,937
Source of funds	
General fund	695,014
Special funds	1,579,123
Federal funds	43,169,600
ARRA funds	2,505,044
Global Commitment fund	44,621,039
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>4,077,117</u>
Total	96,646,937

Thereupon, **Rep. Fagan of Rutland City** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Eckhardt of Chittenden** moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding a Sec. B.1104 to read:

Sec. B.1104 REVENUE SHORTFALL RESERVE APPROPRIATION

In fiscal year 2012, there is appropriated to the revenue shortfall reserve established by 32 V.S.A. § 308d and administered by the commissioner of finance and management:

General fund\$9,478,70

Thereupon, **Rep. Eckardt of Chittenden** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. McAllister of Highgate** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.324 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.324 to read:

Sec. B.324 Department for children and families - home heating fuel assistance/LIHEAP

Personal services	20,000
Operating expenses	90,000
Grants	<u>21,502,664</u>
Total	21,612,664
Source of funds	
Efficiency Vermont transfer	10,000,000
Federal funds	<u>11,612,664</u>
Total	21,612,664

Second: By adding a Sec. E.324.2 to read:

Sec. E.324.2 HOME HEATING FUEL ASSISTANCE/LIHEAP;
EFFICENCY VERMONT

In fiscal year 2012, the public service board shall transfer \$10,000,000 from the electric efficiency fund established under 30 V.S.A. § 209(d)(3) to the home heating fuel assistance program. The board shall not increase any efficiency charges in order to implement this section.

Thereupon, **Rep. McAllister of Highgate** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Burditt of West Rutland** moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding 2 new Secs. to be Secs. E.145 and E.146 to read:

Sec. E.145 Five percent pay cut for certain new executive branch employees

Any exempt employee hired on or after November 2, 2010 into an executive branch position with an annual salary of \$60,000.00 or greater shall have his or

her compensation reduced by five percent from the rate of compensation at which the employee was hired.

Sec. E.146 Hiring freeze

A state government hiring freeze shall be in effect for fiscal year 2012, such that during fiscal year 2012, no person shall be hired to begin employment with the state of Vermont.

Thereupon, **Rep. Burditt of West Rutland** asked and was granted leave of the House to withdraw his amendment.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Koch of Barre Town** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.313 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.313. Health - alcohol and drug abuse programs	
Personal services	2,650,944
Operating expenses	371,158
Grants	<u>25,689,171</u>
Total	28,711,273
Source of funds	
General fund	3,351,533
Special funds	233,884
Tobacco fund	1,386,234
Federal funds	5,955,677
Global Commitment fund	17,433,945
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>350,000</u>
Total	28,711,273

Second: By striking Sec. B.810 in its entirety and inserting in lie thereof the following:

Sec. B.810 Vermont housing and conservation board	
Grants	<u>21,293,771</u>
Total	21,293,771

Source of funds	
Special funds	8,453,355
Federal funds	<u>12,840,416</u>
Total	21,293,771

Third: In Sec.D.100 by striking subdivision (a)(2) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

(2) The sum of \$7,728,355 is appropriated from the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund to the Vermont housing and conservation trust board. Notwithstanding 10 V.S.A. § 312, amounts above \$7,728,355 from the property transfer tax that are deposited into the Vermont housing and conservation trust fund shall be transferred into the general fund.

Fourth: By adding Sec. B.810.1 to read:

Sec.B810. VERMONT HOUSING AND CONSERVATION BOARD;
LAND ACQUISITION FUNDS

(a) It is the intention of the general assembly that, in fiscal year 2012, of the funds appropriated to the Vermont housing and conservation board under Sec.B.810 of this bill, the funds available for land acquisition shall be reduced by \$319,145.

and by making all functions total numerically correct

Which was disagreed to on a Division vote. Yeas, 38. Nays, 68.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Olsen of Jamaica** moved to amend the bill as follows:

In Sec. E.513, by striking subsection (b) in its entirety.

