STATE OF VERMONT OFFICE OF LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

Witness Information

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Please make sure to put a title, date, and your name on the top of each document submitted for testimony.

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In addition, a witness' submission of a document authored by the witness or his or her organization constitutes consent to its posting on the committee's webpage, unless the witness specifically requests that the document not be posted. Although the committee will honor requests not to post such documents on its webpage, once a witness submits a document to the committee, it is a public record and will be subject to public inspection and copying unless exempt under the Public Records Act.

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Equipment

If you require any special equipment or resources for your testimony, please notify the committee assistant as soon as possible so that arrangements can be made.

Phone testimony

PHONE: (802) 828-2231

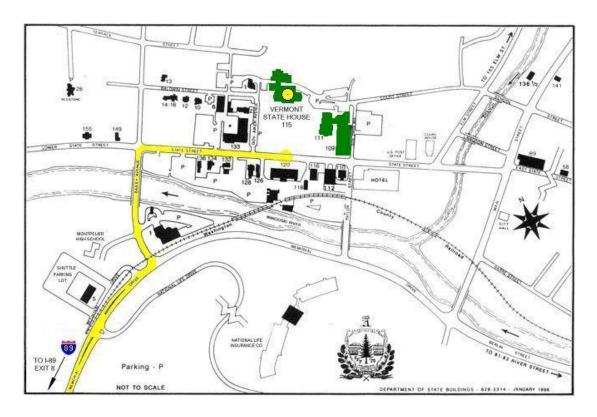
FAX: (802) 828-2424

If you have been approved to testify by phone, please provide the committee assistant with a working phone number at least 24 hours before your scheduled testimony time. The committee assistant will test this phone number to ensure connectivity. The committee will call you when ready.

Driving Directions

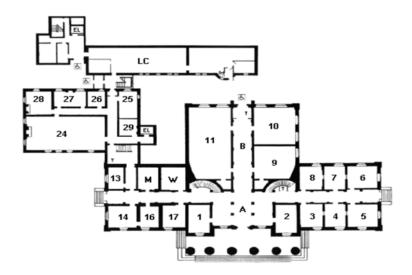
115 State Street Montpelier, VT 05641

From I-89:	Take EXIT 8 toward US-2/MONTPELIER/ VT-12/ST. JOHNSBURY.	0.5 miles
2:	Merge onto MEMORIAL DR.	0.7 miles
3:	Turn LEFT onto US-2/BAILEY AVE	0.1 miles
4:	Turn RIGHT onto STATE ST/US-2 BR/THEODORE ROOSEVELT HWY.	0.2 miles
	Vermont State House, 115 State Street (on left)	0.2 miles



Parking is challenging during the legislative session. You can park on Montpelier streets for up to 2 hours at parking spaces that require quarters, dimes, or nickels. There is a shuttle that runs from the parking lot in lower left-hand corner of the map above, and also from National Life. The shuttle is free; schedules for the two routes are available online: http://gmtaride.org/wordpress/wp-content/uploads/capitalshuttle_october.pdf

Floor 1 (Entrance Floor)

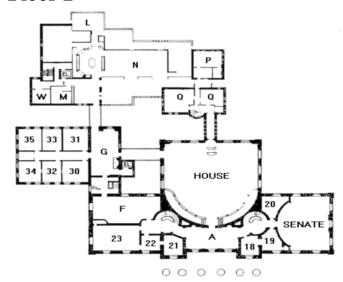


ROOM	KEY
1	Senate Judiciary Committee
2	Sergeant-At-Arms
3	Senate Transportation Committee
4	Senate Government Operations Committee
5	Senate Appropriations Committee
6	Senate Finance Committee
7	Senate Institutions Committee
8	Senate Natural Resources and Energy Committee
9	Coatroom
10	Small Hearing Room
11	Large Hearing Room
13	President <i>Pro Tempore</i> of the Senate
14	Lt. Governor (President of the Senate)
16	Lt. Governor's Staff
17	Senate Health and Welfare Committee
24	Legislative Lounge (Old Supreme Court Chamber)
25	Copy Center
26	Senate Agriculture Committee
27	Senate Economic Development, Housing, and General Affair
28	Senate Education Committee

- 29 Capitol Police
- A Lobby
- B Hall of Inscriptions (Lincoln Statue)
- LC Legislative Council
- T Public Telephones
- M&W Rest Rooms EL Elevator
- £

Accessible Entrances

Floor 2



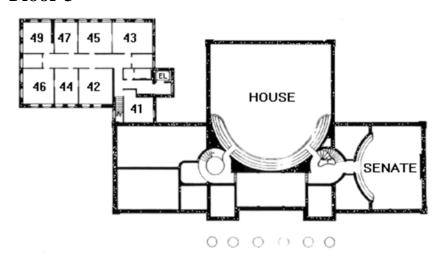
ROOM	KEY
HOUSE	House Chamber
SENATE	Senate Chamber
18	Secretary of the Senate
19	Secretary of the Senate
20	Senate Coatroom
21	Governor's Staff
22	Governor's Staff
23	Governor's Office
30	House Judiciary Committee
31	House Agriculture and Forest Products Committee
32	House Education Committee
33	House Corrections and Institutions Committee
34	House Ways and Means Committee
35	House Commerce and Economic Development
	Committee
A	House Vestibule (Hall of the Flags)
F	Cedar Creek Room

- L Ethan Allen Room
- N State House Food Court (Abbey Group)
- P Speaker of the House
- Q Clerk of the House
- T Public Telephones

M&W Rest Rooms

EL Elevator

Floor 3



ROOM KEY

- House General, Housing and Military Affairs Committee
- 42 House Appropriations Committee
- 43 House Transportation Committee
- 44 House Natural Resources and Energy Committee
- 45 House Health Care Committee
- 46 House Human Services Committee
- 47 House Fish, Wildlife, and Water Resources Committee
- 49 House Government Operations Committee

HOUSE House Chamber Balcony

SENATE Senate Chamber Balcony

EL Elevator

There is a coat room near the Sergeant-At-Arms Office in the center of the main floor. You can store outerwear there.

Occasionally we must cancel hearings. We will attempt to notify you as soon as we hear of cancellations or postponements.

If the weather is bad, you can testify by phone rather than chance dangerous driving conditions.

If you have further questions, please contact Katie at kpickens@leg.state.vt.us (802) 828-5760.