H.843 – Technical Corrections

This act makes technical corrections to several sections of the Vermont Statutes Annotated without substantively changing the law, including:

- Correcting grammar and spelling errors;
- Formatting lists;
- Making changes to conform to V.S.A. style;
- Correcting references, including cross-references to repealed or changed laws;
- Updating names and locations for public entities and officers;
- Changing terminology for consistency with other state or federal law;
- Making the style of legal citations consistent;
- Correcting terminology for administrative rulemaking; and
- Striking sections that require action at a date already passed.

Section-by-Section Overview

- <u>Sec. 1</u> Eliminates legalese; clarifies cross-reference.
- Sec. 2 Repeals reference to appointed TSO's that is no longer applicable.
- Sec. 3 Corrects name of Agency of Commerce and Community Development.
- Sec. 4 Corrects name of Division for Historic Preservation.
- <u>Sec. 5</u> Corrects punctuation and clarifies the term "accessories".
- Sec. 6 Changes "promulgated" to "adopted," "which" to "that," and corrects preposition error.
- <u>Sec. 7</u> Corrects punctuation and grammar.
- <u>Sec. 8</u> Corrects grammar, punctuation, and conjunction errors.
- <u>Sec. 9</u> Corrects capitalization error and pluralization error.
- Sec. 9a Corrects grammar and conforms lead-in language to V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 10 Corrects reference to date of enactment.
- <u>Sec. 11</u> Corrects cross-reference.
- Sec. 12 Corrects reference to Vermont Rules of Civil Procedure and removes legalese.
- Sec. 13 Corrects reference to date of enactment and removes parenthetical.
- Sec. 14 Redesignates statute heading from "regulations" to "rules".
- Sec. 15 Changes "promulgated" to "adopted" per V.S.A. standards.

- <u>Sec. 16</u> Changes statute heading from "regulations" to "rules" and corrects name of Division of Business Management.
- Sec. 17 Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 18 Corrects conjunction error.
- <u>Sec. 19</u> [Deleted.]
- Sec. 20 Corrects grammar and capitalization errors.
- Sec. 21 Corrects capitalization errors.
- Sec. 22 Corrects grammar and punctuation.
- Sec. 23 Corrects grammar to address conjunction error.
- Sec. 24 Corrects cross-reference.
- <u>Sec. 25</u> Corrects cross-reference.
- Sec. 26 Corrects grammar, pronoun error, reference to "United States," and cross-reference.
- Sec. 27 Corrects reference to regulations to conform to V.S.A. style guide.
- Sec. 28 Changes "promulgated" to "adopted" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 29</u> Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 30 Corrects capitalization and internal reference.
- <u>Sec. 31</u> Corrects internal reference.
- Sec. 32 Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 33 Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 34 Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 35 Corrects capitalization, name of a House Committee, and citations to federal law.
- Sec. 36 Corrects section lead-in and conjunction error.
- Sec. 37 Adds subsection heading for consistency with previous subsections.
- Sec. 38 Adds the word "delivering" to clarify provision relating to DLC licensed delivery.
- Sec. 39 Adds the words "manufacturer or rectifier" for consistency with beginning of section.
- <u>Sec. 40</u> Corrects internal reference.
- Sec. 41 Corrects section heading to reflect Title 7 terms.
- Sec. 42 Corrects verb usage.
- Sec. 43 Corrects style and removes legalese.
- Sec. 44 Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 44a-- Corrects names of House committees.
- Sec. 44b-- Corrects destination of report from specific committees to "General Assembly".
- Sec. 44c Corrects name of a House committee.