Pending the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Olsen of Jamaica? **Rep. Olsen of Jamaica** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number. The Clerk proceeded to call the roll and the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Olsen of Jamaica? was decided in the negative. Yeas, 38. Nays, 99.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Bouchard of Colchester	Clark of Vergennes	Dickinson of St. Albans
Brennan of Colchester	Crawford of Burke	Town
Browning of Arlington	Degree of St. Albans City	Donaghy of Poultney
Burditt of West Rutland	Devereux of Mount Holly	Donahue of Northfield *
Canfield of Fair Haven		Eckhardt of Chittenden

Fagan of Rutland City	Lewis of Berlin	Savage of Swanton
Greshin of Warren	McAllister of Highgate	Scheuermann of Stowe
Higley of Lowell	McFaun of Barre Town	Shaw of Pittsford
Hubert of Milton	McNeil of Rutland Town	Stevens of Shoreham
Kilmartin of Newport City	Myers of Essex	Strong of Albany
Koch of Barre Town	Olsen of Jamaica	Turner of Milton
Komline of Dorset	Peaslee of Guildhall	Wright of Burlington
Larocque of Barnet	Perley of Enosburgh	
Lawrence of Lyndon	Reis of St. Johnsbury	

Those who voted in the negative are:

Acinapura of Brandon	French of Shrewsbury	Mitchell of Barnard
Ancel of Calais	French of Randolph	Mook of Bennington
Andrews of Rutland City	Gilbert of Fairfax	Moran of Wardsboro
Aswad of Burlington	Grad of Moretown	Morrissey of Bennington
Atkins of Winooski	Haas of Rochester	Mrowicki of Putney
Bartholomew of Hartland	Head of South Burlington	Munger of South Burlington
Batchelor of Derby	Heath of Westford	Nuovo of Middlebury
Bissonnette of Winooski	Helm of Fair Haven	O'Brien of Richmond
Bohi of Hartford	Hooper of Montpelier	Pearce of Richford
Botzow of Pownal	Howrigan of Fairfield	Pearson of Burlington
Branagan of Georgia	Jerman of Essex	Poirier of Barre City
Burke of Brattleboro	Jewett of Ripton	Potter of Clarendon
Buxton of Royalton	Johnson of South Hero	Ralston of Middlebury
Campion of Bennington	Keenan of St. Albans City	Ram of Burlington
Cheney of Norwich	Kitzmiller of Montpelier	Shand of Weathersfield
Christie of Hartford	Klein of East Montpelier	Sharpe of Bristol
Clarkson of Woodstock	Krebs of South Hero	South of St. Johnsbury
Conquest of Newbury *	Kupersmith of South	Spengler of Colchester
Consejo of Sheldon	Burlington	Stevens of Waterbury
Copeland-Hanzas of	Lanpher of Vergennes	Stuart of Brattleboro
Bradford	Larson of Burlington	Sweaney of Windsor
Corcoran of Bennington	Lenes of Shelburne	Taylor of Barre City
Courcelle of Rutland City	Lewis of Derby	Toll of Danville
Dakin of Chester	Lorber of Burlington	Townsend of Randolph
Davis of Washington	Macaig of Williston	Trieber of Rockingham
Deen of Westminster	Malcolm of Pawlet	Waite-Simpson of Essex
Donovan of Burlington	Manwaring of Wilmington	Webb of Shelburne
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Those members absent with leave of the House and not voting are:

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Johnson of Canaan	Peltz of Woodbury	Smith of Morristown
Lippert of Hinesburg	Pugh of South Burlington	Till of Jericho
Partridge of Windham	Smith of New Haven	Winters of Williamstown

Rep. Conquest of Newbury explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

I voted against this amendment because I hesitate to make apparently complex policy decisions on the floor. But I support the idea that “notwithstanding” is almost as bad an idea. I look forward to, and will work to assure, that we get quickly to the business of comprehensive review, followed by action.”

Rep. Donahue of Northfield explained her vote as follows:

“Mr. Speaker:

I vote yes because I can’t support an advance change for FY 13 that hasn’t been vetted for its impact on what we will need to set for the FY 13 tax rate.”

