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Act No. 96 (S.169). General provisions; solemnizing marriage

An act relating to nonresident clergy authorized to solemnize marriages

This act reorganizes the statute authorizing clergy members and other individuals to solemnize a marriage, and clarifies that only clergy members residing outside of Vermont and affiliated with a religious organization that lies wholly outside Vermont require special authorization from the Probate Division of the Superior Court to solemnize a marriage.

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