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2 Introduced by Committee on Health Care

3 Date:

4 Subject: Health; COVID-19; health care providers; regulatory flexibility

5 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to express

6 legislative intent to extend certain provisions of law offering regulatory

7 flexibility to health care providers and relevant State agencies during the

8 COVID-19 pandemic.

9 An act relating to extending COVID-19 health care regulatory flexibility

10 It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

11 Sec. 1. HEALTH CARE PROVIDERS; REGULATORY FLEXIBILITY;

12 LEGISLATIVE INTENT

13 It is the intent of the General Assembly to extend certain health care
14 regulatory provisions in 2020 Acts and Resolves Nos. 91 and 140, 2021 Acts
15 and Resolves No. 6, and related acts in order to enable health care providers
16 and relevant State agencies to best meet Vermonters' needs during the ongoing
17 COVID-19 pandemic.

18 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

19 This act shall take effect on passage.