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Poirier of Barre City** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.301 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.301. Secretary’s office - Global Commitment	
Grants	<u>1,090,586,877</u>
Total	1,090,586,877

Source of funds	
General fund	139,777,028
Special funds	18,574,689
Tobacco fund	41,502,173
State health care resources fund	220,670,440
Catamount fund	22,499,007
Federal funds	646,875,404
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>688,135</u>
Total	1,090,586,877

Second: By striking Sec. B.307 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.307. Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program - Global Commitment

Grants	<u>640,567,161</u>
Total	640,567,161
Source of funds	
Global Commitment fund	<u>640,567,161</u>
Total	640,567,161

Third: By striking Sec. B.308 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.308. Department of Vermont health access - Medicaid program – long-term care waiver

Grants	<u>207,857,696</u>
Total	207,857,696
Source of funds	
General fund	87,591,233
Federal funds	<u>120,266,463</u>
Total	207,857,696

Fourth: By striking Sec. B.314 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.314. Mental health - mental health

Personal services	5,486,339
Operating expenses	1,117,984
Grants	<u>126,010,438</u>
Total	132,614,761
Source of funds	
General fund	811,295
Special funds	6,836
Federal funds	6,555,971
Global Commitment fund	125,220,659
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>20,000</u>
Total	132,614,761

Fifth: By striking Sec. B.330 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.330. Disabilities, aging, and independent living - advocacy and independent living grants

Grants	<u>20,348,891</u>
Total	20,348,891
Source of funds	
General fund	8,592,473
Federal funds	7,645,317
Global Commitment fund	3,638,763
Interdepartmental transfers	<u>637,500</u>

Total	20,348,891
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Sixth: By striking Sec. B.333 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. B.333. Disabilities, aging, and independent living - developmental services

Grants	<u>156,135,406</u>
Total	156,135,406
Source of funds	
General fund	155,125
Special funds	15,463
Federal funds	359,857
Global Commitment fund	<u>155,604,961</u>
Total	156,135,406

Seventh: By striking Sec. C. 104 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following::

Sec. C.104 FISCAL YEAR 2011 MEDICAID STATE FUNDS - RESERVE

(a) To the extent that state funds in the state Medicaid programs are unexpended in fiscal year 2011, as a result of federal matching for the final quarter of fiscal year 2011, up to \$3,600,000 shall be reserved in the human services caseload reserve created by 32 V.S.A. § 308b the first \$2,949,800 this funds shall be appropriated with \$4,050,200 of federal funds in fiscal year 2012 to provide a total of \$7,000,000 to increase Vermont hospital inpatient and outpatient rates in the Medicaid program.

Pending the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Poirier of Barre City? **Rep. Donahue of Northfield** asked that the question be divided and that the first through 6th be voted on and then the seventh be voted on.

Pending the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Poirier of Barre City in Sec. B.301, B.307, B.308, B.314, B.330 and B.333 only? **Rep. Poirier of Barre City** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number. The Clerk proceeded to call the roll and the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. Poirier of Barre City in Sec. B.301, B.307, B.308, B.314, B.330 and B.333 only? was decided in the negative. Yeas, 39. Nays, 94.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Andrews of Rutland City	Corcoran of Bennington	Devereux of Mount Holly
Browning of Arlington	Crawford of Burke	Dickinson of St. Albans
Burke of Brattleboro	Davis of Washington	Town
Clark of Vergennes	Degree of St. Albans City	Donaghy of Poultney

Donahue of Northfield	Marcotte of Coventry	Scheuermann of Stowe
Edwards of Brattleboro	McFaun of Barre Town	Shaw of Pittsford
Fagan of Rutland City	McNeil of Rutland Town	South of St. Johnsbury
French of Randolph	Moran of Wardsboro	Spengler of Colchester
Haas of Rochester	Morrissey of Bennington	Taylor of Barre City
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Koch of Barre Town	Pearson of Burlington	Wright of Burlington
Komline of Dorset	Peaslee of Guildhall	Young of Albany
Larocque of Barnet	Poirier of Barre City *	
Lewis of Berlin	Savage of Swanton	

Those who voted in the negative are:

