

H.865

SHORT FORM

Introduced by Representatives Zagar of Barnard, Bartholomew of Hartland,
Christie of Hartford, Bissonnette of Winooski, Branagan of
Georgia, Campion of Bennington, Cole of Burlington, Dakin of
Chester, Deen of Westminster, Donahue of Northfield, Fay of
St. Johnsbury, French of Randolph, Hooper of Montpelier, Hoyt
of Norwich, Huntley of Cavendish, Juskiewicz of Cambridge,
Lanpher of Vergennes, Lawrence of Lyndon, Martin of
Springfield, McCarthy of St. Albans City, O'Sullivan of
Burlington, Potter of Clarendon, Rachelson of Burlington,
Savage of Swanton, Spengler of Colchester, Stevens of
Waterbury, Till of Jericho, Toll of Danville, Townsend of South
Burlington, Van Wyck of Ferrisburgh, Vowinkel of Hartford,
and Waite-Simpson of Essex

Referred to Committee on

Date:

Subject: Highways; bridges; design standards

Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to require the
Agency of Transportation to update its structures design standards to address
the prevention of suicide and the safety of first responders in the design of

1 bridges, using Bridge 61 on US Route 4 in the town of Hartford over the
2 Quechee Gorge as a case study for formulating the suicide prevention and first
3 responder safety standards.

4 An act relating to updating the Agency of Transportation's structures design
5 standards

6 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

7 (TEXT OMITTED IN SHORT-FORM BILLS)