

1 Sec. X. E-911 GOVERNANCE; SECRETARY OF ADMINISTRATION;
2 REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION

3 (a) The Secretary of Administration shall prepare a recommendation in the
4 form of draft legislation for a governance structure for Vermont’s E-911
5 system that would replace the existing quasi-independent status of the E-911
6 Board beginning on July 1, 2020. The goal of the restructuring is to promote
7 comprehensive and accountable oversight and management of each of the
8 different components of the E-911 system and to support a consistent
9 application of State technology standards concerning data security, privacy,
10 and interoperability. The recommendation shall include a transition plan.

11 (b) In developing the recommendation required by this section, the
12 Secretary shall consult with the Secretary of Digital Services or designee, the
13 Commissioner of Public Service or designee, the Commissioner of Public
14 Safety or designee, the Public Utility Commission or designee, the Vermont
15 State Sheriffs’ Association, the Vermont Association of Chiefs of Police, the
16 Vermont League of Cities and Towns, and any other individual or organization
17 deemed appropriate by the Secretary. In addition, the Secretary shall hold at
18 least one public hearing and shall establish a process for receiving and
19 reviewing written public input.

20 (c) A draft recommendation shall be submitted to the Joint Information
21 Technology Oversight Committee on or before November 15, 2019. A final

- 1 recommendation shall be submitted to the Senate Committees on Government
- 2 Operations and on Finance and the House Committees on Government
- 3 Operations and on Energy and Technology on or before January 1, 2020.