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AnceI of Calais	Gilbert of Fairfax	Miller of Shaftsbury
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Fisher of Lincoln	Martin of Springfield	Wilson of Manchester
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Frank of Underhill	McAllister of Highgate	Woodward of Johnson
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Those members absent with leave of the House and not voting are:

Aswad of Burlington	Condon of Colchester	Howard of Cambridge
Batchelor of Derby	Hebert of Vernon	Howrigan of Fairfield

Johnson of Canaan	Reis of St. Johnsbury	Till of Jericho
Lippert of Hinesburg	Smith of New Haven	Winters of Williamstown
Masland of Thetford	Smith of Morristown	
Partridge of Windham	Strong of Albany	

Rep. Atkins of Winooski explained his vote as follows:

“Mr. Speaker:

The only reason I am not supporting this amendment is that I am reluctant to draft legislation on the House floor.”

Rep. Bartholomew of Hartland explained his vote as follows:

“Mr. Speaker:

While I desperately want to restore full funding to the programs outlined in this amendment, I cannot disregard the fiscal health of the state. I sincerely hope that all who are passionate about funding these important programs will convey their concerns to everyone they know in Washington.”

Rep. Burke of Brattleboro explained her vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

I have enormous admiration for the appropriations committee, the committee chair, and the committee process. At the same time there are many people in my Brattleboro district with multiple problems compounded by poverty. In voting for this amendment I hope to give some voice to their plight.”

Rep. Champion of Bennington explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

I believe it would have been fiscally irresponsible at this point to have supported this amendment. I commend our appropriations committee for the work they’ve done.”

Rep. French of Shrewsbury explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

While it would be a pleasure to make many important programs whole, in this economy we don’t have that luxury. Our appropriations committee has done the monumentally difficult and often heartbreaking task of weighing and measuring what Vermonters need against what we can afford. As always there are winners and losers. I am convinced that this budget is a product of great thoughtfulness and deliberation and I support it.”

Rep. Koch of Barre Town explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

For me, this is a vote, plain and simple, to express some of my priorities for spending the limited funds that are available.”

Rep. Morrissey of Bennington explained her vote as follows:

“Mr. Speaker:

This is a fine example of what the next few years are going to look like through the “Budget Process” to fund a new sustainable 4 to 5 billion dollar Health Care Reform.

I believe it will be extremely hard to fulfill all of our promises that are written the very principles of H. 202.”

Rep. Poirier of Barre City explained his vote as follows:

“Mr. Speaker:

I want to thank my colleagues in the progressive, republican and democratic caucuses for their support of this amendment. Shame on the democratic party for their ignorance of the hidden faces of Vermonters who do not have a presence in this chamber. I voted yes and I am proud of it.”

Rep. Scheuermann of Stowe explained her vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

Despite the implications that those who voted in favor of this amendment should, or should have, supported increasing taxes to pay for this, the amendment offered a way to fund these services within the existing revenues. I applaud the member for his diligence and am happy to support those most vulnerable in our state.”

Rep. Stevens of Waterbury explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

Being asked to participate in a race to the bottom goes against everything I would like to believe I believe in. I vote no for two reasons, I expect the threats of cuts on the federal front to materialize, and I expect the ways and Means committee to examine H. 401 more closely in the weeks to come. We’ve been told the most comfortable among us have received a \$190 million gift with an extension of the Bush tax cuts – not just this year and next, but for last year, the year before and the year before that. Somewhere in there is a certain capacity that most of us don’t have.”

Rep. Wizowaty of Burlington explained her vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

I wholeheartedly support the spirit behind this amendment. We do need to restore fully the cuts to social services, especially choices for care, mental health, student assistance programs, Reach Up and the like. But we need to do this not by using the stabilization reserve funds for the tobacco trust fund, but by raising additional revenue. I still hope we will accomplish this this year..”

Rep. Yantacka of Charlotte explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

It was with great reluctance and pangs of conscience that I voted against this amendment. I agree with the presenter of the amendment that the cuts to these programs have been too deep. However, I also know that most of the members of the Appropriations committee share our feelings, and that they have worked hard to find a balance that would minimize the pain these cuts will inflict while keeping Vermont’s fiscal health intact.

