

1 TO THE HONORABLE SENATE:

2 The Committee on Government Operations to which was referred House
3 Bill No. 59 entitled “An act relating to technical corrections” respectfully
4 reports that it has considered the same and recommends that the bill be
5 amended as follows:

6 First: By adding a new Sec. 1 to read as follows:

7 Sec. 1. 1 V.S.A. § 431 is amended to read:

8 § 431. STANDARD TIME; DAYLIGHT SAVING TIME

9 (a) The standard time within the State of Vermont shall be based on the
10 mean astronomical time of the 75 of longitude west from Greenwich, known
11 and designated as “U.S. Standard Eastern time,” except ~~on two o’clock ante~~
12 ~~meridian of the last Sunday in April in every year and until two o’clock ante~~
13 ~~meridian of the last Sunday in September in the same year, as provided in~~
14 15 U.S.C. § 260a, when standard time ~~is~~ shall be advanced one hour. The
15 period of time so advanced may be called “daylight saving time.”

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17 and by renumbering the current Sec. 1 to be Sec. 1a.

18 Second: After Sec. 16, by adding a Sec. 16a to read as follows:

19 Sec. 16a. 10 V.S.A. § 1389(e) is amended to read:

20 (e) Priorities.

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Subchapter 6. Services For Inmates With Serious Functional Impairment

§ 905. LEGISLATIVE INTENT

It is the intent of the General Assembly that the serious functional impairment designation apply solely to individuals residing in a correctional facility and not to individuals reentering the community after incarceration.

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Sixth: After Sec. 140, by adding two new sections to be Secs. 140a and 140b to read as follows:

Sec. 140a. 32 V.S.A. § 9771 is amended to read:

§ 9771. IMPOSITION OF SALES TAX

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(4) admission to places of ~~amusement~~ entertainment, including athletic events, exhibitions, dramatic and musical performances, motion pictures, golf courses and ski areas, and access to cable television systems or other audio or video programming systems that operate by wire, coaxial cable, lightwave, microwave, satellite transmission, or by other similar means, and access to any game or gaming or amusement machine, apparatus or device, excluding video game, pinball, musical, vocal, or visual entertainment machines which are operated by coin, token, or bills;

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Sec. 140b. 32 V.S.A. § 9813 is amended to read:

§ 9813. PRESUMPTIONS AND BURDEN OF PROOF

(a) For the purpose of the proper administration of this chapter and to prevent evasion of the tax hereby imposed, it shall be presumed that all receipts for property or services of any type mentioned in ~~subdivisions 9771(1), (2), and (3) of this title, and all amusement charges of any type mentioned in subdivision 9771(4)~~ section 9771 of this title, are subject to tax until the contrary is established, and the burden of proving that any receipt or amusement charge is not taxable hereunder shall be upon the person required to collect tax.

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(Committee vote: _____)

Representative _____

FOR THE COMMITTEE