- Sec. 44d Corrects names of House committees.
- Sec. 44e Corrects the names of House committees.
- Sec. 44f -- Changes "promulgated" to "adopted" per V.S.A. standards and removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 45</u> Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 46</u> Corrects citation language per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 47 Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 47a Corrects citation language per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 48 Corrects citation language per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 49 Corrects grammar error for clarity, and removes legalese.
- Sec. 49a Corrects name of a House committee, and corrects name of the General Assembly.
- Sec. 49b Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 49c -- Corrects name of a House committee.
- <u>Sec. 49d</u> -- Corrects name of a House committee and conforms deadline language to V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 50</u> Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 51</u> Corrects typographical error.
- Sec. 52 Corrects name of State health laboratory.
- <u>Sec. 53</u> Corrects name of State health laboratory.
- Sec. 54 Removes multiple instances of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 55</u> Corrects deadline language per V.S.A. standards and corrects name of Health Reform Oversight Committee
- Sec. 56 -- Removes instance of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 57 -- Removes instance of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 58 -- Removes instance of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 59 -- Removes instance of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 60 -- Removes instances of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 61</u> Changes "birth certificate" to "report of birth" throughout section to reflect changes made in 2017 vital records act.
- Sec. 62 Corrects conjunction error and removes use of "regulations".
- Sec. 63 Removes instance of "regulations".
- Sec. 63a Corrects name of a House committee.
- <u>Sec. 64</u> Removes instances of "reciprocal beneficiary" to reflect repeal in by 2014 A&R No. 164.
- <u>Sec. 65</u> Deletes provision that expired in 2005.

- <u>Sec. 66</u> Changes language to remove legalese.
- <u>Sec. 67</u> Corrects citation to license section and changes "regulations" to "rules" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 68</u> Corrects grammar to make a complete sentence.
- Sec. 69 -- Changes "regulations" to "rules" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 70</u> Corrects reference to federal law per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 71 Corrects section introductory clause and removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 72</u> Parallel structure: subdivision corrected to match the rest of the section.
- <u>Sec. 73</u> -- Changes multiple instances of "regulations provided by" to "rules adopted" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 74 Corrects grammar and reformats section.
- Sec. 75 -- Changes "regulations" to "rules" and "which" to "that" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 76 -- Changes "regulations" to "rules" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 77 -- Changes "regulations" to "rules" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 78</u> Corrects multiple instances of "regulations," "promulgated," "said," and "which" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 79 Removes instance of "regulations".
- Sec. 80 Reformats section, corrects punctuation, and removes internal numbering.
- Sec. 81 -- Changes "regulations" to "rules" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 82 Removes reference to a subdivision that doesn't exist.
- Sec. 83 Adds subsection headings for consistency with the rest of the section.
- <u>Sec. 84</u> Corrects citation.
- Sec. 85 Corrects "shall mean" to "means" per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 86</u> Removes legalese.
- Sec. 87 -- Removes instances of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 88 Corrects citations to subchapter.
- <u>Sec. 89</u> Corrects antiquated term describing persons with alcoholism.
- Sec. 90 Corrects health term related to alcoholism.
- <u>Sec. 91</u> Parallel structure: adds subdivision headings for consistency throughout section.
- <u>Sec. 92</u> Corrects the name of the officer that receives civil marriage certificate to be consistent with Act 46 of 2017.
- Sec. 93 Corrects grammar.
- Sec. 94 -- Removes legalese and corrects grammar.
- <u>Sec. 95</u> Corrects section to add missing words.

- Sec. 96 Corrects punctuation and multiple instances of "such".
- Sec. 97 Removes references to "training school".
- Sec. 98 Removes reference to "training school".
- Sec. 99 Changes "illness" to "condition" to reflect modern terms.
- Sec. 100 Removes reference to "training school".
- <u>Sec. 101</u> Corrects punctuation and conjunctions.
- <u>Sec. 102</u> Corrects citation and clarifies that a person with an intellectual disability under 18 "shall" not be sterilized.
- Sec. 103 Removes reference to "traumatic brain injury" to reflect repeal of Act 158.
- Sec. 104 -- Removes instance of "such" and "regulations".
- Sec. 105 Removes unnecessary references to dates that have passed.
- Sec. 106 Corrects citation.
- Sec. 107 Corrects citation.
- Sec. 108 Corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 109 Corrects definition lead-in language per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 110</u> Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 111</u> Corrects citation, grammar in subdivisions, and the name of State Workforce Development Board.
- Sec. 112 Corrects citations to licensing statutes.
- <u>Sec. 113</u> Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 114 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 115 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- <u>Sec. 116</u> -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
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- Sec. 127 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 128 -- Removes legalese, corrects capitalization, and reformats section.
- Sec. 129 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 130 -- Removes legalese, corrects instance of "regulations," and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 131 Corrects instance of "regulations."
- Sec. 132 -- Removes legalese, corrects capitalization, and reformats section.
- Sec. 133 -- Removes legalese, corrects instance of "regulations," and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 134 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 135 -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- <u>Sec. 136</u> -- Removes legalese and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 137 Removes legalese and corrects instance of "regulations."
- Sec. 138 Corrects instance of "regulations."
- Sec. 139 Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 140</u> Removes legalese.
- Sec. 141 Removes unnecessary or redundant term.
- Sec. 142 Corrects citation.
- <u>Sec. 143</u> Parallel structure: adds subsection headings for consistency with the rest of the section.
- <u>Sec. 144</u> Removes legalese and corrects deadline language per V.S.A. standards.
- <u>Sec. 145</u> Corrects internal cross references.
- Sec. 146 Reformats subdivisions and corrects capitalization.
- Sec. 147 Reformats and reorganizes subdivisions for clarity.
- <u>Sec. 148</u> Removes legalese.
- Sec. 149 Corrects conjunction error.
- Sec. 150 Corrects instance of "days".
- Sec. 151 Corrects definition lead-in language and conjunction error.
- Sec. 152 Adds "motor" preceding "bus" for clarity with rest of section.
- <u>Sec. 153</u> Corrects multiple preposition errors.
- Sec. 154 Corrects term.
- Sec. 155 Removes legalese.
- Sec. 156 Corrects term to singular noun.
- Sec. 157 Corrects citation.
- Sec. 158 Removes legalese.

