

1 S.167

2 Introduced by Senator Pollina

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Health; health care reform; Green Mountain Care Board; accountable  
6 care organizations; social service providers

7 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to direct the  
8 Green Mountain Care Board to consider the appropriate role of social service  
9 providers in accountable care organizations.

10 An act relating to the role of social service providers in accountable care  
11 organizations

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

13 Sec. 1. ROLE OF SOCIAL SERVICE PROVIDERS IN ACCOUNTABLE  
14 CARE ORGANIZATIONS

15 The Green Mountain Care Board shall consider the appropriate role of  
16 social service providers, including home health agencies and area agencies on  
17 aging, in accountable care organizations and in the Board's larger health care  
18 reform efforts. On or before September 1, 2016, the Board shall report its  
19 findings and recommendations regarding the role of these providers and the  
20 timing of their involvement to the Health Reform Oversight Committee, the

1 House Committees on Health Care and on Human Services, and the Senate

2 Committees on Health and Welfare and on Finance.

3 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

4 This act shall take effect on passage.