

APPENDIX C - DOMESTIC VIOLENCE FATALITY REVIEW COMMISSION MEMBERS

Pursuant to 15 VSA § 1140(b), the Commission is comprised of 17 members, consisting of the following:

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- A representative of the Vermont Council on Domestic Violence;

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- A victim or survivor of domestic violence, appointed by the Vermont Network Against Domestic and Sexual Violence;

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- A physician, appointed by the Governor;

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- One Judge, appointed by the Chief Justice of the Vermont Supreme Court.

The Honorable Kirstin Schoonover
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