Furthermore, I hope that before this bill is signed into law additional revenues will be enacted to allow these services to be restored as proposed by this amendment.”

Thereupon, the 7th instance of amendment was disagreed to.

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. McAllister of Highgate** moved to amend the bill as follows:

First: By striking Sec. B.324 in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new Sec. B.324 to read:

Sec. B.324 Department for children and families - home heating fuel assistance/LIHEAP

Personal services	20,000
Operating expenses	90,000
Grants	<u>21,502,664</u>
Total	21,612,664
Source of funds	
Efficiency Vermont transfer	10,000,000
Federal funds	<u>11,612,664</u>
Total	21,612,664

Second: By adding a Sec. E.324.2 to read:

Sec. E.324.2 HOME HEATING FUEL ASSISTANCE/LIHEAP;
EFFICENCY VERMONT

Notwithstanding anything to the contrary in 30 V.S.A. § 209 or any other provision of law, in fiscal year 2012, the public service board shall transfer \$10,000,000 from the electric efficiency fund established under 30 V.S.A. § 209(d)(3) to the home heating fuel assistance program. The board shall not increase any efficiency charges in order to implement this section.

Pending the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. McAllister of Highgate? **Rep. McAllister of Highgate** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number. The Clerk proceeded to call the roll and the question, Shall the bill be amended as recommended by Rep. McAllister of Highgate? was decided in the negative. Yeas, 37. Nays, 94.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Bouchard of Colchester	Donahue of Northfield	McFaun of Barre Town
Branagan of Georgia	Fagan of Rutland City	McNeil of Rutland Town
Brennan of Colchester	Higley of Lowell	Morrissey of Bennington
Browning of Arlington	Hubert of Milton	Myers of Essex
Burditt of West Rutland	Kilmartin of Newport City	Olsen of Jamaica
Clark of Vergennes	Koch of Barre Town	Pearce of Richford
Consejo of Sheldon	Komline of Dorset	Peaslee of Guildhall
Crawford of Burke	Larocque of Barnet	Perley of Enosburgh
Degree of St. Albans City	Lawrence of Lyndon	Poirier of Barre City
Devereux of Mount Holly	Lewis of Berlin	Savage of Swanton
Dickinson of St. Albans Town	Lewis of Derby	Scheuermann of Stowe
Donaghy of Poultney	Marcotte of Coventry	Turner of Milton
	McAllister of Highgate	

Those who voted in the negative are:

Acinapura of Brandon	Christie of Hartford	Emmons of Springfield
Ancel of Calais	Clarkson of Woodstock	Evans of Essex
Andrews of Rutland City	Conquest of Newbury	Fisher of Lincoln
Atkins of Winooski	Copeland-Hanzas of Bradford	Font-Russell of Rutland City
Bartholomew of Hartland	Corcoran of Bennington	Frank of Underhill
Bissonnette of Winooski	Courcelle of Rutland City	French of Shrewsbury
Bohi of Hartford	Dakin of Chester	French of Randolph
Botzow of Pownal	Davis of Washington	Gilbert of Fairfax
Burke of Brattleboro	Deen of Westminster	Grad of Moretown
Buxton of Royalton	Donovan of Burlington	Greshin of Warren
Campion of Bennington	Edwards of Brattleboro	Haas of Rochester
Canfield of Fair Haven	Ellis of Waterbury	Head of South Burlington
Cheney of Norwich		Heath of Westford

Helm of Fair Haven	Martin of Springfield	South of St. Johnsbury
Hooper of Montpelier	Martin of Wolcott	Spengler of Colchester
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Keenan of St. Albans City	Mook of Bennington	Sweaney of Windsor
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Aswad of Burlington	Howrigan of Fairfield	Shaw of Pittsford
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Hebert of Vernon	Partridge of Windham	Till of Jericho
Howard of Cambridge	Reis of St. Johnsbury	Winters of Williamstown

Rep. Andrews of Rutland City explained her vote as follows:

“Madam Speaker:

I voted no because I believe we need all the help we can get to reduce our energy use whenever we can. I am confident that, if the need is there next year, we will make sure the people in our communities are warm.

