

1 TO THE HONORABLE SENATE:

2 The Committee on Natural Resources and Energy to which was referred
3 House Bill No. 523 entitled “An act relating to reducing hydrofluorocarbon
4 emissions” respectfully reports that it has considered the same and
5 recommends that the Senate propose to the House that the bill be amended as
6 follows:

7 First: In Sec. 1, 10 V.S.A. § 586, in subsection (b), by striking out
8 subdivision (4)(G) in its entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

9 (G) July 1, 2022, for refrigeration systems used in ice skating rinks;
10 and

11 Second: In Sec. 3, 20 V.S.A. § 2731, by striking out subsection (m) in its
12 entirety and inserting in lieu thereof the following:

13 (m) Refrigerants. No rule adopted under this section or any other
14 requirement of this title shall prohibit or otherwise limit the use of a refrigerant
15 designated as acceptable for use pursuant to and in accordance with 42 U.S.C.
16 7671k or 10 V.S.A. § 586, provided any equipment containing such refrigerant
17 is listed and installed in accordance with safety standards and use conditions
18 imposed pursuant to such designation.

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Senator _____

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FOR THE COMMITTEE