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2 Introduced by Senators Sirotkin, Brock, Clarkson and Hooker

3 Referred to Committee on

4 Date:

5 Subject: Labor; workers' compensation; COVID-19

6 Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to extend until
7 July 1, 2021 the Commissioner of Labor's authority to waive or amend certain
8 workers' compensation related deadlines and requirements during a state of
9 emergency related to COVID-19. This bill also proposes to extend the
10 presumption that certain workers who are diagnosed with COVID-19 are
11 entitled to workers' compensation for the disease until July 1, 2021.

12 An act relating to extending certain workers' compensation amendments
13 related to COVID-19

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

15 Sec. 1. 2020 Acts and Resolves No. 150, Sec. 3 is amended to read:

16 Sec. 3. PROSPECTIVE REPEAL

17 In the absence of legislative action to the contrary, Secs. 1 and 2 of this act
18 are repealed on ~~January 15~~ July 1, 2021.

19 Sec. 2. EFFECTIVE DATE

20 This act shall take effect on passage.