The future of Federal LIHEAP funds is not certain.”

Rep. Marek of Newfane explained his vote as follows:

“Madam Speaker:

I was delighted to hear the proponent of this amendment say he already had the energy efficiency program helping him on his farm. I want others to be able to enjoy that same benefit. That is why I voted against his proposal to now strip the energy efficiency program of its funding.”

Pending third reading of the bill, **Rep. Burditt of West Rutland** moved to amend the bill as follows:

By adding 2 new Secs. to be Secs. E.145 and E.146 to read:

Sec. E.145 Five percent pay cut for certain new executive branch employees

Any exempt employee hired on or after November 2, 2010 into an executive branch position with an annual salary of \$60,000.00 or greater shall have his or her compensation reduced by five percent from the rate of compensation at which the employee was hired.

Which was disagreed to and the bill was read a third time.

Pending the question, Shall the bill pass? **Rep. Turner of Milton** demanded the Yeas and Nays, which demand was sustained by the Constitutional number. The Clerk proceeded to call the roll and the question, Shall the bill pass? was decided in the affirmative. Yeas, 95. Nays, 34.

Those who voted in the affirmative are:

Acinapura of Brandon	Frank of Underhill	Mitchell of Barnard
Ancel of Calais	French of Shrewsbury	Mook of Bennington
Andrews of Rutland City	French of Randolph	Moran of Wardsboro
Atkins of Winooski	Gilbert of Fairfax	Mrowicki of Putney
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*	Miller of Shaftsbury	Wizowaty of Burlington
		Woodward of Johnson

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Those who voted in the negative are:

Bouchard of Colchester

Fagan of Rutland City

McNeil of Rutland Town

Brennan of Colchester

Higley of Lowell

Morrissey of Bennington

Burditt of West Rutland

Hubert of Milton

Myers of Essex

Canfield of Fair Haven

Kilmartin of Newport City

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Masland of Thetford

Till of Jericho

Hebert of Vernon

Partridge of Windham

Winters of Williamstown

Howard of Cambridge

Reis of St. Johnsbury

Rep. Font-Russell of Rutland City explained his vote as follows:

“Madam. Speaker:

In light of the present political and budgetary impasse in Congress and the affect this process will have on Vermont in up-coming budget years, I respectfully and responsibly vote yes!”

Message from the Senate No. 28

A message was received from the Senate by Mr. Marshall, its Assistant Secretary, as follows:

Mr. Speaker:

I am directed to inform the House that:

The Senate has on its part passed Senate bills of the following titles:

S. 18. An act relating to the disclosure of tax administration information to tax representatives.

S. 30. An act relating to assault of a health care worker.

S. 67. An act relating to the open meeting law.

S. 94. An act relating to miscellaneous amendments to the motor vehicle laws.

In the passage of which the concurrence of the House is requested.

The Senate has on its part adopted concurrent resolutions originating in the House of the following titles:

H.C.R. 99. House concurrent resolution congratulating the DREAM Program, Inc. on its 10th anniversary.

H.C.R. 100. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 Bellows Free Academy-St. Albans Comets Division I girls' ice hockey team.

H.C.R. 101. House concurrent resolution congratulating Jeremy Haskins on being named a 2011 winner of the North American Retail Hardware Association's Young Retailer of the Year Award.

H.C.R. 102. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 U-32 Raiders Division II championship girls' hockey team.

H.C.R. 103. House concurrent resolution welcoming the decision of the International Earth Science Olympiad to come to Vermont in 2014.

H.C.R. 104. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 Essex High School Hornets Division I championship cheerleading team.

H.C.R. 105. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 Rice Memorial High School Green Knights Division I championship girls' basketball team.

H.C.R. 106. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 Vermont LifeSmarts championship team from Champlain Valley Union High School.

H.C.R. 107. House concurrent resolution congratulating the 2011 Champlain Valley Union High School Redhawks Division I championship boys' Nordic ski team.

Adjournment

At six o'clock and forty-five minutes in the evening, on motion of **Rep. Turner of Milton**, the House adjourned until Tuesday, March 29, 2011, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, pursuant to the provisions of J.R.S. 23.