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Act No. 60 (H. 227). An act relating to the Vermont Uniform Power of Attorney Act Subjects: Court procedures; power of attorney

This act enacts the revised Uniform Power of Attorney Act (UPOAA) in Vermont. The UPOAA standardizes and modernizes the law of powers of attorney and provides a simple, customizable power of attorney form that any person can use, with or without an attorney. The act also repeals the existing chapter of Vermont law governing powers of attorney and repeals language in the Uniform Trust Act that would be inconsistent with the UPOAA.

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