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2 An act relating to how a defendant’s criminal record is considered in
3 imposing conditions of release

4 The Senate concurs in the House proposal of amendment with the following
5 proposal of amendment thereto:

6 First: In Sec. 1, 13 V.S.A. § 7551(b), by striking out subdivision (2) in its
7 entirety and inserting in lieu thereof a new subdivision (2) to read as follows:

8 (2) In the event the court finds that imposing bail is necessary to
9 mitigate the risk of flight from prosecution for a person charged with a
10 violation of a misdemeanor offense that is eligible for expungement pursuant
11 to subdivision 7601(4)(A) of this title, the court may impose bail in a
12 maximum amount of \$200.00. The \$200.00 limit shall not apply to an offense
13 allegedly committed by a defendant who has been released on personal
14 recognizance or conditions of release pending trial for another offense.

15 Second: In Sec. 12, prospective repeal, by striking the word “2026”
16 following “December 31” and inserting in lieu thereof 2030