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[ADMINISTRATION'S PROPOSAL ON

FEDERAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING]

*** * * Federal Infrastructure Funding * * ***

Sec. 3d. FEDERAL INFRASTRUCTURE FUNDING

(a) Notwithstanding Sec. 1 of this act; 2020 Acts and Resolves No. 121, Sec. 1; 19 V.S.A. § 10g(n); and 32 V.S.A. § 706, if a federal infrastructure bill or other federal legislation that provides for infrastructure funding is enacted that provides Vermont with additional federal funding for transportation-related projects, the Secretary is authorized to exceed federal monies spending authority in the Fiscal Year 2021 and Fiscal Year 2022 Transportation Programs and to obligate and expend federal monies and up to \$2,000,000.00 in State Transportation Fund monies on development and evaluation for additional projects that meet federal eligibility and readiness criteria and have been evaluated through the Agency's prioritization process but are not in the Fiscal Year 2021 or Fiscal Year 2022 Transportation Program.

(b) Nothing in subsection (a) of this section shall be construed to authorize the Secretary to obligate or expend:

(1) State TIB funds above amounts authorized in the Fiscal Year 2021 or Fiscal Year 2022 Transportation Program; or

(2) State Transportation Fund monies if the Agency does not:

