

1 TO THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES:

2 The Committee on Ways and Means to which was referred House Bill No.  
3 847 entitled “An act relating to peer support provider and recovery support  
4 specialist certification” respectfully reports that it has considered the same and  
5 recommends that the bill be amended as follows:

6 First: By striking out Sec. 3, 3 V.S.A. § 125, in its entirety and inserting in  
7 lieu thereof a new Sec. 3 and Sec. 3a to read as follows:

8 Sec. 3. 3 V.S.A. § 125 is amended to read:

9 § 125. FEES

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11 (b) Unless otherwise provided by law, the following fees shall apply to all  
12 professions regulated by the Director in consultation with advisor appointees  
13 under Title 26:

14 \* \* \*

15 (2) Application for licensure or certification, \$115.00, except application  
16 for:

17 \* \* \*

18 (Q) Peer support providers or recovery support specialists, \$50.00.

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20 (4) Biennial renewal, \$275.00, except biennial renewal for:

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1                    (V) Peer support provider or recovery support specialist, \$50.00.

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3                    Sec. 3a. 3 V.S.A. § 125 is amended to read:

4                    § 125. FEES

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6                    (b) Unless otherwise provided by law, the following fees shall apply to all  
7 professions regulated by the Director in consultation with advisor appointees  
8 under Title 26:

9                    \* \* \*

10                    (2) Application for licensure or certification, \$115.00, except application  
11 for:

12                    \* \* \*

13                    (Q) Peer support providers or recovery support specialists, ~~\$50.00~~  
14 \$75.00.

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16                    Second: By striking out Sec. 6, effective dates, in its entirety and inserting  
17 in lieu thereof a new Sec. 6 to read as follows:

18                    Sec. 6. EFFECTIVE DATES

19                    This act shall take effect on July 1, 2025, except:

20                    (1) this section and Sec. 5 (rulemaking; peer support providers and  
21 recovery support specialists) shall take effect on passage; and

1           (2) Sec. 3a (fees) shall take effect on July 1, 2027.

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5           (Committee vote: \_\_\_\_\_)

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FOR THE COMMITTEE