- <u>Sec. 159</u> Removes legalese.
- Sec. 159a Corrects name of a House Committee.
- Sec. 160 Redesignates Article 84 heading for clarity.
- Sec. 161 Redesignates section heading for clarity.
- Sec. 162 Corrects spelling error and internal cross reference.
- Sec. 163 Parallel structure: adds subsection heading to match the rest of the section.
- Sec. 164 Corrects use of "below" for clarity.
- Sec. 165 Removes legalese and corrects internal cross reference.
- Sec. 166 Removes legalese and corrects internal cross reference.
- Sec. 167 Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 168</u> [Deleted.]
- <u>Sec. 169</u> Removes legalese.
- <u>Sec. 170</u> Removes legalese.
- Sec. 171 Clarifies the "act" being referenced.
- Sec. 172 Removes legalese.
- Sec. 173 Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 173a Corrects names of House committees.
- <u>Sec. 173b</u> Corrects deadline language per V.S.A. standards, and corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 173c Corrects spelling error and names of House committees.
- Sec. 173d Corrects names of House committees.
- Sec. 173e Corrects deadline language and names of House committees.
- <u>Sec. 174</u> Corrects grammar for clarity.
- Sec. 174a Corrects name of a House committee.
- <u>Sec. 175</u> Corrects citation and definition lead-in language.
- Sec. 175a Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 175b Corrects name of House committees.
- <u>Sec. 175c</u> Corrects name of a House committee.
- Sec. 176 Corrects verb error.
- Sec. 177 Removes use of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards.
- Sec. 178 Removes use of "regulations" per V.S.A. standards and corrects date format.
- <u>Sec. 179</u> Corrects scrivener error.
- Sec. 180 Removes use of "regulations" and "such" per V.S.A. standards.

<u>Sec. 181</u> – [Deleted.]

Sec. 182 – Corrects "may" v. "shall" error, a pronoun error, and removes legalese.

Sec. 183 – Corrects "can" to "shall".

<u>Sec. 184</u> – [Deleted.]

- Sec. 185 Corrects subsection format for clarity.
- Sec. 186 Parallel structure: words removed to match language cited (18 V.S.A. § 5017).
- Sec. 187 Adds date of enactment for clarity.
- Sec. 188 Removes legalese.
- Sec. 189 Corrects limiting language for clarity.
- Sec. 190 Corrects Title 32 cross reference.
- Sec. 191 -- Corrects Title 32 cross reference.
- Sec. 192 -- Corrects Title 32 cross reference.
- Sec. 193 -- Corrects Title 32 cross reference.
- Sec. 194 -- Corrects Title 32 cross reference.
- Sec. 195 Corrects internal cross-reference.
- Sec. 196 Corrects name of House committee.
- <u>Sec. 197</u> Declares that the act should only be interpreted as technical amendments that should not supersede other bills enacted.
- <u>Sec. 198</u> Repeals sections that are no longer effective because of expiration or repeals in other acts.
- <u>Sec. 199</u> Effective date.