1	H.502
2	SHORT FORM
3	Introduced by Representative Shaw of Pittsford
4	Referred to Committee on
5	Date:
6	Subject: Education; Vermont State Colleges; libraries
7	Statement of purpose of bill as introduced: This bill proposes to prohibit the
8	Vermont State Colleges from closing or reducing in size or scope the operation
9	of the physical libraries on any of their campuses without legislative approval.
10	It would also prohibit the Vermont State Colleges from reducing the number of
11	positions, employees, or employee hours assigned to the operation or support
12	of their libraries below the numbers in effect on January 1, 2023 without
13	legislative approval.
14 15	An act relating to requiring legislative approval prior to closing or reducing the size or scope of any Vermont State College Library
16	It is hereby enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Vermont:

17 (TEXT OMITTED IN SHORT-FORM BILLS)