

1 TO THE HONORABLE SENATE:

2 The Committee on Government Operations to which was referred House Bill
3 No. 656 entitled “An act relating to professions and occupations regulated by
4 the Office of Professional Regulation” respectfully reports that it has
5 considered the same and recommends that the Senate propose to the House that
6 the bill be amended as follows:

7 First: By striking out in its entirety Sec. 11 (amending 26 V.S.A. § 2022
8 (definitions)) and inserting in lieu thereof Sec. 11. [Deleted.]

9 Second: In Sec. 12, 26 V.S.A. § 2042a (pharmacy technicians;
10 qualifications for registration), by striking out in its entirety subdivision (2)
11 and inserting in lieu thereof a new subdivision (2) to read:

12 (2) if required by rules adopted by the Board, be certified or eligible for
13 certification by a national pharmacy technician certification authority; and

14 Third: By adding a reader assistance and new section to be Sec. 25 to read:

15 * * * Social Workers * * *

16 Sec. 25. 26 V.S.A. § 3205 is amended to read:

17 § 3205. ELIGIBILITY

18 To be eligible for licensing as a clinical social worker, an applicant must
19 have:

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1 (3) ~~completed~~ Completed 3,000 hours of supervised practice of clinical
2 social work as defined by rule under the supervision of a licensed physician or
3 a licensed osteopathic physician who has completed a residency in psychiatry,
4 a licensed psychologist, a licensed clinical mental health counselor, a person
5 licensed or certified under this chapter, or a person licensed or certified in
6 another state or Canada in one of these professions or their substantial
7 equivalent. The supervisor must be licensed or certified in the jurisdiction
8 where the supervised practice occurs. Persons engaged in post masters
9 supervised practice in Vermont shall be entered on the roster of nonlicensed,
10 noncertified psychotherapists;

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12 Fourth: By adding a reader assistance and new section to be Sec. 50a to
13 read:

14 * * * Motor Vehicle Racing * * *

15 Sec. 50a. 26 V.S.A. § 4811 is amended to read:

16 § 4811. SAFETY STANDARDS

17 Minimum safety standards for the conduct of any race covered by this
18 chapter are established as follows:

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1 (3) Any driver shall have a legal operator's license. Any driver under
2 the age of majority shall have the written consent of a parent or guardian. A
3 person under 10 years of age shall not be allowed in the pit area.

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9 (Committee vote: _____)

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Senator _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE